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School Community Newsletter



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TIRAU PRIMARY SCHOOL

Te Kura o Tirau

“What ever is worth doing, is worth doing well.”

Thursday 26th October - Week 2 Term 4 2017

Important Dates:

- 27th October** Last day for calendar orders
- 2nd November** 7pm Production – NO door sales
- 7th November** Dental fluoride visit
- 14th & 15th November** School athletics days

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Tena koutou i te whanau, Tenei he panui kia koutou
Nau Mai, Haere Mai!

Welcome to Tirau Primary

We would like to take this opportunity to welcome the following students and their families to Tirau Primary.
Adrian (Ruma Kereru) Aaron (Ruma Tui)
Izy (Ruma Tui) Khloè (Ruma Kiwi) Alyssa (Ruma Pukeko) Jordan (Ruma Kakapo)
Aaliyah (Ruma Pukeko) Dylan (Ruma Kiwi)

UPDATE ABOUT SIOBHAN

It was lovely to see Siobhan visit on AG day last week. Siobhan is working hard on her rehabilitation and is pleased with the progress she is making. It is lovely to see her improving each week.

LEARNING AT TIRAU SCHOOL

All classes have been working hard perfecting their production item. We start our full school practices next week. The children are both excited and nervous! We are on the count down to the big day now!

Reading Logs have been our regular homework over the year. Lots of children have been reading regularly and gaining their reading certificates. I have seen a lot of very full reading logs – well done! At the end of the term we will be able to see who completed the most reading over the year, from each class. Keep up the reading everyone!

Writing has been our schoolwide professional development for teachers this year. I have lead our teachers through the writing process and how to deliver a quality writing programme. Staff have worked hard to gather resources, learn techniques and deliver exciting child-centered writing. I was privileged to share this professional development with the B.O.T this week. The Board members were grateful for the work teachers had put into this curriculum area and are looking forward to seeing the continued benefits from this learning through into next year.

CALENDAR ART

Tomorrow is the last day to place orders. I hope you have come to view your child's art in the office and placed an order. We would hate for you to miss out. They make great Christmas presents for family.

PRODUCTION

Classes are well on the way to finalising their costumes and items. Please have your child's costume at school (in a named plastic bag) on Monday 30th October, to be checked by your class teacher. The costumes will be returned to you on Wednesday 1st November. On Thursday, the school will travel by bus to The Plaza for a rehearsal. We will return to school by 3pm. Just a reminder, that there is NO door sales on the night. Tickets can still be brought from the office \$5 per seat. A separate notice will go home next week with details for Thursday evening.

SUN HATS

All children are now to have a wide brimmed hat at school. We NO LONGER sell hats from the office. Please ensure your child's name is clearly marked on their hat. Children without hats are asked to play under a tree until they get one.

SKIRT HANGERS

Our literacy big books are being rehoused and we require these hangers to hang the books on. If you have any spare, please drop them off to your child's teacher. This would be gratefully appreciated.

FLUORIDE TREATMENT

The dental team will be visiting our school to apply fluoride treatment to all of the children on Tuesday November 7th.

NEW PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT

Yesterday we were very pleased to see a team of men starting to install two new pieces of play equipment. The area the men are working in will be out of bounds until the installation is complete; we are hoping this will only take a couple of days. The children will be very pleased and excited when they see what it is. So, watch this space!

PTA Christmas Baskets

This will be the last PTA fundraiser for the year. The PTA would like to ask parents for donations for our Christmas Baskets. Chocolates, vouchers, toys, beauty products, etc... We will be drawing out the winners of the Christmas Baskets on Friday December 8th. Children will bring raffle books home soon to sell and money can be returned to the office.

VALUES AWARDS and STUDENTS OF THE WEEK – 29th September 2017

Ruma Tui	Isy	For an amazing first week in Ruma Tui. You rock Isy!	Jack	For: being a Word Smart kid who can write amazing stories and read with ease at his level.
Ruma Kiwi	Logan H	Reading at home every night and in the classroom. As a result, he has increased two reading levels this term so far. Well done.	Elsa	Being actively involved in her learning by asking questions about poems, to understand how and why they are different from other forms of writing.
Ruma Kākāpō	Arnaka	For Your hard work to be a team player and help others with their learning.	Rylan	For: Always offering a helping hand and completing his work to a high standard
Ruma Pukeko	Dylan H	For completing his publishing 'Busting' writing and a colourful koru art.	Natalia	For: making a huge effort with her mathematics learning and improving her basic facts.
Ruma Keruru	Cooper	For always being a diligent learner in class and presenting work to a high standard.	Jessica	For Working on your values this week and trying really hard to complete tasks.
Ruru Award: Tanayah For always saying hello and being positive and bubbly in the playground.				

VALUES AWARDS and STUDENTS OF THE WEEK – 27th October 2017

Ruma Tui	Daniel	For his calm and consistent approach to learning and his ability to enquire into that learning.	Kadin	For being a focused learner who is striving to learn new things at any given opportunity.
Ruma Kiwi	Marley	For settling into Ruma Kiwi so confidently. You always come to school with a smile on your face ready to learn.	Amber	For always taking responsibility for your learning. You work hard in class and always strive to do your best.
Ruma Kākāpō	Lilah	For always being responsible, cheerful, friendly and helpful in Ruma Kakapo	Chloe	For sharing interesting factual information about the care and responsibility of owning a pet lamb.
Ruma Pukeko	Mitchell	For always showing respect and listening to others in his group production challenges.	Cohen	For always taking responsibility with his writing work and trying his very best. You have made great progress this year!
Ruma Keruru	Zara	For being a focused and enthusiastic learner, willing to give everything a go!	Lucas	For working on your values this week and trying really hard to complete tasks.
Ruru Award: Holden For always being fully involved in every aspect of school life - you are a role model to others.				

BOARD OF TRUSTEES MID TERM ELECTIONS

The BOT mid term elections are coming up. We have two vacancies to be filled. Please consider standing as the role of trustees is a significant one with responsibility for setting the strategic direction of the school, monitoring progress and reporting on the performance of the school to the parent community. Please see any BOT member if you want to discuss any aspect of being on the Board. Our current BOT is: Hadleigh Putt, Geoff Crispe, Alan Watkins, Sean Crocker, Nev Brewster, Vicki-Ann Rangitaawa, Densie Mathers (while Siobhan is on leave) and Freda Leonard .

Tirau Primary School

Board of Trustees Mid Term Election

Nominations are invited for the election of **two** parent representatives to the Board of Trustees.

A nomination form and a notice calling for nominations will be posted to all eligible voters by Friday 3rd November. Additional nomination forms can be obtained from the school office.

Nominations close at noon on **Friday 17th November** and may be accompanied by a signed candidate's statement.

The voting roll is open for inspection at the school and can be viewed during normal school hours.

There will also be a list of candidates' names, as they come to hand, for inspection at the school.

Voting closes at noon on **Friday 1st December 2017**

Signed Freda Leonard

Returning Officer

No reira ma te manaakitanga Kia tou,
ki runga, kia koutou katoa

Denise Mathers
Acting Principal

