

Horizons Programmes - on in Term 2... Extending horizons and developing confident, creative, collaborative learners through our dynamic technology based programmes

MUSIC COMPOSITION USING SIBELIUS- Introduction (Tuesdays 12 May-9 June, 11-12.30pm, SLC, Yr 6-8, OPEN) Students will learn the basics of using the composition software; Sibelius, so that they can begin to write and print their own original music sheets. The ability to read music is desirable.

Cost: \$45 per student

SUSTAINABILITY (Tuesdays 5 May-30 June, 9-10.30am, SLC, Yr 7-8, GATE)

Students will be involved in a 6-8 week programme that looks at an aspect of sustainability in New Zealand.

Cost: \$55 per student

E-COACH (Fridays 1 May-12 June, 9-10.30am, SLC Yr 6-8 and WLC Yr 5-6, OPEN)

Students will be up skilled in the use of various software and media tools. However the real focus of this course is learning how to transfer these skills to other students on their return to school as a trained "e-coach".

Cost: \$28 per student

LITERACY EXTENSION- Performance Poetry (Thursdays 28 May-2 July, 9-10.30am, Yr 6-7, GATE)

Professional's from the School for Young Writers will lead sessions on writing poetry for performance. A video conference will be held with noted performance poets from other cities so that students can see poetry in action. Once students have penned a masterpiece, they will share their work in an online performance and enter it into the Library week poetry competition.

Cost: \$45 per student

SHARE THE STORY OF MATARIKI (Class sessions - Bookings June and early July)

Available for free in the computer Lab. We will explore themes and kōrero relevant to Matariki utilising Library resources and technologies. There will be Junior and Senior activities.

Cost: Free

Be in quick to secure places for your students.

Book now by phoning or emailing Ainslee on 9415140 or ainslee.stewart@ccc.govt.nz

Horizons Preview - Term 1

Literacy Extension - "In the news"

Budding Journalists attending Literacy Extension - "In the news" at South Learning Centre this term have already visited the newspaper professionals at The Press. They have been learning all about newspaper terminology to get ready to plan, develop and produce their very own online newspaper!



Christchurch City Libraries turn 150

this year and a team of young entrepreneurs from Mt Pleasant, Cashmere and Parkview Schools have joined together at South and Waitaiki Learning Centres to complete a very important project as part of the Kids in Enterprise Horizons class.

Their mission is to design and develop a real product to be used to help Christchurch City Libraries celebrate their 150th Birthday.

The team of young entrepreneurs have a budget of \$2,000 and will research, design and construct an item to be used as a promotional keepsake for the Christchurch City Libraries. Each group will present their designs, products and costs to the Christchurch City Libraries 150th Coordinator, Cate Broughton for judging at the end of the term.



Connect Programmes - Term 2

Develop life long learning habits for the digital age and connect with the community at a community library, through a series of technology tasters

MUSIC TO MY EARS

These days it is rare to hear the words “Shhhh this is a Library!” Today’s libraries are vibrant places with listening posts, CD’s, tapes and many books on music. You can also discover music online and experiment with making your own music using Super Dooper Music Looper software in the Learning Centre.

INFORMATION LITERACY - Beyond Google

Finding information is easy when you have the right skills. The Learning Centre can provide help with lessons on search words, using search engines and how to use book marking sites such as del.ici.ous.

Connect courses are one off, FREE, 90 minute sessions. Bookings will be taken on a first come first served basis. Further lessons on each theme can be developed in negotiation with Learning Centre staff, user pays basis.

April School Holidays

Keep an eye out for the April School Holiday Programmes brochure!

For children and teens aged 5 to 15 years - from 2 hour sessions to full day courses.

Stylish Stickers, Design a Bookmark Competition, Mad Ads, Treasure Island Chase, An Introduction to Photography, Wicked Web Cams, Wordle T-shirt Design and much more.

Copies of the brochure will be available in your local library and on our website <http://learningcentre.christchurch.org.nz> in the coming weeks.

