

# FAIRFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL

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### **Newsletter No 3: 8th March 2019**

Dear Parent / Caregiver,

A warm welcome to all our new students and families: James, Shylazaye, Mafioso, Edi, Kaia and Demetria.

A special assembly and morning tea will be held in Week 8 to welcome all our new families.

#### **PARENT DISCUSSIONS**

Parent discussions are next Tuesday 12th and Wednesday 13th March. Discussions start at 3:00pm on both days.

If you have not yet made an appointment, it's not too late!

Simply book online, www.schoolinterviews.co.nz Use event code: nsxtf

If you do not have internet access, the office ladies can book the appointments for you. Phone 8556284 or txt 021 502978.

#### **TEACHER ONLY DAY**

Friday 15th March is TEACHER ONLY DAY. <u>Do not send your children to school</u> as the school will be closed on this day.



#### MIDDLE SCHOOL TRIP

The middle school trips to Temple Cottage and Te Awamutu Museum are fast approaching.

Who goes when?

Tuesday 19th March Rooms 7 & 11 Thursday 21st March Rooms 3 & 18 Friday 22nd March Rooms 2 & 12

Students will be leaving school at 9:00am and returning to school by 2:30pm.

REMEMBER: All consent/health forms and money must be received before trip day.

NO MONEY OR PERMISSION WILL BE ACCEPTED ON THE DAY OF THE TRIP.



#### **TEACHERS PAID UNION MEETING**

Our teachers will be attending a paid union meeting on Wednesday 20th March.

On this day, school will finish at lunchtime (12:15pm) and children will be released to go home.

Supervision will be available until 2:30pm for any students who are unable to go home. You must let us know if your child/ren need to stay.

#### JUNIOR SCHOOL TRIP

Our junior classes are off to Extreme Edge Rock Climbing in Week 9.

Please refer to the timetable below:

Rooms 5 and 16 Tuesday 26th March Leaving school at 9:15am and returning at 12:15pm Rooms 9 and 17 Wednesday 27th March Leaving school at 9:15am and returning at 12:15pm

The cost for this trip is \$10.00. Consent/health forms are only required from students who did not go on the recent Marae trip.

Everyone else is good to go!

#### **STATIONERY PAYMENTS**

Well done to the 83% of our families who have attended to stationery payments. YOU ROCK!

For the remaining 17%, you need to sort this as a matter of urgency. Your children have been using their stationery since the beginning of the year and you are expected to pay for it. If it's a case of hardship, talk to us, if you need to pay it off, talk to us. Payments can be made by cash or internet banking.

#### SENIOR SWIMMING SPORTS

Rooms 4,6,8,10,14 & 15 have swimming sports at St Paul's Collegiate on Monday 25th March. All senior students will be leaving school at 9:00am and walking to St Pauls. Races start at 9:45am. All welcome.

#### MIDDLE SCHOOL TRIATHLON







Rooms 2,3,7,11,12 & 18 will be participating in a mini triathlon on Friday 29th March. Further details will come home closer to the event.

#### **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 (Years 3 - 6) and Basketball (Years 1 - 6). We will soon 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.







#### **BEACH ED**

Our class went to Beach Ed at Waihi beach on Tuesday. It was a long trip. We got to see the L & P bottle as we went through Paeroa. Once at the beach we went into the surf club. We learnt about slip, slop, slap & wrap. We learnt about rips and if you get caught in one, don't panic, put your hand up. You can spot rips by the discoloured water. We learnt all about the IRB (inflatable rescue boat) and we were taken up into the lookout tower and got to talk on the radios.

We played games on the sand and in the water. We had a swim in the waves before heading home. It was a great day out. Hikairo - Room 6









# ENROLMENT AT FAIRFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL FOR NEW STUDENTS

The Fairfield Primary School Board of Trustees invites applications from parents who wish to enrol their children at Fairfield Primary School for the period:

#### 29th April to 5th July (Term 2 2019)

Enrolment at the school is governed by an Enrolment Scheme, details of which are available from the school office.

The Board has determined that a total of 10 places are likely to be available for **OUT OF ZONE** students during this period.

The exact number of places will depend on the number of applications received from students who live within the school's enrolment zone.

Application forms are available from the school office.

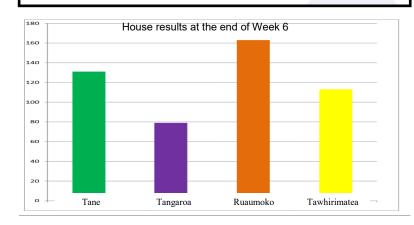
#### The deadline for receipt of application for Out of Zone places is: 4th April 2019

Parents who live within the home zone and who intend enrolling their child in Term 2 should notify the school office by  $4^{th}$  April to assist the school in planning appropriately for this period. All students in the home zone are entitled to enrol at the school. The ballot only affects students who live out of zone.

If the number of out of zone applications exceeds the number of places available, students will be selected by ballot.

If a ballot for out of zone places is required, it will be held on 9<sup>th</sup> April 2019. Parents will be informed of the outcome of the ballot within three school days of the ballot being held.

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Our Theme: "So . . . What Happened After Christmas?"



Kind regards

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