



FAIRFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parent / Caregiver,

A warm welcome to all our new students and families: Lavana, Awhina, Kaikau and Uaniva.
Welcome back to Makailah, Anthony, Harley and Terence.

UNPAID STATIONERY

Unlike last year, this year we have a large outstanding stationery debt.

Please be reminded that stationery must be paid. You are welcome to make regular payments to pay it off.

We will be invoicing, making phone calls and possibly even home visits until payment is made.

If you are experiencing financial hardship, please talk to us.

EDUCATION REVIEW OFFICE (ERO) VISIT

The team of reviewers from ERO have now completed their visit. They have reported back to the board and leadership team and their verbal report was positive.

We will receive a draft report in about three weeks time and once this has been confirmed, we will upload to our website.

MAORI TIKANGA WEEK

Tikanga week has been changed. This will now take place in Week 11. 9th - 13th April.

TEACHERS UNION MEETING

Next Thursday 22nd March. Our entire teaching staff will be attending a paid union meeting from 1:00pm. Instructional teaching will finish at 12:15pm and children will be released to go home.

Children who are unable to go home can be supervised at school until 2:30pm providing you let us know that your child/ren need to stay. Please be aware that we will have limited number of adults to supervise children and your co-operation for children to go home at 12:15pm would be appreciated.

JUNIOR SCHOOL (Rooms 8,11,15,16 & 17) TRIP TO JUMP

The Jump trip is next Thursday 22nd March. Remember - All consent and money must be given to the office no later than Wednesday. Children will be back at 12:15pm.

PARENT DISCUSSIONS

Parent discussions are to be held on Tuesday 26th March and Wednesday 27th March. Discussions start at 3:00pm on both days. If you have internet access, you can be an early bird and book online. Simply log on to: schoolinterviews.co.nz

Use event code: **npn8j**

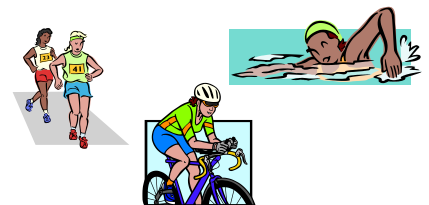
Alternatively, you can fill out and return the "yellow" appointment sheet which we will be sending home next week, or you can txt 021 502978 to request an appointment.

MIDDLE SCHOOL TRIATHLON


On Thursday 29th March, Rooms 2,3,6,9,12 & 18 will be participating in a mini triathlon.

The event will be held at school, starting at 10:45am and finishing at approx. 12:15pm.

There will be both teams and individual races. We would love you to come along and support our Year 3 & 4's.



A big **THANK YOU** to everyone who supported the cake stall. Over \$400 was raised to help subsidise class trips.

	FAIRFIELD LEARNER VALUES The following students have won a goodie bag in our weekly Fairfield Learner Values draw. Week 6 Krystiana - Rm 17 - I never give up, even when its hard Week 7 Sage - Rm 17 - I respect people, places & property
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JUNIOR SCHOOL WEEKLY "ON TIME" ATTENDANCE INCENTIVE All Junior children who arrive at school on time for the week go into a prize draw. Congratulations to: Week 6 winner Scarlett - Rm 11 Kylese - Rm 15 Week 7 winner Diane - Rm 8 Nevaeh - Rm 17

	EASTER RAFFLE Tickets are selling well. Raffle will be drawn Thursday 29th March. \$2.00 per Ticket or 3 for \$5.00 Tickets on sale at the office Proceeds from this raffle will go towards class trips.
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WINTER SPORTS

Winter sports start at the beginning of Term 2. Our school currently offers students the opportunity to join after school sporting teams in Netball and Basketball from Years 3 - 6.

Next week, we will be holding meetings with students interested in joining a team. Notices will be given to these students to bring home and discuss with their parent/caregiver.



Before signing permission to be considered for a team, parents/caregivers must ensure they can provide weekly transportation for their child and be fully committed throughout the entire season.

Additional coaches may also be required depending on numbers. Expressions of interest to coach are always welcome. Please see Whaea Sandy in the office.

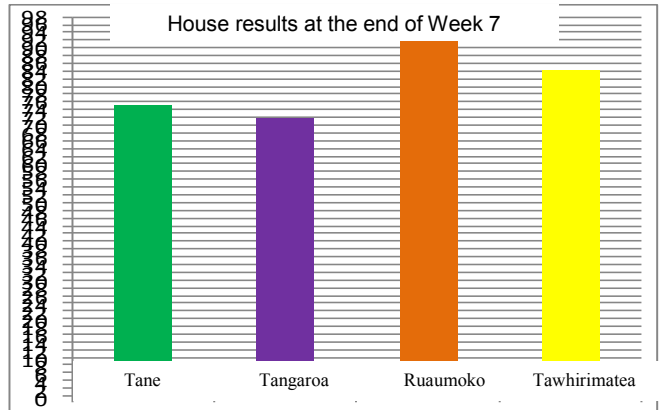
FAIRFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOLS ENROLMENT SCHEME

A reminder that our enrolment scheme takes effect from the beginning of Term 2 2018. (30th April)
A map of our zone was included in the last newsletter and is also on our school website.

www.fairfieldprimary.school.nz

There is also a copy in the office.

If you live outside the zone and have a child at home who will turn 5 after 30th April, you will need to talk to the office ladies as this will effect them.



We had a colourful turnout of YELLOW, PURPLE, ORANGE and GREEN for House Colour dress up day today.

Thanks to everyone who got into the spirit and showed us their creativity.



Kind regards

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