



Emmanuel Christian School

OUR VISION: "A thriving Bible-based learning communi-

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FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents, The Rugby world cup is only a week or so away, for many the tension will be building and interest growing through out the country and indeed many parts of the rest of the world. As part of our Social Science curriculum we are looking at a study on the Rugby World cup. The resource we are using which has been distributed nationally, has been written by Lois Hawthorn a Curriculum advisor from the University of Canterbury, incidentally Lois is also supporting our school on curriculum development. The Unit of work explores six themes which can be explored within the context of the study. If you would like to know more about the Unit of work it



can be viewed and downloaded from the Ministry of Education's Website www.minedu.govt.nz or equally pop into your child's class and have a look, chat



with your child's teacher and see what is happening.

IMPORTANT DATES

Term 3

07-09 Sept	Year 7 & 8 camp (Living Springs)
12-15 Sept	Swimming—Jellie Park (week 7)
19-22 Sept	Swimming—Jellie Park (week 8)
30th Sept	Talent Quest
07th Oct	Last day of term

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ASSEMBLY: KEY COMPETENCY- RELATING TO OTHERS

"Don't grumble about each other , brothers. Are you yourselves above criticism? For see! The great judge is coming. He is almost here. James 5.v9

This week we continue to explore the life of Joseph, his life in Egypt, his imprisonment, release and interpretation of dreams.

The Book of Genesis tells how Joseph was the eleventh of Jacob's twelve sons. Joseph was sold into slavery by his jealous brothers, yet rose to become the most powerful man in Egypt next to Pharaoh. When famine struck the land he brought the sons of Israel down to Egypt, where they were settled in the Land of Goshen..... The story continues...

The warden put Joseph in charge of the other prisoners, and soon afterward Pharaoh's chief cup bearer and chief baker, who had offended the Pharaoh, were thrown into the prison. One morning they both told Joseph their dreams of the previous night, which they were unable to interpret, and Joseph told them that the chief cup bearer would be reinstated within



Joseph interpreting the dreams of the baker and the butler, by Benjamin Cuypp, ca. 1630.

three days but that the chief baker would be hanged. Joseph requested the cup bearer to mention him to Pharaoh and secure his release from prison, but the cup bearer, reinstated in office, forgot Joseph. After Joseph was in prison for two more years, Pharaoh had two dreams which disturbed him. He dreamt of seven lean cows which rose out of the river and devoured seven fat cows; and, of seven withered ears of grain which devoured seven fat ears. Pharaoh's wise men were unable to interpret these dreams, but the chief cup bearer remembered Joseph and spoke of his skill to Pharaoh. Joseph was called for, and interpreted the dreams as foretelling that seven years of abundance would be followed by seven years of famine, and advised Pharaoh to store surplus grain during the years of abundance...

... And so the story of Joseph continues..

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SPORTS DRAWS AND RESULTS



Sports results for Friday 26th August

Sport	Team	Vs	Result
Netball	Y 7 & 8		Bye
	Y 5 & 6		Lost 18/4
Soccer			Lost 9-0

Sports results for Friday 2nd Sept

Sport	Team	Vs	Result
Netball	Y 7 & 8	Riccarton	Ct 38
	Y 5 & 6		Bye
Soccer			Bye



Junior Netballers years 5/6, Friday competition
Hagley Park, 26th August.

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NOTICES / ADVERTISEMENTS

ENROLMENTS

LIMITED SPACES AVAILABLE IN 2012

If you are aware of any parents looking for a quality Christian education, please remind them we have limited places available for the 2012 school year. To date we have received a number of pre-enrolments and have a small number of places available in other year levels.

Prospective Parents / Students should make contact with the school office in the first instance.

