

# FAIRBURN SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



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Term 2, Week 4

Wednesday 22nd May 2019

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.

## UPCOMING STRIKE ACTION

School will be closed during the upcoming strike.

The NZEI has advised the Fairburn School Board of Trustees that our principal and teachers will be taking strike action on **Wednesday 29th May 2019**. The Board has carefully considered the availability of teaching staff, and unfortunately we can't provide the normal teaching services during the strike so the school will be closed as no supervision can be provided. It's important that you make alternative arrangements for the care of your child/children on the day of the strike.

I know that this is inconvenient for parents and students alike, but please be assured that student safety is our main concern. Thank you for your understanding.

## WALKING AROUND SCHOOL SAFELY

Please remind your child about road safety around school. In particular (on the school grounds) the staff carpark areas. A friendly reminder these are for staff members to park. Please refrain from driving in them and also remind children the rule is to walk around the carparks-not through or across them. Thank you



## NOMINATIONS FOR BOARD OF TRUSTEES CLOSE ON FRIDAY

This is our last chance to call for nominations to become members of our Board of Trustees.

Key dates are as follows:

- ◆ **Friday 24th May** NOMINATIONS CLOSE – 24th May at noon. An election will then be held if the number of nominations exceed vacancies. For our school, the number of vacancies is 5.
- ◆ **Wednesday 29th May** Voting papers will be sent by post to all on the school parental/caregiver roll.
- ◆ **Friday 7th June** Voting closes at 12 noon.
- ◆ **Thursday 13th June** Votes are counted, and our school advised of the results.
- ◆ **Friday 14th June** New Board officially takes office

It is really important that as many people in our school community are given the opportunity to take part in this important process. Please could you ensure that if you have not done so recently, that you update your contact details so we have your correct postal address. You can do this by emailing the school office on [info@fairburn.school.nz](mailto:info@fairburn.school.nz) by 22nd May 2019. You can also come and collect both nomination forms and voting papers from the school office.

**REMINDER:** For parents to please wash and return any dothing your child may have borrowed from the office/sick bay. Thank you in advance.

## PRINCIPAL AWARDS

Congratulations to the following children:

Myrin-Jarrel Neru, Rocky Waaka, William Huynh, Trilia Ofahengau, TJ Faatele, Esha Ram, Tarmyah Ioane, Durant Bradley, Tatiana Hafoka, M'pryss Edwards, Aisea Tuakalau, Judge Taufelila, Damian Tuii, Koni Leacemanu, Shar Solomona, Leo Te Hau, Tuifua Pofele, Jaid Taioalo, Solomon Purcell, Daniel Leatinuu, Davien Toi, Lolo Moniati, Ofa Otuhouma, Alex Le, Uzma Humairaa, Stephen Smith, Adrian Vea, Ofa Veamatahau, Flames Taikato, Kevin Nguyen, Simulata Tahī, Oliver Lee, Chase Mendes-Fanovaha, Skylah Eukaliti, Kairangi Marsters, Pranavi Prasad, Ilaisaane Tekotia, Daymon Manuel, Charlie Adams, Sharvianna Manutulila, Ifoni Latu, Linda Douangsay, Kingston Nona Thompson, Angad Singh, Jessie Cassidy, Mele Matu, Neomai Vea, Minal Prasad, Sione Finefeuaki, Rayyan Ghumkhor, Tevita Lolo, Sisi Kava, Faara Nazim, Vincent Whakamaui.

Regards  
*Paula Passfield*  
Principal

## DATES FOR THE DIARY

**TUESDAY 28TH MAY**

INTER SCHOOL LEAGUE

**WEDNESDAY 29TH MAY**

SCHOOL CLOSED— NZEI STRIKE ACTION

**FRIDAY 31ST MAY**

WELCOME ASSEMBLY

**MONDAY JUNE 3RD**

QUEENS BIRTHDAY -SCHOOL CLOSED

**TUESDAY 11TH JUNE**

INTER SCHOOL NETBALL

**WED 12TH, THU 20TH, MON 24TH THU 27TH JUNE**

CHELSEA TRIP (Yr 5/6)

**WEDNESDAY 19TH JUNE**

INTER SCHOOL HOCKEY

**MON 1ST —FRI 5TH JULY**

MATARIKI WEEK

**WEDNESDAY 3RD JULY**

REPORTS GO HOME

**FRIDAY 5TH JULY**

LAST DAY OF TERM 2

## 2019 DATES

**TERM 2**

29TH APRIL— 5TH JULY

**TERM 3**

22ND JULY— 27TH SEPTEMBER

**TERM 4**

14TH OCTOBER— 18TH DECEMBER

**COMMUNITY NOTICES SKIDS** Welcome to Term 2!!! We have lots of fun activities planned. Our term planners have been sent out. Please come and join us. If you will be applying for some OSCAR/Work and Income subsidy, we will need to apply as early as possible. If you are working (full time or part time and/or studying; on sickness benefit; child on CDA) you may qualify for some WINZ subsidy and pay as low as \$3 a day (conditions apply). We will help you through the process (even submit the forms on your behalf). For any queries you can ring Hazel at 0800 900 754. You can also email us at [fairburn@skids.co.nz](mailto:fairburn@skids.co.nz). We look forward to hearing from you soon!



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