

COMING UP

- Fri 10 May, Swimming Y3-6
- Fri 10 May, 1:30pm, whole school Assembly with H7 in the College Auditorium
- Fri 10 May, Sausage Sizzle. \$2/sausage. Orders to outside Ako before school on Friday.
- Mon 13 - Thurs 16 May, Learning Partnership Meetings
- Mon 13 - Fri 17 May - Bully Free Week
- Tues 14 May, Welcome Whakataū at 10:40am for new families to the school
- Wed 15 May - Top Bike
- Thurs 16 May - Pink Shirt Day
- Fri 17 May - Swimming Y3-6
- Fri 17 May - School Disco

LEARNING PARTNERSHIP SESSIONS

We are holding Learning Partnership Sessions (Student Led Conferences) for the students next week from Monday 13 May to Thursday 16 May. Please make sure you check the details for your child's class online:

www.schoolinterviews.co.nz

The code is: **96m3s**

Make sure you get your learning partnership sessions times booked as soon as possible. Please contact class teachers if you are unable to make it in these times, to arrange another suitable time. Your attendance at these conferences is vitally important to your child's progress. Bookings will close each day at 12.30 pm.

BULLY FREE WEEK 13 MAY-17 MAY 2019

To acknowledge Bully Free Week New Zealand 2019 The Sticks 'n' Stones ambassadors at Cromwell Primary School are thrilled to inform you that we will be supporting Pink Shirt Day. At Cromwell Primary School the ambassadors have planned activities for Thursday 16th May to show our support and raise awareness that bullying is a big problem and everyone has a role to play in helping reduce it.

We are asking everyone to show their support by wearing pink on Thursday 16th May (gold coin donation). The Sticks 'n' Stones ambassadors from Cromwell Primary have been busy organising activities for all students at lunchtime. Activities will start at 1.45pm. Go to link for further information on tackling bullying: [Bullying Free NZ](#)

WEB STEPS - Available to your child.

Steps is an internationally recognised programme which is used in over 700 schools throughout New Zealand. Steps is a research based literacy programme. It is non age specific, which means anyone regardless of age and ability can be catered for.

Aims of the programme are to strengthen:

- letter/sound correspondence
- Processing skills with sounds and sound patterns
- Rapid whole word recognition
- Spelling accuracy

You can purchase Web Steps yourself online for your child at \$80. However, Learning Staircase who manage the Steps programme provide a less expensive option through your child's school. We can register your child for Web Steps at a cost of \$15.00 per student. Websteps allows students to access the programme on any device.

If you are keen for us to register your child through the school for Web Steps please email me - karenh@cromprimary.school.nz

Karen Huffadine, Learning Support Coordinator

BOARD OF TRUSTEE (BOT) ELECTIONS

Cromwell Primary School Board of Trustees' election. Nominations are invited for the election of 5 parent representatives to the board of trustees. A nomination form and a notice calling for nominations will be posted to all eligible voters. You can nominate another person to stand as a candidate, or you can nominate yourself. Both parts of the form must be signed. Additional nomination forms can be obtained from the school office. Nominations close at noon on 24 May 2019 and may be accompanied by a signed candidate statement and photograph. The voting roll is open for inspection at the school and can be viewed during normal school hours. There will also be a list of candidates' names, as they come to hand, for inspection at the school. Voting closes at noon on 7 June 2019. Tegan Wilson, Returning Officer

SCHOOL DISCO - School Disco - Circus Theme

Friday 17 May, prepay at school Friday 17 from 8:30am. \$3 per child or \$5 per family, \$1 lolly mixtures + \$1 & \$2 flashing toys. - Cromwell Sports Club, Barry Ave

Junior (Yr 0 - 3) 5:30pm to 6:30pm

Senior (Yr 4 - 6) 6:45pm to 8pm

No one will be allowed to leave without an adult, door sales available.

