

Coatesville School Newsletter

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Dear Parents/Caregivers

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Great to see so many of our **sports teams** participating, performing so well and having such enjoyable seasons. The number of teams we have this year is fantastic! I was able to see several of our netball and hockey teams play recently and their determination, sportsmanship, skill and enjoyment was very evident. Great work! And a well done also to the coaches, managers and supporters that make it all happen.

We look forward to our special Winter Sports Assembly later in the term to celebrate all that is good about our sports teams!

And thank you to the small **group of parents who attended a presentation** last Wednesday afternoon, focused on sharing developments about ‘Learning at Coatesville School’. School leaders appreciated your presence and your questions. It always helps us to determine the best way forward and to plan further communication and discussion opportunities for parents.

Dancing Success for Coatesville School Student



Over the last 6 weeks, I have gone on a trip to Australia, London and Hong Kong.

My first stop was The Australian Ballet School in Melbourne. I stayed there for 1 week and attended 2 workshops which included: jazz, contemporary, ballet, musical theatre and body conditioning/pilates.

Next, I went to London, I went to The Harry Potter Studio Tour, The Royal Ballet School and The Central School of Ballet. I really enjoyed the Harry Potter Studio Tour because I got to see all the costumes that the cast wore on set and the goblins masks that were quite scary and other props that they also used!

I spent 1 week at The Royal Ballet School on a live-in course sharing a room with 2 others. A girl from England and a girl from China. All the classes were really fun and I learnt so much! Then for 2 weeks, I went to The Central School of Ballet, I had so much fun and made so many new memories and friends.

After that, I went to the Asian Grand Prix which is an international ballet competition held in Hong Kong. It was very nerve-wracking to dance in front of a big audience that were all watching me! But I was so relieved when I came 3rd and a scholarship to the New Zealand School of Dance Scholars Program! *Lauren Wycherley Rm 2*

Scholastic Book orders

The Scholastic Book Order pamphlet for this term went home today. If you wish to place an order, please complete the [on-line order form](#) by following the prompts at: mybookclub.scholastic.co.nz by **9 am Friday 30 August**. Orders are on-line only please do not send any money or forms to school - thank you.

Coatesville's Got Talent - 2019

The student leaders are looking forward to judging the Kahu students auditions for *Coatesville's Got Talent* during lunchtime on Friday 30th August. If your child has a special talent, whether it be dancing, singing, playing a musical instrument, telling jokes or juggling cats, the student leaders would love for them to audition - all talents welcome! All students who audition will earn points for their whanau.

A final will take place later in the term, with the date to be confirmed closer to the time. Students will be judged on how well they know their act, entertainment value, confidence, presentation and overall performance rating.

Year 6/2 Netball



In their final game of the season Coatesville Schools 6/2 team defeated Kristin 18-4 which was a great way to end the season. They were especially delighted to have their Principal there to cheer them on!!

Super Cluster Football Tournament

Well done to our soccer team who played in the Super Cluster tournament yesterday. They represented themselves and our school very well. They also had a great time!

They won their last game 4-2 to end the day on a real high.

Great job everyone!



Options to Purchase Lunch Available at Coatesville School

Students are encouraged to bring a healthy lunch to school, benefiting their growth and achievement, as well as reinforcing Health Syllabus teachings. Sweets and glass containers are not permitted at school and nuts and food containing nuts are discouraged in some classes due to students with severe allergic reactions. Your understanding and assistance to help us keep all of our students safe at school is appreciated.

Options to purchase lunch are:

- **Monday - Sausage Sizzle** Sausage in bread \$2 Mini packet of biscuits (eg Tiny Teddies) 50 cents

The sausage sizzle is run by parent volunteers every Monday (except pizza days)

- **Wednesday - Subway** Parents can place an online order, by **9am each Subway® Day**, which is delivered every Wednesday. Simply visit www.subway.co.nz/schools and follow the instructions to place your order. Should you have any queries over Subway® Days please contact Dhaval at Subway on 021 1801861

- **Friday – Coatesville Store** Parents can place an order and pay for lunch through the Coatesville store for delivery on Friday.

