

Fairburn School Newsletter

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Kia ora, Malo e Lelei, Talofa Lava, Kia Orana, Ni sabula, Mauri, Suosday, Sat Sri Akaal, Tajba Filghodu, Xin Chao, Ni Hao, Guten Tag, Sawadee, Kumusta, Fakaalofa lahi atu, Maith,



Traffic Safety Around the School

A reminder that Traffic Wardens are now starting to visit our school regularly as our students are leaving in the afternoon. It is important that you park legally to ensure you do not receive a ticket. **PLEASE help to keep our students safe by parking safely and legally.**

Daffodil Day

Thank you for your support of Daffodil Day, the school raised \$677.50 for the Cancer Society.



Speech Competitions

Fairburn School students have entered in to the Samoan (Siala Pula), Hindi (Joshika Prasad), Maori (Humaria Higgins), Tongan (Taiala Mahe) and English (Melvina Weilert) speech competitions and competed against other schools in our area. Congratulations to Taiala for achieving first place in the Tongan Competition, he delivered his speech on the local Pasifika Radio Station during Tongan Language week. Well done to all of our students.



Social Worker in School (SWiS)

Our SWiS will be having “*open for coffee mornings*” on Mondays from 9am -10.30am. You are invited to drop-in and meet Julie Nohe at this time to get to know her and what the SWiS does within our school.

Lost Property

We have a growing pile of un-named clothing that belongs to students. Any clothing that is named will be returned, if it is not, you will need to get your child to come and look for it before the end of term. Lost property can be found in the Junior Area - Rm3 (Mrs Harrison), in the Middle School - Rm16 (Miss Inch) and in the Senior Area - Rm33 (Mrs Makiha). At the end of term, all unclaimed clothing will be washed and sent to the Salvation Army.



Reminders

Children should not bring valuables including toys, jewellery, electronic devices, cell phones etc to school. If they do, **staff cannot take responsibility for them** if they are damaged or lost.

Fairburn Whanau Meeting

Our school parent group – Fairburn Whanau – will meet on Thursday 19th September in the Magnolia Room at 3pm. There will be a “creche” for children while the meeting takes place. You are invited to come along and discuss school issues such as the traffic problems around our school, the Board of Trustees work on our Vision and Strategic Planning for 2014, The Fonterra Free School Milk Programme (yes or no to this and who will help with distributing the milk) plus other school issues that parents want to find out about. **A separate note from the Board of Trustees will come home with the newsletter.**

2013 Term Dates

Wednesday 11th September
Thursday 12th September
Tuesday 17th September
Thursday 19th September
Thursday 19th September
Friday 20th September
Wednesday 25th September
23rd to 27th September
Friday 27th September
Friday 27th September
Monday 14th October
Wednesday 18th December

Zone Speech Competition – English
Kids for Kids Festival
Board of Trustees Meeting
Fairburn Whanau Mtg
School Cross Country Run
Te Reo Maori Speech Competition
Inter-school Girls Soccer
Book Week
Whole School Assembly
Last day of Term 3
First day of Term 4
Last day of the school year

Merit Awards

Congratulations to the following students who received merit awards in the last two weeks- Dana Kipa, Phoenix Papalii, Adarsh Singh, Peasipa Paongo, Tarsha Wilson, Calvin Siketi, Joshua Jensen-Fraser, Sheyenne Taopu, Peyton Fanovaha, Anushil Mistry, Mateaki Vao, Siosua Vea, Austin Marsters, Yalen-Sjaan Wong See, Leon Son, Samantha Wahanui, Mary Sikalu, John Baker, Jayden Laurie, Dontel Tongotongo, Harley Aue, Alex Tran, Joziyah Lokeni, Princess (Chi Chi) Onwiduwe, David Tuipulotu, Violet Maka, Mudish Nadan, Alok Kumar, Ahofa Maafu, Alexis Fenton, Ihaiah Rehu, May Magalogo, Angel Jeet, Aleiyah Tuala, Tune Teotia, Lawrence Taufititule, Jaylan Haimona, Luisa Cocker, Huria Ali, Latu Talimai, Nolan Joseph, Alohilani Packer, Teao Taliauli, Tadashyasuo Wolfgramm, Jasmine Son, Kemindhi Liyanage, Ilaisaane Vaitai, Mele Pauu, Irving Mohetau, Shiraz Mishra, Junior Afoa, Amelia Talanoa, Lofa Kipa, Joyce Tiotala, Michael Trinh, Vishaal Maharaj, Taiala Mahe, Ana Misinale, Vivek Kumar, Triyash Chetty. Well done everyone.

Frances Nelson
Principal