OVERDUE LIBRARY BOOKS

We currently have 49 books overdue. Please help your children find the books and return these to school as soon as possible. A book classed "Transport by design" was issued to a room 4 girl last term and cannot be located. Please everyone check your shelves, under the bed, the school bag. There is a blue bin just inside the library door for returns. All our books are stamped "Emmanuel Christian School" inside the covers

PRAYER

Group meetings on Mondays & Friday mornings at 8.50am in the library to pray for our school & families. Please do join us to pray. There is a pray book at the front office counter where you can write your requests and know that in confidence these will be held up before our loving God.

SCHOOL—SWIMMING

During week 7 and 8 (12th-22nd September) our children will be travelling by bus to and from Jellie Park for swimming. The swimming is taken by qualified instructors in the heated pool and supervised by attending teachers. The cost is \$20 per child (the rest is subsidised by the school) and will be charged to your school account automatically.

Children will travel to the pool in school uniform, change at the pools, swim then change back into uniform on completion of the lesson. Children will need to bring;

- A Towel, drink bottle, goggles, togs (Girls a one piece swimming suit please), if all you have is a bikini then a T-shirt over is to be worn. Boys should avoid wearing large baggy beach shorts.

CAR POOL—TO SCHOOL

Does anyone live near town/city, I am looking to car pool if anyone is interested. Please telephone Trudi 027 78195384

ROOM 6 (Year 7&8) —NOTICE

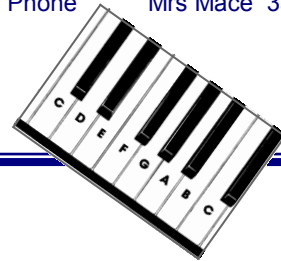
Our names are Jeremy, William, Rhemard and Jack from Room 6. We are fundraising for our Self Directed Learning inquiry this term. We are attempting to build a bicycle-powered generator. For the next 2 weeks, we will be having a sausage sizzle at lunch time on Tuesdays.

Sausages will be \$1.50 each, and all the profit goes toward buying the materials we need to complete the project.

VACANCIES

KEYBOARD LESSON

Now available. Rooms 4-7 Fridays
at Emanuel Christian School
Phone Mrs Mace 3541949



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New signage for the school gate. Over the next wee while we will be adding signage to the school and raising our profile in the community.

TALENT QUEST: This year the talent quest will be held during assembly time on Friday 30th September. Heats will be held prior to this, so start planning and practising now. Please note that all lyrics of songs used will need to be appropriate for our Special Character. Copies of lyrics will need to be given to Mrs Hawke prior to heats.

SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS

— A reminder that Photograph orders and money need to be handed into the school office by 3pm, Tuesday 6th September. Thank you.



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STUDENT SUCCESS—ASSEMBLY AWARDS



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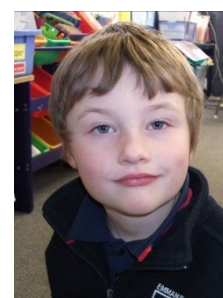
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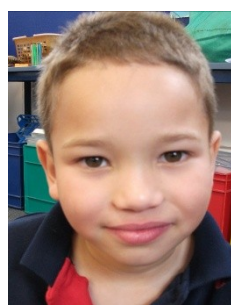
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1	Grace B	Room 7	A clear, informative well presented science project
2	Rose S	Room 6	Hardwork and improvement in mathematics
3	Bryony W	Room 5	Being a good citizen
4	Jesse J	Room 5	Showing persistence in learning new skills
5	Adam K	Room 4	For great thinking in class discussions
6	Malachi S	Room 4	For amazing work in basic mathematical facts
7	Noah L	Room 3	Completing his reading programme
8	Charlotte H	Room 3	Art—organising an effective landscape
9	Jessika M	Room 1	Writing independently
10	Caleb N	Room 2	For doing more writing by yourself this week
11	Connor F	Room 2	For a big improvement in writing and for working well at your desk
12	John-Luke L	Room 7	A clear, informative well presented science project
13	Andre S	Room 1	For helping others when he is the new boy on the block
14	Corbyn B	Room 6	Excellent self directed learning