



Thursday 13 June, 2019

Dear Parent/Guardian

Your child has been selected to represent Methven School as part of one of our two Year 5 and 6 EPro8 Challenge teams.

The EPro8 Challenge is the interschool science and engineering competition. It is designed to give students a fun and rewarding introduction to science and engineering. At each event teams will compete with other schools in our area to try and finish a variety of interesting science and engineering based challenges.

The event your child will be taking part in is at **Ashburton Intermediate School** on **Thursday 4th July** from 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm (children will arrive back at school after school hours and therefore will need to be collected at around 4:30pm).

This is one of a series of events around the Canterbury region, with the top teams from each event qualifying for a semi-final and then the grand final.

The cost of entry is \$30 per student, however Methven Primary will subsidise \$20 per student. Therefore, the cost is \$10 per student. We will need to transport students to Ashburton – leaving Methven at 12:15pm and returning at 4:30pm. Please indicate below if you are able to provide transport.

We are asking for...

- 2x or more parents to transport students to and from the event.
- 1x parent to transport the children to and from the event as well as attend the day as a supervisor.

Parents are also welcome to attend the event. The events are fun to watch and it is interesting watching the children try and solve problems.

Further details of the events are at www.epro8challenge.co.nz

Please complete and return the following if you are happy for your child to attend.

Kind regards,

Milly Deans mdeans@methven.school.nz

EPro8 Challenge at Ashburton Intermediate – Thursday 4th July from 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm.

_____ has permission to attend the EPro8 Challenge at **Ashburton Intermediate School**.

Parent Name: _____ Signed: _____ Ph: _____

Medical Details: _____ Medication (if required): _____

I am willing to attend this day (provide transport and supervise the group of 8 children). My vehicle has a current warrant and registration and suitable seat belts for _____ students.

I can transport _____ students wearing seat belts, in a vehicle that has a current warrant and registration. I **will not** attend the session.