### FAIRBURN SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



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Term 4, Week 1

Wednesday 17th October 2018

Kia ora, Malo e Lelei, Talofa Lava, Kia Orana, Ni sa bula, Mauri, Suosday, Sat Sri Akaal, Tajba Filghodu, Xin Chao, Ni Hao, Guten Tag, Sawadee, Kumusta, Fakaalofa lahi atu, Maith, warm greetings to you all.

#### **WELCOME TO TERM 4**

We hope you all had a fantastic break with your friends and whanau and are all looking forward to our final term of 2018! It was so nice to see all our students and families on Monday morning and to welcome some new faces around the school. Along with our newest students we would also like to welcome Margret Linstead into the office team and welcome back to Mrs Fox in Room 10.

We have lots planned for this term so keep updated by reading your newsletters, notices and keeping an eye on our Facebook page!

#### **SUN HATS**

It is school policy that during terms 1 & 4 every child is to wear a hat at school during playtime & lunchtime to help protect them from the sun. Children who do not have hats will have to spend their playtime/lunchtime sitting in the shade.

Please send your child with a named hat to leave at school in the classroom for the term.

Thank you for your support!

## REMINDER OUT OF ZONE ENROLMENTS

For 2019, there are limited spaces in all year levels. Therefore, there will be a ballot for out of zone students. The ballot for entry in Term 1 2019 will be held on 19th October. All applications for enrolment must be in by the end of the week.

## NATIONAL SHAKE IT OUT DAY

On Thursday we will be taking part in 'National Shake It Out Day' (Earthquake drill) so that our children know what to do in an earthquake. The drill will be done on Thursday 18th October at 9.30am.

#### **PURPLE FRIDAY**

This Friday, 19th October, we will be raising money to support World Polio Day.

Please can students wear purple (or colours close to purple) and bring a gold coin donation to help support this cause. Thank you for your support for this worthwhile cause.

#### **CONTACT DETAILS**

Remember you can contact us in several ways:

Phone: 09 270 1130 Email: info@fairburn.school.nz

Facebook:

www.facebook.com/fairburnschool **Website:** www.fairburn.school.nz

PLEASE make sure we also have a few options to contact you too! Also -if you have changed numbers or address during the last term make sure our office team know:)

# PARKING AROUND SCHOOL

Just a friendly reminder to please park respectfully & legally around the school grounds. Parking wardens are always 'in the area' and we want to ensure our neighbours are also happy!

#### **PRINCIPAL'S AWARDS**



### Congratulations to the following children:

Isa Syed, Arav Gill, Anaseini Tonga, Anthony Fifita, Blake Tapatuetoa, Fatafehi Tupoutoa, Kimhab Kong, Cameo Tupaea, Alleyah Azeem, Patrick Ah Sue, Atwinna Tovia, Kayla Le, Maletino Taufa, Meera Patel, Matangisinga, Liufau, Willow Mounga, Mele Valu, Connor Taylor, Carlee Forsyth-Grey, BeauJanet Collier, Tanuska Devi, Junior Tupou, Tevita Takai, Loviana Tuia, Jhadore Taumaa, Heba Abusaaieliek, Kolini Lovo, Dayzha Harema, Kimberley Bayley-Manuel, Evan Lay, Thu Rein Saung, Rishab Kumar, Siokatame Namoa, Aijaz Hussain, Phoenix Papalii, Gaurav Maharaj, Lavinia Liufau.

### Regards

Paula Passfield

Principal



#### **DATES FOR THE DIARY**

MONDAY 22ND OCTOBER

LABOUR DAY-SCHOOL CLOSED

**TUESDAY 30TH OCTOBER** 

INTERSCHOOL SCHOOL CROSS
COUNTRY

**BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING** 

**THURSDAY 15TH NOVEMBER** 

KIDS FOR KIDS CHOIR

FRIDAY 16TH NOVEMBER

WELCOME ASSEMBLY

SATURDAY 17TH NOVEMBER

UKULELE FESTIVAL

TUESDAY 20TH NOVEMBER

**BOOK LAUNCH** 

Y3-6 ATHLETICS

TUESDAY 27TH NOVEMBER

INTERSCHOOL ATHLETICS

FRIDAY 30TH NOVEMBER

JUNIOR ATHLETCS

WEDNESDAY 12TH DECEMBER

REPORTS GO HOME

FRIDAY 14TH DECEMBER

CELEBRATING OUR PLACE CONCERT & PRIZEGIVING

MONDAY 17TH DECEMBER

END OF SCHOOL YEAR

**TEACHERS ACTION UPDATE** Following strike action in August, and extensive negotiations, the Ministry of Education made second offers to both primary teachers and principals. Members resoundingly voted to reject these offers. Members are currently voting in a secret ballot on whether to hold a week of rolling one-day strikes in November. For **YOU** this means school **could be** closed on Monday 12th November - we will keep you up to date and let you know as soon as a decision has been made.