



# FAIRFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL

*Tautapatia te pono - Dare To Be True*

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Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Room No: \_\_\_\_\_

## Newsletter No 3: 9th May 2025

Dear Parent / Caregiver,  
Kia ora, Malo e lei lei, Talofa,

### TEACHER ONLY DAY - FRIDAY 30TH MAY

We have a Teacher Only Day coming up on Friday 30th May. School will be closed for students while our entire teaching staff undertake professional learning on the new maths curriculum.

Please also note this is the weekend of Kings Birthday, with Monday 2nd June being a public holiday.

School will resume on Tuesday 3rd June.

### LOST PROPERTY

From next week, lost property will be located at the back of Room 2. Please take the time to come and have a look for any missing items. Items will also be out on display every second Friday. Please help us to minimise lost property by clearly naming your children's clothing. Please also note that we only keep lost property until the end of each term. Items left over at the end of term are given to a charitable organisation.

### STATIONERY

As we head into Week 3, Term 2, we still have a considerable number of students whose stationery payment remains outstanding. If you have received an invoice from the school, or receive an overdue reminder, please promptly attend to this matter.

We welcome payments by cash or directly to our bank account.

**Internet banking: Account name: Fairfield Primary School Board of Trustees**

**Account number: 03 1556 0007691 00**

**Reference: Your child's name**



### SENIOR SCHOOL OVERNIGHT STAY AT THE HAMILTON OBSERVATORY AND ZOO VISIT

As part of the senior school topic "Beyond Captivity" and celebrating Matariki, our senior classes have an overnight stay at the Hamilton Observatory and visiting the zoo the following day.

Rooms 19 & 21 will be staying Monday 19th May

Rooms 4 & 6 will be staying Tuesday 20th May

Room 18 will be staying Thursday 22nd May

All consent and health forms must be returned no later than one week prior to trip day.



### PARKING

This is a timely reminder that parking inside the school gate is for staff (and 1 exempted parent) only.

Parents and caregivers are to park in the Fairfield Hall carpark or along Clarkin Road where there are no yellow lines. Please also be mindful that you are not permitted to stop in the bus stop to let children out of the car.

### JUNIOR SCHOOL TRIP TO CHARTWELL FIRE STATION

Rooms 8,9,10,12 & 16 have a trip to the Fire Station coming up in Week 7.

Detailed notices will be sent home next week.





# PINK SHIRT DAY – FRIDAY 16th MAY

Next Friday, Aotearoa will become a sea of pink as schools, workplaces and communities join the Pink Shirt Day movement.

By taking part you will be helping to stamp out bullying by celebrating diversity and promoting kindness and inclusion.

Wear something PINK (anything pink) to show your support.  
Certificate & House Points will be awarded.



Our entire school is participating in the Footsteps dance programme this term.

The qualified instructors use dance as a vehicle to develop students' social skills, confidence and creativity. Students experience various dance styles including hip hop, funk, modern pop and contemporary.



We warmly welcome everyone who has joined us since the last Newsletter:

Nyla, Lucian, Silvanious, Haani, Te Tahupotiki, Waka, Te Iwingaro, Moneti, Jordyn, Alissa, Desiré, Kaziah, Arekatera, Ngatiwai, Arielle, Elijah, Hawi, Diana, Zeliandra, Karangawai, Chanella, Jahvon, Kymani, Irie, Audi, Frelyn, Pollyanne, Asher, Khloe, Valentina, Saciid, Royil-Chainz, Abigail, Thea, Freya, Rosie, Kavya, Kanwar & Kailah.

## KIDSCAN JACKETS

Our new entrant children in Rooms 9 & 10 were gifted a lovely warm jacket from KidsCan today. We hope these students will treasure their jackets and wear them to school everyday throughout the winter months.

If you have an older child at our school who would benefit from a jacket, we may be able to order one for you. Please talk to Whaea Sandy at the office.



## MIDDLE SCHOOL GYMNASTICS

As part of the Tū Manawa Active Initiate, we have been fortunate to receive a few funded gymnastic lessons with qualified instructors.

These instructors are also supporting the teachers to deliver a gym programme as part of their physical education sessions.

Later in the term, the middle school will have the opportunity to visit a gym club and extend their skills and push their confidence using the gym equipment.



**REMEMBER** - Facebook is our school's preferred means of communicating notices and events. Please find us on Facebook and "like" or "follow" us to ensure you keep up to date with what is happening at school.

Each class also has their own facebook group. These are closed groups for parents of students in the particular class only. The welcome letter sent home from the class should have included the link for you to request to join. If you are having difficulty finding this, please private message our school page and we will provide the link for you.

Kind regards

Anne Johnson  
**PRINCIPAL**



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