

# Alfredton School

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## Newsletter ~ Tuesday, 12 February 2019

### UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATES

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| Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> February | Year 7 and 8 Technology       |
| Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> March     | Rural Schools Swimming Sports |
| Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> March    | Year 7 and 8 Technology       |
| Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> March   | Bush Swimming Sports          |
| Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> March    | Year 7 and 8 Technology       |
- Working Bee Date TBC, details to follow

### SCHOOL NEWS

#### Principals Award: Tamika Meehan

- **NEWLETTERS** Full newsletters in Weeks 2 & 8. All other weeks will be Key Dates to Remember, Sports Results and Awards. Remember we are changing over to emailing you your newsletters and updates from Week 4. You will also be able to find them on our school Facebook page and Website. If you still prefer to have a paper copy, please email Val at [office@alfredton.school.nz](mailto:office@alfredton.school.nz) to arrange this.
- **READING PROGRAMME** We are looking for interested people who would like to come into school and hear children read. This is purely so that specific students are getting extra reading mileage to add to the class and home reading they already do. At this stage, the time commitment to this would be no longer than an hour and a half. Each volunteer would be rostered to days that suit. Please contact the school if you are interested and what day suits you and we will then make up a roster. It would be great if you could contact the school by Monday the 18th of February.
- **BOOKCLUB** Issue 1 orders need to be back at school by Friday 15<sup>th</sup> February or you may order via the LOOP process. (For LOOP orders please use 'All Classes' not the class room name) All cheques need to be made out to Alfredton School (not Scholastic)

### SPORTS NEWS

#### Cricket

Eketahuna Tornados played Red Star, winning 121-64. **Jessica was Player of the Day.** Harry and Angus played for the Red Star Reds. Harry had to play for the other Red Star team as they were short. Harry got two people out.

#### Touch Rugby

Alfredton Tigers vs Pahiatua Tahi - lost 2-8. **Eden got Player of the Day.**  
Toki/Alf combined vs Pahiatua Red - The combined team won. **Tova got Player of the Day.**

### **Harriers - Masterton**

Hunter ran about 2km and he won!!!

### **Tinui Horse Sports**

**Kiera** got 4 firsts, 1 second and 1 third and a trophy: Champion Pony, First place rosette for best pony. Musical chairs point prize. She got 2 brushes and a hoof pick.

**Emma H** - 4th in Best Pony, 4th in bending, 2nd in mystery race, 2nd in musical chairs. Jumped 60-70 got into jump-off and 80-90.

**Olivia** - 1st, 2nd 3rd in games, 2nd in one flat class, 2 1st's in little pony jump and big pony jump.

**Grace** - 1st in musical chair, 2nd in games, 3 4th's and 1 1st and 1 2nd.

**Farryn** - 3rd in bending, 3rd in Best Pony.

### **Tennis Club**

Simone and Gemma went to Masterton Tennis club. Did relays and a variety of tennis skills. They also played a game called 'Tennis Cricket'.

Maddie and Kiera went on a Blue Range hut tramp.

## **BOT UPDATE**

**Next Meeting: Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> February 6:00pm**

## **ASCA**

Next Meeting: Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> February, 7pm in the Senior Room.

Everybody Welcome. Any agenda items to Jane Johnston.

## **COMMUNITY NEWS**

### **Alfredton Horse Sports Working Bee.**

Wednesday 20th February 2019 from 3pm

All help appreciated.

Any question please phone Kathryn Kennedy 06 3750577

### **ALFREDTON DISTRICT HORSE SPORTS CLUB**

### **Annual Sports Meeting**

Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2019, Commencing 8:30am

Secretary: Mrs Kathryn Percy, (06) 375 0577, Email : [salty.kathryn@xtra.co.nz](mailto:salty.kathryn@xtra.co.nz)



## Eketahuna Kerbside & Alfredton Rubbish Collection



Unfortunately, due to new Transfer Station cost we will be increasing our Rubbish stickers cost to \$4.50 per sticker as of the 1<sup>st</sup> March 2019

Please remember that you can always cut a sticker in half if you only have a half bag of Rubbish

Alfredton Bags at drop off point **MUST** have a sticker  
*(or you could be fined by Tararua District Council)*

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