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## Alfredton School

*Inspiring learning for a lifetime ~ Little acorns to mighty oaks*

**Newsletter ~ Wednesday, 4 September 2024**

**Tohaina ō painga ki tea o  
Share your gifts with the world**

Kia ora,

Congratulations to Kade Mitchell who won our school Speech Contest. Kade's speech topic is 'Why wool is better than polyester'. He will be representing Alfredton at the Bush (Pahiatua Lions) Speech Contest tonight.

Welcome to Octavia Couling who has joined Tui Class.



Our Year 7's had a fun day at Pongaroa School on Monday meeting up with the Year 7 and 8 students from other rural schools. Next term we will hold an event at Alfredton in conjunction with Wairarapa REAP.

Over the past two days Chris from Zero Waste has been in school working with all our children on a unit about Reusing materials. Ask your child what they have been making and what they have learned.

The Year 7 / 8 formal dance practice will be held on Friday 20th in the morning at the stadium. Rachael will accompany the Y7's to the practice.

We will be holding an information session at 2.15pm on Thursday 12th September in Huia room about the KiVa program which we are introducing next term. There will be further information in next week's newsletter. All whanau are encouraged to come and find out more about this program.

The next Board meeting will be on Monday 9th September at 4pm. If you would like to come to a meeting and see what happens you will be most welcome.

Have a fantastic week.

Nga mihi nui  
Alison

## Dates for your diary

4th September Bush Speech Competition

12th September 2.15pm KiVa program information session

13th September Y5 to 8 Maths Quiz

20th September Y7 Formal Dance Practice 9.30- 12 (Stadium, Pahiatua)

26th September Y7/8 Formal Dance (Stadium, Pahiatua)

16th October School Photographs

22nd October EPRO8

23rd October Pets Day

This information can also be found on our school website.

## Schooldocs

Alfredton School Policies and Procedures

<https://alfredton.schooldocs.co.nz>

Username: alfredton

Password: mighty

Kids art works orders are due in on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> September - they will be coming home with the children and there is an order form at the end of the newsletter.

## Readers of the Week



## Classroom Awards



## Principal Award



## Daffodil Day



## ASCA

**Quiz Night** - Saturday 14th September - get your teams in for our community quiz night. If we don't have enough teams registered by Friday we may have to cancel so please contact Ginny 021 257 3164 / [ginyandreuben@gmail.com](mailto:ginyandreuben@gmail.com) to register your teams.

Alfredton School and Community Association

# Quiz Night

Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> September 6.30pm  
\$10 per Person (teams of up to 6)  
BYO – Light supper provided  
Please register your team with Ginny on 021 257 3164 or  
[ginyandreuben@gmail.com](mailto:ginyandreuben@gmail.com)  
before 10<sup>th</sup> September  
Team Money deposited into  
ASCA 01-0723-0284860-00 ref team organiser/name

# ASCA BAKING Raffle

1st Prize Winner:

**Tomas Maggio**

2nd Prize Winner:

**Xela King**

Most tickets sold:

**The Mitchell Family**

A huge congratulations to our winners and a massive thank you to all for your support!

## Community News



Taranua College welcomes new enrolments for our 2025 year. Applications need to be submitted by the 20<sup>th</sup> September 2024.

Use this link if to enrol online <http://tararuacollege.nz/enrolments/>  
or our website link: <http://www.tararuacollege.school.nz>)

Please contact the college office on 06 376 8344 ext 600 or email [admin@tc.school.nz](mailto:admin@tc.school.nz) if you have any queries.

**FROM THE EAST TO THE WEST, FARMER-LED CATCHMENT GROUPS HAVE JOINED FORCES AND ARE ON A MISSION TO ENHANCE AND PROTECT OUR WATERWAYS**

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Manaaki whenua | Awa ora | Tāngata ora | Hapori ora  
care of the land | healthy river | healthy people | thriving communities

**BUSH DISRICTS BOYS & GIRLS AGRICULTURAL CLUB**

To all Schools

I would like to extend a warm welcome to everyone to come along to our Bush Agricultural Day to be held at Mangamaire Hall on **Thursday 14th November 2024**.

We are well sponsored for this day, and so have many prizes to give away to all the children that attend, enough for every child. Each child is also given a Chocolate bar and flavored milk and will receive a ribbon of one kind or another.

The children all have a wonderful time, even if the weather is not on our side.

We have lots of ribbons, with many classes, Champion and Reserve Champion for each age group. We hope this will put more smiles on the children's faces that receive these.

We have the usual sections:

- |               |                      |              |                         |
|---------------|----------------------|--------------|-------------------------|
| <i>Calves</i> | - Care & Attention   | <i>Lambs</i> | - Best Pet              |
|               | - Type               |              | - Blackface             |
|               | - Leading            |              | - Romney                |
|               | - Best Friesian      |              | - Other long wool breed |
|               | - Best Jersey        |              |                         |
|               | - Best Other Breeds  |              | - Best White Face       |
|               | - Best Crossbred     |              | Short Wool              |
|               | - Best Beef          |              | - Best Export           |
|               | - School Groups of 3 |              | - School Group of 3     |

We will have a Sausage Sizzle available on the day, which we sell with a bag of chippies and a drink

We also run a Raffle which prizes are donated from our many wonderful sponsors'

I hope to see as many of you as possible. Please come and enjoy this wonderful day.

Yours truly,

Hazel Schroder





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25 September 2024



Solway Showgrounds, Masterton  
Year 1-13, all abilities welcome

More information available online @ [www.main-events.com](http://www.main-events.com)

## Eketāhuna

Library

every 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Thursday

10:30—11:00am

### Term 3 2024

25/07 – Winter

08/08 – Farm animals

22/08 – Trains

05/09 – Books

19/09 – Magic

Little Ears Storytime for  
preschoolers





# Turning your Child's Picture into unique products!



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### Diaries

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### Mouse Mats

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### Sketch Pads

Front cover features your Child's Artwork. Wire bound with 50 x A5 sized pages of blank art paper. Protected with plastic covers front and back.

Orders to be returned by:

**Friday, 20th September**

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Fill out one form per child)

Room: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

	Calendars	Cards	Diaries	Mouse Mats	Sketch Pads	Total of each Row
	\$ 14.00	\$ 14.00	\$ 15.00	\$ 15.00	\$ 14.00	
How many items are to be made from this Student's Art?						
Total	\$ .	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$

### Payment Instructions:

Please make payment when this form is returned

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