Bethlehem College CHAPMAN



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From the Head of School

Psalm 103:8 & 9

'The LORD is compassionate and gracious, slow to anger, abounding in love. He will not always accuse, nor will he harbour his anger forever'.

'Ki tonu a Ihowa i te aroha me te atawhai, he puhoi ki te riri, he nui hoki tana mahi tohu. E kore ia e whakatupuehupehu tonu, e kore ano e mauahara aka ake'.

Dear wonderful Bethlehem College Chapman whanau, There are MANY moments when we stand and virtually burst with pride as we watch our young people do life with such passion, perseverance and sheer determination. Our BCC Cross Country event on Friday gave us plenty of cause to celebrate our precious taonga, our young people, and their achievements as individuals, as pairs, as friends, as athletes and as significant members of our community. From the cheery 'Thank you' as one or other passed by me in my marshalling spot, to the unfortunate fall on the gravel and then standing back up, dusting off and running on to friends running side by side spurring each other on and arriving together at the Finish Line.....we had a myriad of opportunities to see 'whanau' and resilience in action.

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Calendar 2018

June

Tue 19th Inter-school Cross Country Kaharoa

Thurs 21st Arts Blast 1:30pm

Fri 22nd Postponement Date Inter-school Cross Country Kaharoa

Tue 26th CBOP Cross Country - Kaharoa

Thu 28th Final Arts Blast 1:30pm

Fri 29th Christian Music Festival Waipa Christian School

July

Fri 6th Last day of Term 2

Tue 24th First day of Term 3



BCC Cross Country Results 2018

Year 1-3 Girls

First: Aria Parker – Tika Blue House Second: Metua Keepa – Tika Blue House Third: Freya Parker – Tika Blue House

Year 1-3 Boys

First: Markus Venter – Mahaki Red House Second: Elijah Miller-Kahu – Tuari Yellow House Third: Judah Stuart – Atawhai Green House & Isaac Varley-Carson – Atawhai Green House

Year 4-6 Girls

First: Claudia Strever - Atawhai Green House Second: Jessica Coughey – Tuari Yellow House Third: Shuyun Wang – Tuari Yellow House

Year 4-6 Boys

First: Samuel Venter - Mahaki Red House Second: Kane Shrimpton - Atawhai Green House Third: Ryno Nieuwoudt - Mahaki Red House

Year 7 & 8 Girls

First Equal: Olivia Pan – Tika Blue House & Tara Isaacs - Atawhai Green House

Second: Savanah-Rose Flood – Tuari Yellow House Third: Aleshia Coughey – Tuari Yellow House

Year 7 & 8 Boys

First: Isaac Ryan – Tika Blue House Second: Jesse Mutton - Atawhai Green House Third: Simeon Nieuwoudt - Mahaki Red House & Israel Warnes - Atawhai Green House

BCC House Competition

House Points Tally Cross Country

Mahaki-Humility-Red: 520 Tika-Justice-Blue: 690 Tuari-Service-Yellow: 560 Atawhai-Mercy-Green:740

The points are extremely close!! We have our FIRST two 2 Principals Awards about to be awarded in the near future. Each Principals Award carries 200 House points with an extra 100 points for being the FIRST girl and FIRST boy winners for 2018. Once Mr Eoin Crosbie presents these Awards the recipients WILL be revealed via BCC Facebook and our next Newsletter.

Watch this space for the change of Tallies!



Please Park and Walk when delivering/collecting your child.

Vehicles need to be driven SLOWLY at ALL times as we need to take the utmost care with the safety of our children.

Parking Drop Off/Pick Up Zone

Just a reminder:

- NO stopping where the yellow lines are on entry to the school grounds.
- PLEASE park and then walk your son/daughter to the cones behind which they may safely walk down into school.
- When collecting children after school cars need to be parked and parents are to walk down to collect their son/daughter from their respective class line.
- If it is raining after school, students will be collected from inside at the front of the Living Well Church building.

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Satellite Update

Our BCC Library

Mrs Czabania is still plugging away entering books into the BC Chapman database at Bethlehem College in Tauranga. We will be getting a team together to label, cover and collate books in the near future. If you think you may be able to assist, please communicate with Mrs Angie Stevenson in the office phone 07 346 1492 or email office.chapman@beth.school.nz



Health and Safety

Mr Tim McJorrow BC Health and Safety will visit us again on Monday to assist us in aligning with the BC Health and Safety Policies, Procedures and Processes.

Chorus/Net4 L

After negotiations and many emails between with the various parties concerned, the Net for Learning changeover will happen on the first day of the school holidays Monday 9th July. Because this is such a major switchover this means there will be no internet access for the school for possibly a whole week. Please bear with us if we have technical complications.

Quote of the Week

The basic requirement of healthy parenting in the year 2018 is not difficult on a scale approaching brain surgery. No, it is breathtakingly simple: JUST BE THERE...and give the little guys your undivided attention.

Author-unknown

Be encouraged Parents, you are doing a far better job than you give yourselves credit for!! Every time you hug your kids, tickle them on the carpet, play ball, read a story, giggle with them at the movies, help them make a tree-hut, take them fishing, praise them or pray with them gives them emotional warmth, healthy limits and the knowledge they are wanted and loved. KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK.

Free Computing Course

Are you unsure of what to do when your child asks you for help with their cloud-based homework? Toi-Ohomai are offering a free 12-week computing course which will help improve your basic computer skills and introduce you to cloud computing.

