

### NEWSLETTER ONE, TERM FOUR.

#### Tuesday, 15th October 2019

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#### KIA ORA, TALOFA LAVA, AND WELCOME.

Welcome to the new children and their whanau who are joining our school this week. New students this week Andre, Archer, Niko, Mason, Benjamin and Te Paea.

**START OF TERM** – Welcome back to school. It has been great to see the children come back to school and happy to be here after the holiday break. We have another busy term ahead so please keep an eye on the calendar and Facebook page to see what is happening throughout the term. We ask that you also reinforce our **KORAU** values with your children and encourage them to demonstrate these through their words and actions.

#### **TEACHER ONLY DAY – FRIDAY 25 OCTOBER**

We will be holding a Teacher Only Day next Friday 25 October. This will be a professional day for teachers to focus on reporting and achievement of students before the end of the year. **SCHOOL WILL BE CLOSED ON THIS DAY - KCC will also be closed** 



**New Zealand ShakeOut 2019**- New Zealand ShakeOut, our national earthquake drill and tsunami hīkoi, is taking place on Thursday 17 October 2019 at 1.30pm. ShakeOut is held across the world to remind people of the right action to take during an earthquake, Drop, Cover and Hold. Information for families can be accessed at this link <u>https://www.shakeout.govt.nz/how/individuals/</u>

Keep up to date with photos and information of what is happening around the school and in the classrooms on our Facebook page.



#### HEAD LICE

At the end of last term we had identified some cases of headlice at school. Please check your children's hair, especially if you notice them scratching. Information about preventing the spread of headlice can be found at the following website <u>https://www.kidshealth.org.nz/head-lice</u>. If you have any concerns or questions, please contact the school office for advice and support.

With the start of the new term it is timely to remind the children to work on displaying the KORAU values through their words and actions. As we move through Term 4 it is important that we model the school values for the children and encourage them to use these when managing themselves and when interacting with others.

Our KORAU values are

- K Kind/Manaakitanga
- O Own/Rangatiratanga
- R Respect/Whakaute
- A Aspire/Wawata
- U Unite/Whanaungatanga

We show Kindness to people and the environment.

- We Own our own behaviour.
- We Respect the rules, people, and the school.
- We do quality work and strive for excellence.
- We work as a team / whanau. We are inclusive.

**SUN HATS** – with Term 4 now well underway please make sure that all children bring hats to wear at school to help protect them from the summer sun.

## **50 cent STALLS**

Our Year six students are running 50cent stalls every Friday at morning teatime. Buying

items, supports these children to raise money to go to camp. Please be mindful that items are all 50 cents and \$2 is the limit.

### KCC CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY DATES (2020)

Over the Christmas break KCC will be operating between Monday 13 January and Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> January inclusive.

### WORKING BEE SATURDAY 19 OCTOBER (9.00am-12.00pm)

### Weather dependent

We are planning a working bee for Saturday 19 October to get the school spruced up for Term 4 and summer. We have a range of jobs that need attending to around the school. Please complete the return slip if you can help in any way.

### **ENROLMENTS**

Do you have or know of any 5-year old children who are starting school this year or next year? New student enrolment forms are available at the office or on our website under "About us". If you require further information, please contact the office on 939 9707 or message us on our school website or Facebook page.

## **SCHOOL SENIOR ATHLETICS (Years 4-6)**

This is planned for Friday 1 November, beginning at 9.00am-2.00pm at Delaney Park. We need some parent help with the running and organising of this event. If you can help, please contact Mr G at school or leave you name at the office.



Dave Lamont Principal





# **PASIFIKA GROUP FUNDRAISER - CHOP SUEY FUNDRAISER ORDER FORM** Wednesday 23 October 2019

Name.....

Can come and labour Can make morning tea

Room number.....

Number of meals.....@\$5 each. **Total \$**.....

(Circle one) I will pay at the office / I will pay on-line (name and chop suey reference

CALENDAR BY ALINA (Friend of Koraunui School and Board of Trustees secretary) Alina has been accepted into an artist residency programme in France during 2020 and to help raise funds for this has created a 2020 calendar of her artwork. Orders for the calendars will be taken at the school office

ARTWORK TEC CALENDAR 2020	Leven i en	<b>PRE- ORDER</b> <sup>an</sup> Art by Alina	2020 CALENDAR
Forment below or message if you'd		\$25 each or buy 2 for \$40	Order Now! Delivery December 2019
	CALEHDAR DOD IIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIII	<ul> <li>&gt;&gt; 12 Months</li> <li>&gt;&gt; A4 Portrait Wire Hanging Calendar</li> <li>&gt;&gt; New Image every month</li> <li>&gt;&gt; See progress shots</li> <li>&gt;&gt; Read background about each piece</li> </ul>	All calendar proceeds will go towards fundraising my artist residency in France 2020. Thank you in advance for your kindness! Alina



Name \_\_\_\_\_ (Please print) Ph: \_\_\_\_\_

WORKING BEE – Saturday 19 October (9.00am-12.00pm) Yes, I can help. (Please circle those appropriate)

## <u>Term Four Calendar</u>

### Week 1

- Thursday 17 October: Shakeout Earthquake Drill
- Friday 18 October: Room 13 to Taita College for Freshwater restoration project TBC

### Week 2

- Wednesday 23 October: Board of Trustees Meeting
- Friday 25 October: TEACHER ONLY DAY (School and KCC closed)

## Week 3

- Monday 28 October: Labour Day
- Tuesday 29 October: Yr 1-4 Tee ball for selected students TBC
- Thursday 31 October: Pasifika Group Disco fundraiser

# Week 4

• Friday 1 November: School senior athletics 9.00am

# Week 5

- Monday 11 November: Stokes Valley Rounders Tournament TBC
- Tuesday 12 November: Northern zone athletics
- Wednesday 13 November: Board of Trustees Meeting
- Thursday14 November: Te Puawaitanga o Te Kakano Noho Marae ki Koraunui Marae
- Friday15 November: Te Puawaitanga o Te Kakano Noho Marae ki Koraunui Marae

# Week 6

- Wednesday 20 November: Year 5/6 Tee ball for selected students TBC
- Thursday 21 November: Year 3-6 Te Papa Raranga Matihiko trip for selected students
- Friday 22 November: Year 3-6 Te Papa Raranga Matihiko trip for selected students
- Friday 22 November: Final day for payment for Year 6 camp.

# Week 7

- Tuesday 26 November: Interzone Athletics at Hutt Recreation Grounds
- Saturday 30 November: Stokes Valley Christmas Parade

# Week 8

- Monday 8 December: Year 6 graduation practice this week
- Friday 6 December: Road Patrol Pool Party Stokes Valley Pool
- Friday 6 December: Umu festival and Pasifika performance

# Week 9

- Monday11-Friday 13 December: Year 6 Camp Wairarapa Outdoor Pursuits Centre
- Wednesday 11 December: Board of Trustees Meeting

# Week 10

- Monday 16 December: Year 6 Graduation at Taita College
- Tuesday 17 December: Year 6 Mystery Bus Tour
- Wednesday 18 December: Final assembly and last day of school. School finishes at 12.00pm