



NEWSLETTER SIX, TERM ONE.

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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 – Ra, Steve, Iafeta and Axavier who is returning to our school.

KORAU VALUES

We have been focusing on our KORAU values over the first weeks of this term as everyone settles into their classrooms and routines. We have been impressed by those around our school who have been demonstrating our values in their words and actions. Dayton brought some homework to show me that he had done about our KORAU values.

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| K | Kind | We show Kindness to people and the environment. |
| O | Own | We Own our own behaviour. |
| R | Respect | We Respect the rules, people, and the school. |
| A | Aspire | We do quality work and strive for excellence. |
| U | Unite | We work as a team / whanau. We are inclusive. |



AIGA /PASIFIKA FONO

"IT TAKES A VILLAGE TO RAISE A CHILD"

Talofa lava, Malo E lelei, Kia Orana and warm Pasifika greetings

We wish to invite all Pasifika families and any other students along with their families; who wish to be part of the Pasifika group this year.

We have a meeting on Wednesday 13th of March 6.00pm-7.30pm

This meeting is a great time to meet and greet our new principal. Also discuss what our PASIFIKA journey will look like this year at Koraunui School. We would love to see you all, please bring a plate to share for shared tea. Come over for a chat and a good laugh!

Fa'afetai lava

Whaea Luana

VANADLISM

We have been experiencing some vandalism over the first weeks of the school year, after school hours and in the weekends and unfortunately last weekend our school pool was the target of some young people vandalizing the area and equipment. If you are around the school in the weekend and see people using our grounds or equipment inappropriately, or in places where they shouldn't be, please contact the police and keep yourselves safe. We want to keep our school and grounds safe for all of our school community.

ENROLMENT SCHEME CONSULTATION

On Friday 23 February information was sent home about the proposed enrolment scheme for Stokes Valley. Written submissions from school communities will be accepted up until 23rd March. The information sent home can also be viewed on our school website, at the school office or by following the link below.

<https://koraunui.school.nz/about-us/in-and-around-the-school/implementation-of-enrolment-scheme-at-koraunui-school-tawhai-school-and-tui-glen-school/>

We still require help with the School crossings on Monday mornings from 8:00-8:30am. If you can help out please contact the school office.

TOUCH TEAMS

Congratulations to our Touch teams for how they have competed in the touch rugby competition. Last week's results are as follows,

Untouchables: 7 – 0 win

Rangatahi 5 – 0 win

Rockets 2 – 4 loss 😊

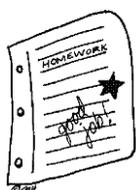
KCC TUESDAY AFTER EASTER

The Tuesday after Easter (3rd April) school will be closed. If you would like your child/children to attend KCC on this day please let Janice Dale know by this Friday 9 March so we can organize whether KCC will operate on this day or not. If we have enough interest we will run KCC for the whole day.

MOVING MARCH

Moving March is underway and it has been great to see children walking to school and getting their cards stamped.

STUDY CENTRE



We have begun homework in the classes now so **Study Centre is also up and running.** If you would like your child to attend Study Centre and they are year 4 upwards, then please contact the office or pick up an enrolment form for Study Centre after school.

A reminder that if they attend, there is an expectation once they have completed their tasks, they will be released from Study Centre at that point.



50 cent STALLS

Remember our Year six students are running 50cent stalls every Friday at morning tea time. Buying items, supports year six children to raise money to go to camp. Please be mindful that items are all 50 cents so \$2 is the limit.

BANK ACCOUNTS

Many families keep a small bank account with the school office to pay for trips, lunches etc. If you would like to do this, bring in some cash and talk to Melva, Paula or Janice and they will show you how it works. Some families have set up a regular bank credit to do the same thing. If you wish to do this, the lovely office ladies will help with this. Our account is Koraunui School Board of Trustees 123478-0015483-00

Dave Lamont

Principal

VIOLIN LESSONS

Arohanui Strings is opening a class at the new Koraunui/Stokes Valley hub! Classes are on Mondays and started 19 February, 3:00 to 5:00, in the Plunket Room at the hub. For children aged 6-12. Learn violin, viola, cello, bass and music reading with our experienced team. All of our programmes are offered free of charge thanks to generous sponsors including HCC. For more information or to register your child please contact admin@arohanuistrings.org.



KCC April Holiday Programme Bookings

Information on this was sent home last week. Please note enrolments need to be back no later than 28 March if you wish your child(ren) to attend, earlier would be appreciated. If you didn't receive the information please enquire at the school office.



The Hutt City Council and the Friends of Horoeoka Scenic Reserve are hosting a Family Day

When: Sunday 11th March, 11 am until 3 pm

Where: In the Entrance Area, at 17 Horoeoka Street

What to bring: A picnic, walking shoes, sun hat and sunblock, and money for the school stall

What to do: Come and check out the changes in the Entrance Area and walk the Loop Track

What is on: There will be a free sausage sizzle, stalls run by local primary schools, displays and a quiz for anyone walking the Loop Track (35 minutes return)

**Family Day at Horoeoka Scenic Reserve,
Stokes Valley, Sunday March 11th 2018,
11 am–3 pm Come along!**

Past Family Days:



WHATS COMING UP THIS TERM?

Week Six

- Monday-Thursday 5th - 8th Mar: Swimming **Group Two** Stokes Valley Pool
- Monday 5 Mar: Movin March begins.
- **Sunday** 11 Mar: Family Day at Horoeoka Reserve

Week Seven

- Monday-Thursday 12th-15th Mar: Swimming **Group Two** Stokes Valley Pool
- Thursday 15 Mar: Weetbix Tryathlon

Week Eight

- Tuesday 20 Mar: Zone Rippa Rugby at Hutt Park, 9.15-12.30
- Thursday 22 Mar: Zone Rippa Rugby at Hutt Park, 9.15-12.30 (postponement date)

Week Nine

- Thursday 29 Mar: Year 3-6 Northern Zone Rippa Rugby.
- Friday 30 Mar: Easter Friday. **NO SCHOOL**

Week Ten

- Monday 2 April: Easter Monday. **NO SCHOOL**
- Tuesday 3 April: Easter Tuesday. **NO SCHOOL**
- Thursday 5 April: Hutt Sports Festival, Year 5/6 at Hutt Park (TBC)

Week Eleven

- Monday 9 April: BBC Crew visit
- Tuesday 10 April: Year 3-6 Inter-zone Rippa Rugby.
- Friday 13 Apr: Last day of Term One
- Mon 30 April: Term Two starts