E- Award

At assembly last week, the E-award monitors, Phoenix and Jackson, said one area we would like to see you all improve is not putting your lunchbox rubbish into your classroom bin. You have all done a great job this week with keeping your cloak bays tidy. Well done. The results were:

3 rd	Rooms 2 and 7
2 nd	Room 12
1 st	Room 13

Congratulations to our winners this week.

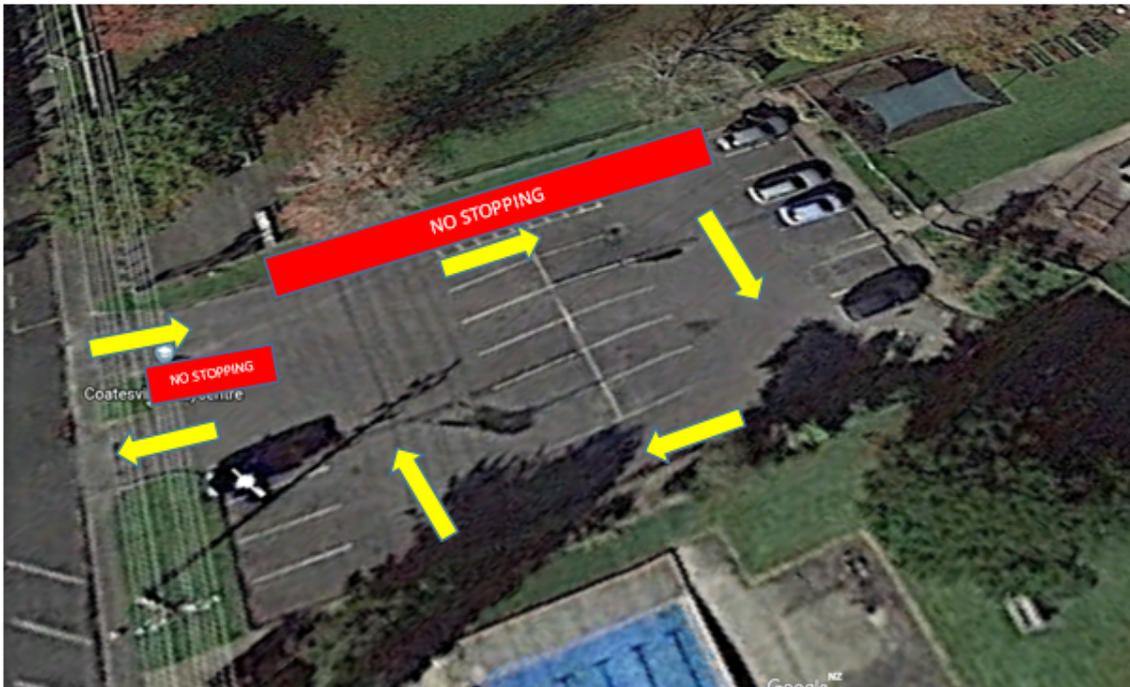
Safety in the Carpark After School: Another reminder!

The vast majority of our parents/caregivers and children consistently follow our expectations to support safety after school. Thank you for doing so!

However, there are sometimes those who ignore our safe practices. Once again there have been **people stopping/parking in places which are not car parks**. Please be aware of the following:

School expectations:

- 1. 'NO STOPPING' areas in the Playcentre Carpark.** There are two areas (in red on the map below) where cars are not allowed to stop. These impede visibility and traffic flow, creating frustration and potential for danger.
- 2. Students MUST be collected by an adult from within the school grounds.** Please park and collect your child at all times.
- 3. Please use the footpaths.** A number of people walk across the carpark with children behind them when cars are reversing or moving in the carpark. Please use the footpath as much as possible.



