

FIS NEWS



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Kindness

FIS has a graduate profile that identifies characteristics we would like all students to develop during their time with us and beyond. This term's focus is on being kind- Ngākau Aroha. I walked past the front gate before school and saw Maxim holding the gate open for people to walk through. I commented that he could be there for a while. Maxim's reply was, "It's worth it for all the people that say thank you." I thought this was a great example of kindness and how good it makes people feel when we say a simple thank you for what they have done. Well done Maxim!



Supersport Volleyball

Two teams attended the Supersport competition held in Levin on Wednesday 26th May. Both teams played well together and had a great day, with one of the teams managing a 4th placing. Well done to all students involved.





Upcoming Events:

Visit the school's website and click on the 'events' tab to see all upcoming events

- Queen's Birthday (school closed) - Monday 7th June
- Interschool Crosscountry- Tuesday 8th June
- Supersport Netball - Friday 25th June
- Supersport Basketball - Wednesday 7th June
- Last day of term- Friday 9th July

Netball

The netball season is well under way and teams are settling into their games well. Despite some very average weather, the students have given their all and represented FIS well. Supersport Netball is coming up and will be a great opportunity for the selected students to compete against some other very good teams. We wish them well and know they'll represent us with pride.



Canoe Polo

Canoe polo is held every Thursday evening at Makino and Freyberg pools. FIS has 3 teams entered in the competition (Pirates, Man Overboard, Buccaneers). We are 3 weeks into the season and the students are developing great skills on the water, excellent team work and are being very competitive. We look forward to seeing the teams continuing to develop as the season goes on.



Master Chef

Over the past few weeks in food tech classes, students have been learning the art of planning, cooking and presenting meals. Two groups from each Pou were selected to enter into the FIS master chef competition. Students showed a lot of flare and creativity and made the judge's job difficult. The winners will be announced during the next whole school assembly.

Show Quest

Rehearsals are well underway and the event is less than 3 weeks away. Matua Henry, Whaea Dani and the students have been working hard to put together an item they can all be proud of. There is a feeling of excitement and energy during the rehearsals. The students are really looking forward to getting up on stage to perform their item.



Supersport Hockey

With the rain clouds threatening overhead, our Supersport hockey teams set off to try and bring back the banners to Feilding Intermediate. The girls first game was against a strong PNINS team. Unfortunately, we went down 4 nil. Our second game against Ross Intermediate was close. After fighting back from 3-1 down to 3-3, we conceded a goal in the dying seconds--going down 4-3. We managed a draw with Levin Intermediate and beat St Peters 3-1. As a result, we played off for third and fourth and managed to take that game out 3-2, ending the tournament in third place.

The boys' team were up against some tough competition. In the first game against PNINS, they put in a good showing. Unfortunately, a couple of late goals meant that PNINS won the game 5-0. The second and third games were closer but still ended in heartbreaking losses. We did manage a win against Levin. In the end, the boys played off for 5th and 6th and ended up in 6th place.

Well done to all of those students involved.

Mr King

Teacher Only Day- Maths P.D

The teacher only day, which took place on the 4th of June, focused on enhancing student engagement in Maths. FIS was joined by Lytton Street School, Roslyn School, Queen Elizabeth College, Ruapehu College, Taranaki Mathematics Association, Turitea School, Glen Oroua, Huntly School, Manchester Street School, Massey University, Mataroa School, RTLBs and teacher aids. The day started with keynote speaker Dr Naomi Ingram, a senior lecturer at Otago University who specialises in primary and secondary maths. We then moved into a range of hands on workshops. Attendees came away with a raft of practical ideas that will help them to further engage students in Mathematics

