



Newsletter
15 April 2021

Dear Parents

This newsletter contains information on the following topics:

- **Uniform**
- **University of Canterbury Parking**
- **Roadworks - Ilam Road**
- **Dental Care during the school holidays**

Uniform

If you are coming into the school grounds tomorrow, please take a moment to check out our lost property bin, outside the brick boiler room near Room 4. A **second hand uniform sale** will be held on the first Friday of Term 2, 7th May 8:30am - 9:00am in the Science & Technology Room. CASH SALES ONLY.

Speaking of uniform, the correct uniform for the winter terms is listed below. I respectfully ask that you support me by ensuring your children wear the school's correct uniform during the winter terms. A reminder that our uniform can be purchased from Mainland Uniforms, 376 Ilam Road and The Warehouse, Blenheim Road.

Boys:

- Navy blue shorts or navy blue school track pants
- Navy blue long socks
- Royal blue school polo shirt
- Royal blue school sweatshirt
- Royal blue polar fleece jacket
- School jacket

Girls:

- Douglas tartan woollen/polyester pinafore with pleated kilt front skirt
- Douglas tartan woollen/polyester culottes
- Navy blue school track pants
- Royal blue cardigan, royal blue school sweatshirt or polar fleece
- School jacket
- Navy tights or navy/white socks

The following items may ***NOT*** be worn: long-sleeved polypropylene undergarments; leggings in any colour. If children wish to wear polypropylene or other thermal garments, they must be worn under their clothes, out of sight. Please ensure all items are named.

University of Canterbury Parking - Available

Due to ongoing roadworks on Ilam Road, parking can be a big issue for some families. The University of Canterbury continues to offer Ilam families the privilege of using the UCSA car park during school drop off and pick up times. Parents can park their car in the UCSA carpark, walk their children to the Ilam School gate and return to their parked vehicle and drive off.

Roadworks on Ilam Road

From Monday 19th April for approximately five weeks, Ilam Road will be one way southbound between Riccarton Rd and Rudleigh Ave. Access from Rudleigh Ave onto Ilam Road will be unaffected. Please be on the lookout for changes to the traffic management and follow the signs. On-street parking will be temporarily removed as part of this work but will reinstate any available parking as soon as possible. Fulton Hogan staff on site can also assist with any queries.

Dental Care during the School Holidays

The Community Dental Service will be providing dental care for children enrolled with our service during the upcoming school holidays. The clinics will offer check-ups, treatment and relief of pain sessions by appointment only. To make an appointment please call/email 0800 846 983 or email commdental@cdhb.health.nz

Finally, I would like to thank you for your support of the school this term. I know the children and staff are looking forward to a well deserved break. I look forward to seeing you again on Monday 3rd May.

Noho ora mai (All the best)

Paul Dolan
Principal