We encourage our staff/parents/caregivers to help remind those people who forget!

They are compromising safety so it is important we do so. This isn't always easy but approaching it in a friendly manner is a positive way of helping the safety of our children.

For specific incidents use the '[Hazard Identification & Near Miss incidents' form](#) (on our website under 'Our School/Health & Safety'). If you are able to provide names of anyone involved that is very helpful.

Your response is officially logged and goes directly to me for action.

A better option?

Arrive at 3.10 or 3.15pm and enjoy finding a very good carpark. The buses are gone and there are car parks close by for you! Thank you for your support.

FROM FOTS:

We really need to confirm **MAIN SPONSORS** asap to capitalise on them being included in our promotional poster & Ag Day tee-shirt. Sponsorship details below:

Latest School News - [SPONSORSHIP SCOOP](#) please click here to find out about Ag Day Sponsorship Opportunities. Alternatively, simply contact me to confirm your sponsorship on hseel@coatesville.school.nz / tel: 021 664 749.



Ag Day 2019 Checklist



Ag Day Checklist - please see our list included in this newsletter for important dates, what we are collecting and what you can donate.

We are seeking the following donation items and highlighting important dates for this year's Ag Day on **Saturday 19 October**.

Please drop items in bags or boxes **to the office** when it suits you. The donation dates below are just a guide, however, please make note of our other important dates to ensure things go to plan before and on the big day.

Many thanks for your kind generosity and efforts in advance!

Ag Day Signage - can you help paint? We are looking to create further roadside signage for Ag Day to compliment our amazing chickens you may have seen. Is there anyone who can help paint some boards we have here at school? Need to act quickly as ideally they be erected by the Coatesville Market this Sunday! Please contact Julie Wall on julievwall@gmail.com or 021 410 244.

Next Ag Day & FOTS Meetings dates are 4th & 25th September
Please come along & find out what we're planning and where you might be able to help in small ways. All Welcome!

SEEKING SPONSORS	If you can help with Ag Day Sponsorship CONTACT Heather Seel on hseel@coatesville.school.nz or 021 664 749
BY FRI 13 SEPT	AG Day T-shirt Orders Close. ORDER DETAILS TO COME
NOW UNTIL FRI 11 OCT	Clothes & Shoes- incl Sports Goods and School Sports Uniform - cleaned and in good condition please for the Recycle Boutique Books, Puzzles and DVD's – Good condition please and puzzles will need to be complete sets PLEASE DROP TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE
NOW UNTIL FRI 11 OCT	Silent Auction Items - Big ticket items that may fetch a good auction price, plus new items that we could pop into a hamper for auctioning. PLEASE DROP OFF TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE – basket provided OR CONTACT alanahdando@hotmail.com or talk to Alanah Dando
NOW UNTIL SAT 19 OCT	Co-op Non-Perishable Items – Homemade Delicacies, Lollies, Jams, Chutneys etc Chocolate bars – small, med and king size, along with small boxes accepted PLEASE DROP TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE
WEEK MON 14 – FRI 18 OCT	Eggs - For our Bacon & Egg Roll Stand and our Co-op please. CONTACT Frana on frana.becker@bayleys.co.nz
ON FRI 18 & SAT 19 OCT	Co-op Perishable Items - Pies, Muffins, Cakes, Fruit, Vegetables, Flowers, Bread, Cheese etc. DROP OFF DETAILS TO COME

Ka kite ano. Hei konā mai.

Richard Johnson

Richard Johnson – Principal

Community Notices

Year 5 Girls' Soccer

We would love to get a Year 5 girls friendly team together for the Summer Soccer season at QBE Stadium in Albany. It would be through Albany United Football Club, is 5 a side and runs from October 24 – February 20 on Thursday afternoons, with a break over Christmas. No experience needed. If your daughter is interested please contact francesfarmer10@hotmail.com and 021535596.