

# FAIRBURN SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



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Term 2, Week 1

Wednesday 3rd May 2017

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

## WELCOME BACK

Welcome back to Term 2! We trust you all had a great break and are ready and excited for what term 2 has in store.

We would also like to welcome back Mrs Tribo (Room 9) from maternity leave along with Miss Hopwood in the administration team.

Finally we would like to welcome our new Public Health Nurse Nicole Holder.

## BOARD OF TRUSTEES

The Board of Trustees would like to invite expressions of interest from the school community to join the board. We have space for an additional person to join us. If you would like to know more please feel free to contact Linda Nicholls (Chairperson) or Frances Nelson (Principal). You are welcome to come along and join our next board meeting to get a better idea of what the role involves.

## CLOTHING DONATIONS

We have a special request from Whaea Cecelia our school social worker to see if any families have clothing they are able to pass on. Going into the winter months we would really appreciate any warmer clothing you are able to donate in particular track pants. All donations are greatly appreciated - thank you in advance.

## COMMUNITY NOTICES

OTAHUHU DENTAL CLINIC have contacted the school requesting all families to ensure their contact details with the clinic are up to date. They have had many children missing booked appointments so it is crucial they have the correct contact details in their system. Please call them on **09 276 6633**

## RHEUMATIC FEVER PREVENTION PROGRAMME

Fairburn School continue to partake in the Auckland District Health Board Rheumatic Fever Prevention Programme. Just a friendly reminder that if your child is complaining of a sore throat please take it seriously.

**SORE THROATS** → **RHEUMATIC FEVER** → **HEART DAMAGE**

If your child has strep throat, they'll be given oral antibiotics for ten days or a one-off penicillin injection to clear up the infection. If your child is given oral antibiotics it is important to take them for the full ten days, even if they feel better, to stop the strep throat from turning into rheumatic fever.

## WHANAU MEETING

On Wednesday 17th May at 2pm (in the meeting room) we will restart the Fairburn Whanau Group. All parents, caregivers and interested adults are welcome. This group supports activities and provides an avenue for whanau to engage in school and to have their say.

If you have any queries please see Jean Lewis in Room 5.

We hope to see some new & familiar faces there!

Regards  
*Frances Nelson*  
Principal

## READING TOGETHER PROGRAMME

We all know how very important READING is for children to succeed at school. One thing that really helps children to become good readers is SUPPORT from home. The workshop gives you ideas about how you can support your child's UNDERSTANDING about what they are reading. The programme is FREE & consists of FOUR workshops – each 1 hour and 15 minutes.

We provide after school care at school for your child **and** pre-schoolers. If there are any queries please phone 2701130.

Workshops will be held in our school library at 3pm on:

**Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> June**

**Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> June**

**Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> June**

**Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> June**

## PRINCIPAL'S AWARDS

**Congratulations to the following children:**

Melehiho Leaaemanu, Tuifua Pofele, Kaufusitua Manoa, Aisea Tuipulotu, Atamanu Latu, Jeziah Wihare, Israel Keir, Ashaz Zabed, Sela Vao-Vaka, Ryna Sharma, Tristan Tuhi, Julie Mariner, Tallis Talau, Marie Breen, Lepainenea Sofara, Vinny Aue, Emmaus Simi, Ana Sulunga, Shiv Patel, Sheyenne Taoipu, Taue Pele, Humaira Ali, James Crichton, Siokatame Namoa, Phoenix Papalii, Damian Leaming and Dechanae Robinson.

## DATES FOR THE DIARY

**8<sup>TH</sup>—14<sup>TH</sup> MAY**

SIGN LANGUAGE WEEK

**WEDNESDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> MAY**

2PM - WHANAU GROUP

**29<sup>TH</sup> MAY—4<sup>TH</sup> JUNE**

SAMOAN LANGUAGE WEEK

**TUESDAY 30<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2017**

INTERSCHOOL RUGBY LEAGUE

**MONDAY 5<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2017**

QUEENS BIRTHDAY

**TUESDAY(S)**

**6<sup>TH</sup> /13<sup>TH</sup>/20<sup>TH</sup>/27<sup>TH</sup> JUNE**

READING TOGETHER

**FRIDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2017**

INTERSCHOOL NETBALL

**WEDNESDAY 21<sup>ST</sup> JUNE**

2PM - HEALTH MEETING

**TUESDAY 27<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2017**

INTERSCHOOL HOCKEY

**TUESDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2017**

LAST DAY OF TERM 2



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