Absence From School - Impact on Academic Achievement

If you take your son/daughter away for a holiday or for family reasons, please be aware we cannot endorse this. We do understand that family events are special occasions, however, your son/daughter will be responsible for catching up and teachers are not expected to alter their programme nor provide material.



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What could be better than seeing everyone run the distance, FINISH the course, gain the prize and go back to wait for and cheer others on to do likewise. It is true that there is only ONE Cup for the FIRST place position and yet there was such a sense of satisfaction, contentment and the ability to celebrate others both those with their God-given super-fast legs and those of us who plod the course feeling the pain of every step. Taking more than just ourselves to reach the goal, is definitely the way to go!

Parents, Grandparents, friends and other extended family members you MAKE the day with your spectator enthusiasm and your genuine appreciation of the efforts made by every single runner. We thank you for transporting children to and from Waipa, for taking photos, cheering loudly, running beside children to encourage them, cooking sausages and ensuring our community functioned SO unitedly! It means a GREAT DEAL to us! It is an absolute privilege to serve you and your family, to watch your son/s and daughter/s grow and their character qualities shine brightly.

Whether we run a Cross Country Course, play in a Chess Competition or complete our home learning tasks faithfully, there is preparation for living a life that does more than make a livingit is the perfect ground in which to learn how to live a life that makes a meaningful difference. Our young people can, and are, becoming 'agents of transformational change' as they keep their eyes firmly focused on Jesus Christ, the Author and Perfecter of faith in a world which desperately needs the love of God which they can so beautifully bring! Yes, Bethlehem College Chapman whanau-We LOVE you and assure you that you are simply, THE BEST!

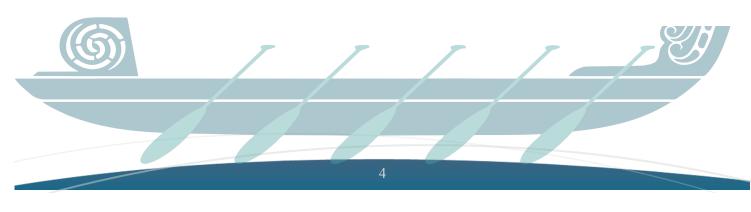
With love always Hazel

From the School Office

- Payments for school fees can now be taken by EFTPOS at the Chapman School office.
- Payments for uniforms are a cash only or EFTPOS basis and can no longer put on your school account.
- If your son/daughter needs to leave school during the day for an appointment etc. please sign them out in the book outside the school office (and back in again when they return if applicable).
- Absences at BC Chapman –
 Rotorua Campus. Please
 phone the school office 07
 346 1492 and leave a message
 on the answerphone if your
 child will be absent from
 school. Please give the reason
 for the absence as this must be
 recorded accurately for the
 Ministry of Education.
 Alternatively, you can email
 our school office email address

office.chapman@beth.school.nz

Thank you for calling in absences, it saves us a lot of time chasing up children in the morning.



Inter-School Chess Tournament

We held the Chess Power Inter-school Chess Tournament here at BCC on Wednesday 6th June and hosted around 120 visitors including the adults who supported the players. It was an extremely successful event and everyone who took part had a wonderful time. We received some lovely feedback from several schools regarding the venue set up and our hospitality. Special thanks to Mrs Anelda Venter and Miss Michelle Wynne who kept coffee pots filled, delicious food available and made our guests truly welcome! It is important to us to have others who come to us experience 'our little school with the HUGE heart!' which is most effectively expressed through love and service.

Our Chess Teams were:

Rookies- (First time players in a Competition and they were champions!)
Lauren Shrimpton; Jayden Boyd

Primary Competitors

Ryno Nieuwoudt; Kingdym Pitman; Samuel Venter; Jasmine Pan

Year 7 & 8 Competitors

Isaac Ryan; Simeon Nieuwoudt; Tawhio Keepa, Micah 'Alofi; Daniel Taljaard; Jesse Mutton; Tara Isaacs; Seinileva Faletau; Gabby Duncan; Israel Warnes

Best Girl Player in Year 7 & 8: Leva Faletau Best Boy Player in Year 7 & 8: Israel Warnes

Our Year 7 & 8 Team won the Competition and have been invited to compete in the Nationals in Auckland on 27th October 2018. Such an accomplishment!



Arts Blast

We are having Arts Blast for three Thursday afternoons in June . We have had several parents and our teachers offer a range of different things such as Pom Pom Mat making; Kite making; Calligraphy; Painting; Sketching; Card Making; Knitting; Making a Jigsaw Puzzle; Face Painting; Colouring in - Original Art; Flax Flowers; Construction. This is done in small groups of around 10 students and will allow for the learning of new skills. ALL very exciting! We are looking forward to sharing some of our Creations with you soon!

Please see our Facebook page https://www.facebook.com/BethCollegeChapman/?ref=bookmarks for heaps more stunning photos of the Arts Blast and Cross Country.

A HUGE thank you to our diligent photographers who take the photos, format them and upload them, Mrs Rebecca Shrimpton, Mrs Dyanne Gray and Mrs Angie Stevenson. We so appreciate you

The amazing Mrs Jannine Parker wanted to share with you her discovery of using this ChemDry Spot Remover to get paint and grime out of her daughters school blouses. ChemDry are an amazing blessing to our school so we are happy to advertise them and their fantastic product. Thanks for your support Amanda and Wayne Steer



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