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NEWSLETTER NO. 26—31st August 2017

THIS WEEK:

Sunday 3rd Sept: Fathers' Day

NEXT WEEK:

Monday 4th Sept—School Photos and Mrs
McAullay's birthday!

Tuesday 5th Sept—Y7 & 8 Specialist Subjects at Hebron

Friday 8th Sept—MUFTI for Vision West and can drive

Friday 8th Sept—Can Drive for Vision West

MEMORY & MEDITATION VERSE:

Psalm 145:16-17

"You open your hand and satisfy the desires of every living thing. The Lord is righteous in all his ways."



THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:

'God has supplied all my needs and has not failed me once.'

Watchman Nee

Hi Immanuel families.

A couple of points to make this week. Please read on.

Fantastic Friday Fundraiser for Vision West next Friday 8th September

Vision West is a charitable trust set up to help disadvantaged members of our society. From what I observe, they do a great job. We have two special fundraising initiatives, both occurring next Friday

- Foodbank can drive. Friday 8th September. Bring a small, new, good quality household or personal care item (or several if you want to) to give away. Five house points per item donated. Suggested items include tins of food, packets of biscuits, a toothbrush, toothpaste, shampoo, deodorant etc. No used items, no furniture, no toys, no nuclear devices.
- Sleepless in September Loud Shirt Mufti Day. Friday 8th September.
 Gold coin donation. This is to raise money to help people who have no home. Please wear the loudest shirt you can find or make. There might be a crunchie bar (or equivalent healthy option) for the three people with the loudest shirts. Loud shirts are of course optional.

Seriously Seize September

Have you ever had an opportunity pass you by and wish afterwards that you had acted when you had the chance? But now, alas, it is too late.?

Please do not let September come and go without ordering some Immanuel Christian School memorabilia. Our designer mugs and T-shirts can be ordered between now and the end of September. There will be no further opportunity to order these items after September. We hope to have some samples available to view in two weeks.

This is not a money-maker. We are not trying to 'sell' you these items. We just want Immanuel families past and present to be able to have something more than photos, memories and dog-eared exercise books to connect with the Immanuel experience.

The 'live the legacy' slogan is loved by some and hated by others. It is one of the options on the mug and the T-shirt. Personally, I love it. It calls us to remember what Immanuel stands for and to live a life that outworks what Immanuel has stood for in meaningful and tangible ways. Education with effect.

Have a great weekend,

Pete Slaney.

Principal.

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or see our Facebook page

NOTEWORTHY NOTICES

School Photos will be taken this Monday 4th September.

Class photos will be taken and in addition there will be a portrait photo taken (with no obligation to buy). If you are wanting a sibling photo taken (all your children together), you must collect a sibling envelope from the office which will need to be pre-paid before 4th September. If it turns out you do not like the photo, it can be returned and you will be refunded.

Daniel - A Hard Act to Swallow

Performed at Liberty Christian Church 27th September - Wednesday is dress rehearsal and evening performance

28th September - Thursday is Matinee and evening performance.

Please make sure you read all the information over the next few weeks in the newsletter to keep informed of what is happening leading up to our performances. Tickets are on sale at the office. Be quick!!!

Help! We need YOU to help make this musical run smoothly. Attached to the newsletter is a list of all of the areas in which we need help. A hard copy will be sent home. Please put your name on the list so that I can put together a list of helpers for each performance. This needs to be returned to the school office by Friday the 8th September please. Thank you in advance for your help. This musical outreach requires all of us to work together in order to ensure it is a success.

Costume requirements: THE FOLLOWING COSTUMES NEED TO BE AT SCHOOL ON OR BEFORE THE 14TH SEPTEMBER.

Choir children – blue jeans, house T-shirt, sandshoes

Musicians (Drummers) – blue jeans, house T-shirt, sandshoes

Stage Hands – black jeans/trousers, black T-shirt, black sandshoes/shoes

Please send the jeans and house T-shirt in a named plastic bag. It is not necessary to send the shoes to school. These will remain at school until our musical. All other children will be notified as to their costume requirements soon.

All jeans must be clean and tidy with no rips or holes in them please.

<u>Tickets are on sale now</u>: Please come to the office to purchase them. You may send money to school in an envelope with the information necessary to buy the tickets and Mrs McAullay will send the tickets home with your child.

Receipts: If you buy something for our musical please bring your receipts to the office if you want to be reimbursed.

<u>DVD and CD of photos</u>: I am looking for someone who would be willing to take a video of our musical performances. I also need someone who would be willing to take photos of the characters before the musical. Please email me.

Does anyone know where we can hire or borrow a smoke machine?

Does anyone have any large bones or skulls (preferably not attached to living flesh) that we can borrow?

After each performance we are going to have coffee and cake. Would you be willing to be in charge of this? Please email me.

Please see the extensive list on the next page.

