

# FAIRBURN SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



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Term 2, Week 3

Wednesday 19th May 2021

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.

## PARENT MEETING- SAFETY AT SCHOOL

On Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> May, 6pm - 7pm we will be holding a parents evening to discuss 'Wellbeing and Safety at Fairburn School'. We will be discussing:

- Bullying prevention
- Digital safety
- Keeping Ourselves Safe (K.O.S)

There will be a sausage sizzle & crèche available so please do join us.

## KEEPING OURSELVES SAFE (KOS)

This term our students will be completing the 'Keeping Ourselves Safe' programme (KOS) which has been designed by the NZ Police department. KOS aims to:

- Teach children a range of safe practices they can use when interacting with other people
- Teach students how to recognise the difference between healthy and unhealthy relationships
- Make parents and teachers more aware of their responsibilities to help students avoid abuse

Our parent meeting at school tomorrow evening will give more information about what the programme covers and further information will be sent home closer to the time we do the KOS programme.

## IMPORTANT TEACHER ONLY DAY

On **Friday 4th June** we will be having a Teacher Only day at school which means **school will be closed to students.**

These days are important for our staff and we appreciate your support with them.

## ENROLMENTS & PRE-SCHOOL VISITS

If you know of any children in the community who may be joining us please feel free to come along and see what we do in the junior school area between 9-11am most Fridays. (Parents must stay)

Dates for this term include:

- Friday 21 May
- Friday 28 May
- Friday 11 June
- Friday 18 June
- Friday 25 June
- Friday 2 July (last day)

We are also accepting out of zone enrollments so please the office on 2701130 for further information.

## KINDNESS DAY

Friday we will celebrate 'Kindness Day' as part of NZ Bullying Free Week. The focus for the day is to just 'be kind!'. It's a very good time to emphasise our school value of kindness. Children have been asked to wear PINK or RED if possible.

## PRINCIPAL AWARDS



Congratulations to the following children:

Cornelius Holani, Pirelli Maeva, Patience Te Pana, Daphne Pangai, Liannah Frost, Brodus Neli, Salote Ika, Xavier Bidois, Saipaleti Ikaahihifo, Faysia Saipele, Sharndeeep Kaur, Teilah Teina, Serenity Kaihau, Nate Bell, Heretaina Alimoni-Aporo, Finau Pole, Samuel Watson, Elaine Fatai, Peter Fonua, Darius Lesatele, Peter Leavasa, Samuel Ikaahihifo, Shavnil Naidu, Fusi Mohetau, Avani Prasad, Axil Levi, Ryan Prasad, Dezhiah Epere, Nimita Naicker and Jaid Taioalo.

FRIDAY 21ST MAY

KINDNESS  
DAY

WEAR PINK OR RED

Ngā mihi

*Paula Passfield*

Principal

## DATES FOR THE DIARY

THURSDAY 20TH MAY

PARENT MEETING 6PM

FRIDAY 21ST MAY

KINDNESS DAY—WEAR PINK!

24TH -28TH MAY

SAMOAN LANGUAGE WEEK

TUESDAY 1ST JUNE

INTERSCHOOL RUGBY LEAGUE

WEDNESDAY 2ND JUNE

FRIENDS OF FAIRBURN MEETING

FRIDAY 4TH JUNE

TEACHER ONLY DAY—SCHOOL CLOSED

MONDAY 6TH JUNE

QUEENS BIRTHDAY—SCHOOL CLOSED

THURSDAY 10TH JUNE

SCIENCE SHARING DAY

TUESDAY 15TH JUNE

YR 2—BOTANICAL GARDENS TRIP

WEDNESDAY 16TH JUNE

MAORI WHANAU HUI

FRIDAY 2ND JULY

MATARIKI CELEBRATIONS

WEDNESDAY 7TH JULY

REPORTS GO HOME

FRIDAY 9TH JULY

LAST DAY OF TERM

(SCHOOL FINISHES NORMAL TIME)

## TERM DATES 2021

Term 2: 3rd May - 9th Jul

Term 3: 26th Jul - 1st Oct

Term 4: 18th Oct - 15th Dec

**COMMUNITY NOTICES: Road Safety and Parking Around School:** - Now our winter terms have arrived we would like to remind parents to take extra care during drop off and pick up times as often the weather will be foggy or wet and students can sometimes forget to look out for cars before they cross the road. Also to remember the importance of complying with parking rules during drop off/pick up. Parking wardens are continuing to monitor the roads surrounding the school. We have no control over their presence and around tickets being issued so please abide by the NZ road code, around parking rules, in order to avoid penalties.

