

COBDEN SCHOOL

Newsletter 30 May 2024



Kia ora tātou,

As we approach the midpoint of the term, our school is buzzing with a variety of exciting activities and events! We are thrilled to announce that Book Week is scheduled for Week 7, and we have a host of engaging activities planned for our students. Keep an eye out for the upcoming note detailing all the fun and educational events we have in store.

Additionally, we are excited to unveil our new website, which serves as a one-stop shop for all the latest information. From event calendars to important announcements, everything you need is now just a click away. You can view it at www.cobden.school.nz. Be sure to visit regularly to stay updated on all school happenings.

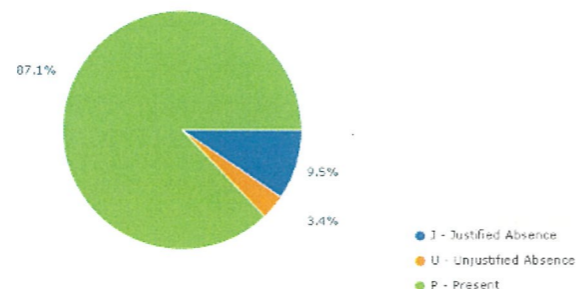
With the new health guidelines released, I have uploaded the link to our Facebook page and Skool Loop. These resources will help you decide when it is okay to send your child to school, when you should keep them at home, and when you should contact a health professional for advice. Knowing if your child is well enough to attend school is crucial for their well-being. Going to school every day is important for all school-aged tamariki. It helps build their confidence and social skills, and enables them to achieve their educational and life ambitions.

Thank you for your continued support and involvement in our school community.

Ngā mihi,
Noula Markham
Principal

Why do kids need to be at School?
It's good to be at school for your learning. If you are very sick you can stay home.

Alice MM1



Important Dates 2024 - Also on the Skool Loop Events tab

Term 2

Friday 31st May

Monday 3rd June

Thursday 6th June

Monday 10th June

Friday 14th June

Thursday 20th June

Friday 21st June

Tuesday 25th June

Friday 28th June

Monday 1st July

Tuesday 2nd July

Wednesday 3rd July

Thursday 4th July

Friday 5th July

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Term 3

Monday 22nd July

Friday 26th July

Teacher Only Day - School Closed for instruction.

King's Birthday - Public Holiday - School Closed.

2.15pm Assembly in the Hall - School Shop open from 1.45pm

Book Week

Gold Coin Mufti Day for St Johns Ambulance

2.15pm Assembly in the Hall - School Shop open from 1.45pm

Gold Coin Wear Yellow for Harold - Life Education Mufti Day

Cobden School Board Meeting - 5.30pm Staffroom

Matariki - Public Holiday - School Closed.

2pm Early Closure - 3 Way Learning Conferences

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Gold Coin Mufti Day - Red Nose Day for Child Cancer

Last Day of Term 2

First Day of Term 3

Gold Coin Mufti Day for the Greymouth SPCA

Disclaimer: Dates and Times are correct at the time of printing but are subject to change.



PB4L - Positive Behaviour for Learning

Caring, Co-operation, Communication

This term's focus - Korero Mai Communication

This term, our focus is on empathy—understanding the emotions of others and engaging with them compassionately through thoughtful words and actions.

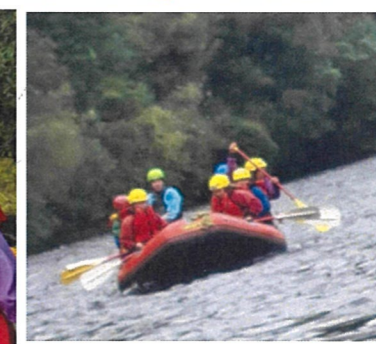
Values Card Winners:

Term 2	Week 3	Amiyah & Shailee
	Week 4	Kenzie & Malachi

Did you know that people who read books with strong characters show a greater increase in their ability to understand and share others' feelings? This is a great reason to promote empathy through reading as we head towards book week in Week 7.



Thank you for supporting the Anti Bullying Pink Shirt Day appeal. We raised \$102.60 for the Mental Health Foundation.



Kowhai Rafting trip on the Arnold River today!

Thank you to Tai Poutini Polytechnic for taking our students on this wonderful adventure.



Basketball:

Congratulations to the Cobden Cobras who won their game 28 - 14 on Monday night.

Congratulations to Ruby for getting the player of the day.

Thank you to coaches Anita and Cheyney for such wonderful support.



COBDEN PLAYGROUP

Ages 0-6

Fun Activities for kids

Great resources - Connection & Friendship - Qualified Staff



- Tuesday & Thursday (term time only)
- 9:30am - 12pm
- Cobden School, 53 Fox St, Cobden
- Free Kai

Cost: FREE
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