

FAIRBURN SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



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Term 4, Week 5

Wednesday 11th November 2015

Kia ora, Malo e Lelei, Talofa Lava, Kia Orana, Ni sabula, Mauri, Suosday, Sat Sri Akaal, Tajba Filghodu, Xin Chao, Ni Hao, Guten Tag, Sawadee, Kumusta, Fakaalofa lahi atu, Maith, warm greetings to you all.

WRITERS IN SCHOOL CELEBRATION

You are invited to the book launch of children's writing to celebrate the Otahuhu "Writers in Schools" project.

The project is a joint venture involving our local Otahuhu primary & intermediate schools, The New Zealand Book Council, The Ministry of Education, The National School Library Service, Otahuhu Library and was generously sponsored by Otahuhu Rotary Club. We would also personally like to thank Fuji Xerox for all the hard work making our poems into a 'real book'! Each family will be receiving a copy of the book over the next few weeks.

Come along and see what the budding authors in our local schools have produced and meet some of the authors, poets & writers who have worked with the children.

When: Thursday 19th November 6:00pm **Where:** Otahuhu Library

CULTURAL ASSEMBLY

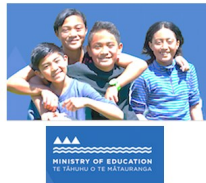
Please come along and join us for our cultural assembly in the school hall Thursday 12th November at 1:45pm. This gives the children an opportunity to share performances and for our school to showcase the diversity of culture we are lucky enough to have amongst our students & families.

NOTICES

AUDITIONS There is an amazing opportunity for your child to become part of the season of Disney's The Little Mermaid Jr at your local community theatre - Spotlight Theatre - in Papatoetoe in 2016. Auditions held on Saturday 30th & Sunday 31st January. For further information please email cmtmpamermaid@gmail.com

HAVE YOUR SAY!

Our Current Education Act became law in 1981, and a lot has changed since then. It's time to bring it up to date and reflect New Zealand now, and for the future.



This is an important piece of legislation that shapes what happens in our classrooms and what skills our children take out into the world with them. The Ministry of Education are asking us, the public, to have input in the process.

An easy way to make a submission is online at: consultation.education.govt.nz

Or you can email education.update@education.govt.nz

Submissions close on Monday 14 December so don't forget to have your say!

Further details & links can be found on the school's Facebook page.

Regards

Frances Nelson

Principal

MERIT AWARDS

Congratulations to the following merit award recipients from the last couple of weeks:

Saanvi Gounder, Teuila Lovo, Eziyah Smith, Lolo Moniati, Malia Pangai, Fusi Mohetau, Aryan Prasad, Maria Reu, Jahmane Solomon-Slade, Pelenaise Mafileo, Sterling Papalii, Isis-Milan Nohe, Farhaan Ali, Cassandra Finau, Zion Seloti, Prisha Shandil, Talaifina Mau, Taue Pele, Bella Collier-Tanielu, Jerimyah Elone, Larry Leha, Andy Nguyen, Miiana Talanoa, Thomas Mika, Jameel Yusuf, Faiza Gulzar, Allerton Koloamatangi, Ripeka Toki-White, James Lavasii, Sheriff Collier, Ana Maka, Leonard Ngare-Paul, Oliver Bays, Siosaia Sefesi, Hope Allen, Josipa Elone, Ryan Prasad, Ifoni Latu, Jesse Mika, Una Tahaafe, Ahyan Jassat, Constance Whakamau, Tevita Lolo, Abdullah Ali, Chan Paeu, Sohailah Ali, Rohan Bhana, Saima Shafil, Gracci Dag-Um, Babylon Lorenz, Joshua Mesui, Emerson Watson, Santana Rewi, Mele Unga, Jordan Galuvao-Leota, Leon Son, Zen Taufelila, Zachariah Tehaki, Farukh Ismail, Reno Sinaumea, Sione Tuakalau, Caleb Whakamau.

DATES FOR THE DIARY

THURSDAY 12TH NOVEMBER

CULTURAL ASSEMBLY (WHOLE SCHOOL) AT 1:45PM

THURSDAY 19TH NOVEMBER

WRITING CELEBRATION

(EVENING EVENT AT OTAHUHU LIBRARY)

TUESDAY 24TH NOVEMBER

SENIOR SCHOOL ATHLETICS

FRIDAY 27TH NOVEMBER

JUNIOR SCHOOL ATHLETICS

MONDAY 31ST NOVEMBER—

FRIDAY 4TH DECEMBER

JUNIOR SCHOOL TRIPS TO POOLS

FRIDAY 4TH DECEMBER

INTER-SCHOOL ATHLETICS

WEDNESDAY 9TH DECEMBER

REPORTS COMING HOME

WEDNESDAY 9TH DECEMBER

Yr 5/6 DISCO

MONDAY 14TH DECEMBER

5/6 LEAVING ASSEMBLY

TUESDAY 15TH DECEMBER

END OF TERM—12:30PM FINISH



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