Thanks Jo

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Term 3 dates to note:

Sunday 3rd September - Fathers' Day
Monday 4th September - School Photos

Tuesday 5th September - Y7 & 8 Specialist Subjects at

Hebron

Friday 8th September - MUFTI—Loud Shirt Mufti day
Friday 8th September - Vision West Foodbank can

drive

Saturday 9th Sept. - Working Bee

Monday 11th Sept - CSAA Special General

Meeting

Tuesday 12th September - Final Specialist Subjects Y7 & 8

Saturday 23rd September - C Tuesday 26th September - A Wednesday 27th September-

General Election
ACS Cross Country
Musical dress rehearsal
Musical evening performance

Thursday 28th September - Musical matinee performance

Musical evening performance

Friday 29th September - Teacher Only Day

OUR WORKING BEE IS NEXT SATURDAY 9th SEPTEMBER:

- Can anybody please bring a large trailer to the working bee? We need a trip to the tip.
- Can anybody please bring a mulches? We have a lot of green waste to deal with.
- Does anybody have a wall washer or water blaster? We need to clean some gutters and walls.

Let us know in advance if you can help in any of these ways.

Please also bring (if you have them) line trimmers, mowers, window cleaning gear, hedge trimmers etc. Do NOT arrive empty handed.

Jobs for this working bee include:

- turning bark in playgrounds
- mulching branches
- mowing and line trimming, trimming trees
- window cleaning
- clearing rubbish around the property
- repairing the gutter on the library roof.

Rostered on are: Allerby, Alofipo, Angove, Ashcroft, Chambers, Cowan, Disson, Gabor, Kim, Lataimaumi, Lee, McAnulty, McGlynn, Min, Moon, Pan, Park, Parrel, Paulus, Paz, Rakich, Robertson, Savage, Spemann, Stephen, Tane V & D, Taylor G & B, Thirukotla, Walton, Wang F & M. Morning Tea: Ploeg, M-Burns.

RUN FOR BIBLES money needs to come to the office a.s.a.p. please!!!!! Students — do it this weekend!

<u>CLEANING</u>—we have no cleaners for the last 2 weeks of this term. We must keep the classrooms hygienic for our children. Please help us to achieve this by letting Raewyn know if you can do an extra clean.

Kauaeranga Valley Christian Camp, Thames - School Holiday Programme 1st October – 5th October 2017: Sunday 10.00 am to Thursday 12.00 noon 8-12 year olds (including all Year 8 Students)

Camp cost - \$160 (no hidden extras)

Our Holiday Programmes are OSCAR approved, so you may be eligible for full or partial payment through OSCAR for our camp.

If your child is interested in attending our camp, please don't hesitate to contact us, either phone us on 07 868 8348 or email us at: kwcc@maxnet.co.nz
For more registration form, OSCAR form or more details, please see our web-

site: http://www.kvcc.org.nz/page/Holiday Camps/

WE NEED YOUR	Name	Cell phone and email address
HELP PLEASE		
Help young students change in and out of costumes at the Dress rehearsal on Wednesday 27 ^{th.} ALL DAY		
Help young students change in and out of		
costumes at the Evening performance on Wednesday 27 th		
Help young students change in and out of		
costumes at the Matinee performance on Thursday 28 th		
Help young students change in and out of		
costumes at the Evening performance on Thursday 28th		
Car park wardens and security for each per-		
formance.		
Please tell us which performance you are		
available. You will walk around the carpark occasionally during performances and also		
direct traffic before the performances		
Supervise children upstairs in the hall before and after performances		
Helping sort and hang costumes <u>at the end of</u>		
each performance		
Choir supervision for the Evening performance on 27th. You will be sitting with choir.		
Choir supervision for the Matinee on 28th.		
Choir supervision for the Evening performance on 28 th .		
Coordinate suppers and afternoon tea		
– buy tea and coffee, paper cups etc.		
Set up, serve and tidy up from suppers and afternoon teas. Please tell us which performance you are available for.		
Team to clean toilets and auditorium between performances. NO cleaning is required at the end of the evening		
performance on the 28 th .		
Make-up co-ordinator – Work with Greta		
Mackie for ideas. Source make-up if necessary. (We have some make-up)		
Apply make-up for Dress rehearsal 27 th All DAY		
Apply make-up for the Evening performance on the 27th		
Apply make-up for the Matinee on the 28th		
Apply make-up for Evening performance on		
the 28th Style the hair of some of the performers.		
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If a DVD was made available would you		
buy one? These will sell at \$12 each. Please indicate here as we need to sell		
30 copies or we will be unable to have a		
DVD made available. Members of the audience are not allowed to video		
performances		
Photographer for Dress Rehearsal only. CD's		
of photos will be made available next term if we can get a photographer.		
BAKING – We are requesting that each family	supply some baking for the sup	pers. More information coming.
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VisionWest Foodbank stock their shelves!

Monday 4th to Friday 8th September

Bring in one the following items for us to donate to the VisionWest Foodbank to help struggling families in our community.



tinned fruit or tinned meat



packet of biscuits



toothbrush or toothpaste



Shampoo or conditioner



deodorant or Soap



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Let's help sion help others!

Friday 8th September

Come to school in mufti and bring a gold coin donation for us to give to VisionWest Community Trust to help struggling families in our community.



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