

FAIRBURN SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



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Term 1, Week 4

Wednesday 21st February 2018

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.

FAIRBURN SCHOOL PICNIC

We are looking forward to having our first annual "Getting to Know Each Other Fairburn School Picnic" on Wednesday 14th March between 4.30-6.30pm.



We aim to make it a fun event for families and school staff.

Classrooms will be open from 4.30-5:00pm so your child can show you their learning areas and there will also be plenty of fun activities on the field. All families can bring along a family picnic dinner and there will be ice-blocks for the children plus raffle spot prizes! It will be a great opportunity for Fairburn staff and families to get to know each other.

OUT OF ZONE ENROLMENTS

Enrolment at Fairburn School is governed by an enrolment scheme and therefore out of zone families must apply to attend our school. The deadline for Term 2 Out of Zone enrolments is **Wednesday 4th April** (providing we still have places available for Term 2). Please note, this is for all out of zone students regardless of whether you already have a child attending Fairburn.

SWIMMING REMINDER

A quick reminder that swimming has started and is an important part of the NZ curriculum and your child's programme at school. It is a fabulous opportunity for our students so please make sure that your child has their togs every swimming day.

OTAHUHU FUN DAY

Head along this Saturday 24 Feb 2018, 10:00am-2 at Toia, Mason Avenue.

The Otahuhu Family Fun Day is a FREE day with a carnival atmosphere put on for the Otahuhu community. * FREE Children's activities and entertainment * FREE BBQ Sausages * FREE Cupcakes & Drinks *FREE Stage & roving entertainment *FREE Prizes and Giveaways



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PRINCIPAL'S AWARDS

Congratulations to the following children:

Shajeez Mani, Vaiola Solia, Zameel Ali, Jenette Tuumaialu, Anyier Gak, Lio Tovia, Vincent Whakamau, Evan Lay, Jordyn Dunshea, Marget Tapaatoutai, Victoria Gueho, Lua Taliai, Siofilisi Veamatahau, Haarlem Banks, Samuel Taula.

REMINDER PAID UNION MEETING

EARLY FINISH ON THURSDAY 15TH MARCH

On Thursday 15th March, the teachers are attending a paid union meeting and will not be at school from 12.30pm. We would appreciate it if you could pick your children up at the beginning of lunchtime (12.30pm). There will be some teachers still at school to supervise any children who are not able to go home at this time but we do need you to let us know if you want your child to remain at school. We apologise for any inconvenience the earlier finish time may cause and appreciate your support for our staff being able to attend their union meeting. If you have any further inquiries please contact the office.

Regards

Paula Passfield

Principal

DATES FOR THE DIARY

TUESDAY 27TH FEBRUARY

READING TOGETHER WORKSHOP 3PM (EVERY TUESDAY FOR UNTIL 20TH MARCH)

WEDNESDAY 28TH FEBRUARY

STARDOME TRIP – RMS 26, 30, 31 AND 33

THURSDAY 1ST MARCH

STARDOME TRIP – RM 27, 28 AND 32

FRIDAY 9TH MARCH

SENIOR SCHOOL STUDENT COUNCIL ELECTION

FRIDAY 9TH MARCH

JUNIOR SWIMMING CARNIVAL

WEDNESDAY 14TH MARCH

INTERSCHOOL SOFTBALL

WEDNESDAY 14TH MARCH

'GETTING TO KNOW EACH OTHER' PICNIC

THURSDAY 15TH MARCH

EARLY FINISH 12:30PM—PAID UNION MEETING

FRIDAY 30TH MARCH

GOOD FRIDAY—SCHOOL CLOSED

MONDAY 2ND APRIL

EASTER MONDAY—SCHOOL CLOSED

TUESDAY 3RD APRIL

EASTER OBSERVATION—SCHOOL CLOSED

THURSDAY 5TH APRIL

Yr 5 & 6 SWIMMING SPORTS

FRIDAY 6TH APRIL

Yr 3 & 4 SWIMMING SPORTS

TUESDAY 10TH APRIL

INTERSCHOOL SWIMMING SPORTS

TUESDAY 10TH APRIL

Yr 5 & 6—EYE ON NATURE

WEDNESDAY 11TH APRIL

FAIRBURN WHANAU MEETING

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Otahuhu United Soccer Club Registrations for players from 4 years to adult at Seaside Park Clubrooms in Princes St East. 21st February 5.30 – 7.00pm and 28th February 5.30 – 7.00pm Please bring player photo I.D. or birth certificate. Online registrations can also be done. Visit: Online.Registrations-www.sporty.co.nz/otahuhusoccer Enquiries ph 2769975 or email secretary@otahuhusoccer.org.nz