

# News from the PTA

Beginning in Term 3, the PTA are going to host/support two regular get togethers for families in our school community.

## 1. Monthly 'Drop in' mornings in the Library

- A comfortable and relaxed environment for all parents/caregivers to take some time to get together for a natter with each other.
- We will also be extending invites to new/prospective families who may not have established relationships at school yet and are looking to get to know others in our community.
- Tea/coffee and a wee nibble to eat will be provided.

## 2. Once a term 'Sunday Afternoon Family Sesh' at CBK

- Ideal as a family affair and for those who may not have the time to stop and chat during school hours but are also looking for an opportunity to meet other families in school.
- We will also extend this to new/prospective families who have already engaged with the school.
- With the CBK school fundraising offer, we anticipate that this will also help with our fundraising efforts.

In keeping with the PTA's ethos, we want to encourage an environment of community and believe these initiatives will be a gateway for that. We are interested to hear from you if either of these initiatives are something you are keen to help support/facilitate. Let us know and Kristy and Nic will work alongside you to make it happen.

## In other news.....

- Fundraising for Term 2 has brought in just over \$1,300. Thank you to everyone who has contributed toward our efforts, a little goes a long way and we appreciate it.
- Wondering what to do with the family for school holidays? Don't forget the **Entertainment Book** has some wonderful deals for eating out, movies and activities all around NZ. They are currently running a free upgrade to multi city for the price of a single and some amazing prizes. To purchase a book, see the link on the PTA Facebook page or email the PTA.
- If you are looking a little closer to home, **CBK** will donate 10% of your bill to the schools fundraising efforts if you mention you are from Clarkville. Family friendly and delicious meals.
- Make sure you check the lost property this week to find your children's things that may have been lost. <https://www.preciouslabels.co.nz/current-fundraisers/> is a great way to make sure those precious items remain found... not lost. 😊

Happy Holidays everyone. See you in Term 3!!!