



## **NEWSLETTER SEVEN, TERM ONE.**

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

Welcome to Shelley and her whanau who joined our school this week.

## **WE NEED SOME MUSCLE**

Next Tuesday 19 March after school to collect some scaffolding from the Hutt Repertory Theatre and bring it to the school hall then Wednesday 20 March to return it to the theatre. If you can help please contact the school office.

## **BOARD OF TRUSTEES SCHOOL VISION REVIEW**

Thank you to those who have contributed to the Vision survey about what you want for your children while they are at Koraunui School. Please follow this link to complete the survey <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/Y3H987Z>

**THE SURVEY CLOSSES THIS FRIDAY. HAVE YOUR SAY!**



## **SWIMMING LESSONS – STOKES VALLEY POOL**



This is the last week for swimming at Stokes Valley Pool for Group 2 (Rooms 5, 7, 9, 11, 14, 15). The children walk to the pool so will need comfortable walking shoes and will go wet or fine. Please make sure the children come to school with named togs and towels the weeks their class is due to go to the pool. Lessons will finish this Thursday.

## **50 cent STALLS**



50 cent stalls will be taking place every Friday. 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 per child.

## **SCHOOL SWIMMING POOL**

We continue to make use of our school pool with the good weather we have been having. Please send named togs and towels to school with your children as most classes are swimming every day.

# 18 DAYS TO GO UNTIL OUR SCHOOL GALA! 😊



Thank you to those who have already donated goods for the gala. We still need items as below.

We are asking for the following from each family please;

- A **bottle** of anything you have for the Tombola



- A **bag of wrapped lollies** (fruit bursts, minties etc) for lollie lei

- An **Easter egg** for a huge Easter raffle



Please bring these in to school office over the next week in order for the sorting to begin.

- If you have items that you no longer need and could be useful for the **White Elephant Stall**, please drop them into Room 1 at school.
- If you have old crockery – plates, cups, bowls that you no longer need, we could use these for **Smash Palace**. Please drop these into Room 1.



Important Information for the Gala – in an effort to be as environmentally friendly as we can and fitting in with our Enviroschool focus we will not be providing plastic bags at any of our stalls. We ask that people bring their own reusable bags to carry away items they purchase.

## SCHOOL BASKETBALL TEAMS

Tiniball and Miniball begins in Term 2. Now is the time to begin to get your children signed up to play. We are looking for players and coaches in all grades. If your child/children are keen to play, please complete the form and return it to school. Fees are \$26 per child for all grades. This is based on 9 children in a team.



<b>Monday Tiniball (Year 3/4)</b> <b>Maximum Teams 28</b>	Start Date - 6th May 2019	End Date - 24th June 2019
<b>Thursday Miniball (Yr 5/6)</b> <b>Maximum Teams 42</b>	Start Date - 9th May 2019	End Date - 27th June 2019
<b>Friday Tiniball (Yr 1/2)</b> <b>Maximum Teams 36</b>	Start Date - 24th May 2019	End date - 28th June 2019

## NETBALL

Netball season is approaching fast and teams, coaches, and managers need to be organized. Who is keen to play netball this year? Netball is for Year 3 students and up. Who can coach? Who can manage? If you can help out please contact Mr Gilmour or Mrs Ritossa.



## MOVIN' MARCH



Ka wani kē tamariki mā! Well done to all the tamariki who have completed their first passport for Movin' March. All completed passports will be entered in to a draw, refer to this website for more details: <https://www.movinmarch.com/wow>

### Park and Stride and Walking Pou

Our school has two park and stride pou, one on Montgomery Street and the other one on Stokes Valley Road, you can drop your child there and they can walk the rest of the way to kura! This can give our tamariki a little independence and fresh air before and after school as well as reducing congestion around the school gate.



**WIN with WOW!**

All entries will go in the draw to win one of six \$300 AVANTI vouchers.

The school with the highest percentage of walk or wheel trips in each district will win a \$100 Prezzy card.


### Parent Photo Competition

Last week the [Wellington Zoo](#) donated all our Family passes for our parent photo competition. This week [Zealandia](#) features for our Wild Thing Destination. And look out for Friday's Favourite Photo prize on the 15<sup>th</sup>, as we'll be giving away an amazing adult scooter courtesy of [Micro Scooters](#)! Simply snap a photo of your family's journey to school during Movin' March and win! It might highlight a small adventure or wonder discovered along the way, or simply capture a moment in your journey. To enter, post your photo publicly on [Facebook](#) or [Instagram](#) with [#movinmarch](#). T&C's are [here](#)

Refer to this link for more details: <https://www.movinmarch.com/photocomp>

Dave Lamont  
Principal

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<b>Tiniball / Miniball - Please circle one</b>		
<b>Childs/Children's name:</b>	<b>Year Level:</b> 1 2 3 4 5 6	
<b>Parents name:</b>	<b>Phone number:</b>	
<b>I can help coach a team - Yes / No</b>		

# WHATS COMING UP THIS TERM?

## Week Six

Tuesday 12 March: Yr 3-6 Rippa Rugby Tournament at Hutt Park (selected teams)

Thursday 14 Mar: Weetbix Tryathlon (all entries have been received for this event)

## Week Seven

Monday 18 March: Year 6 Road Patrol Refresher Course

## Week Eight

Saturday 30 March: SCHOOL GALA

## Week Ten

Friday 12 Apr: Last day of Term One

Mon 29 April: Term Two starts

## KORAU AROUND THE SCHOOL

