

Fairburn School Newsletter

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24 March 2010

Kia ora, Talofa, Namaste, Kia orana, Malo e Lelei, Hello everyone and a special welcome to all new families to Fairburn School.

School Council Elections

Our school council elections were held recently and the following students were elected by their peers: Owen McKibbin, Sioeli Lavemai, Jack-Lee Pelde, Darling Nooroa, William Henry, Mew Pathoumphanh, George Tione and Taamauri Nooroa. Congratulations to all of these students.

Senior School Swimming Sports

Thank you to all the family members who attended our senior school swimming sports at Otahuhu College last Friday. All of the children had a fantastic time and the parents relay race between the parents, teachers and children was a special highlight. Well done to Ms Passfield for her excellent organization and all of the teachers for their hard work.

Junior School Swimming Sports

These were held today. Thank you for all the family support and the teachers for their organization.

Interschool Sports

During the past few weeks, many of our senior and middle school students have competed in interschool swimming, cricket and soccer tournaments. All of our teams have competed well, displaying excellent sportsmanship and gaining success in a number of events. The boys softball team came 3rd overall and the swimming team gained fourth place overall. A big thank you to the coaches of these teams and the many parents who supported on the day.

What Now!

Cecilia Felise Faafetai Nuu, Eloi Faalolo and Laponi Togiakona represented Otahuhu at the What Now "Slam" competition in Christchurch. They had a great time and this programme will be shown on What Now in the next few weeks. A big thank you goes to Felise, Cecilia's dad who braved the cold weather and looked after the children so well on the trip.

Board of Trustees Elections

By now you should have received your election notice and nomination form for our upcoming Board of Trustees Election. The nominations close on Tuesday 27 April at noon. If you need further assistance or would like to talk over the election process or the role of a B.O.T member please contact the school. We are very happy to assist you in any way.

Contact Details

We are in the process of updating our student contact details. With the newsletter is a contact details sheet to fill in and return to school by the end of the week. Please complete one for each of your children currently attending school. It is very important that we have up to date information for safety reasons. We appreciate your support.

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Principals' Awards

Congratulations to the following students who have received Principals' awards in the past couple of weeks:

Week 6:

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Important Dates for your Diary

Wednesday 24 March

Junior School swimming sports

Wednesday 31 March

Class photos

Thursday 1 April

Term 1 ends

Monday 19 April

Term 2 starts

Germaine Peterson & Maureen Woodard

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Community Notices

Otahuhu United are running soccer skill development clinics after school and during the holidays. For further info contact Neil on 0276103381 and Brenda for club registration on 2767212 or register@otahuhusoccer.org.nz

After school Science and Technology Club- inquiries ph 021 215 2850 or melvi@clear.net.nz