## FAIRBURN SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



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Term 1, Week 8

Wednesday 24th March 2021

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.

## EMERGENCY DRILL SUCCESS

Two weeks ago we ran a school wide emergency drill schoolwide. Our entire school, including all students and staff have participating in a training session and the response and interaction was very positive.

Our emergency drill was conducted on Friday 12th March and we are pleased to say all students responded safely and maturely.

We thank you for your support.

# OTAHUHU CULTURAL FESTIVAL

Our school cultural groups practices for the Otahuhu Cultural Festival are well under way.

There will be a dress rehearsal at school on Tuesday 13th April with the actual festival is being held at the Otahuhu Recreational Centre on Thursday 15th April - more details on this event to come!

#### **SPARE CLOTHING**

If your child has borrowed any clothing from our sick bay this term can you please ensure it has been washed and returned. We are always in need of bottoms (trousers, shorts, leggings, skirts) for students who may need a change whilst at school so if you are having a clear out please drop off any items to the school office.

Thank you!

#### **INTERSCHOOL TAG**

A huge well done the girls and boys teams at the interschool Rippa Rugby on Tuesday 16th March.

Everyone showed excellent sportsmanship and our school values.

Shout out and massive thanks to Coach Dave for taking our girls team.

To our whanau that turned up, thank you for your amazing support. Congratulations to Brooklyn and Eugene for making the tournament teams. Ka rawe!



#### **SCHOOL GATES**

Just a reminder that our school gates are locked between 9:00am and 2:40pm. During this time all visitors must access school via the Pukeora Road entrance and sign in at the office before entering the grounds.

We appreciate your understanding with this.



#### PRINCIPAL AWARDS



### Congratulations to the following children:

TJ Vimahi, Anushka Rawat,
Ayaan Shah, Ana Vuki,
Nanuma Mohenoa, Rhythm
Tupaea, Selanau Sitaleki,
Dennis Biriauea, Maie Aue,
Chase Mendes-Fanovaha,
Arish Hussein, Kaushik Muni,
Monty Niuloa-Fisiifetau, Dave
Huavi, Aria Allen, Judje
Taufelila, Kingston Nona
Thompson, Leo Te Hau, Aarav
Kishore, Ishita Rawat, Linda
Douangsay, Sharvianna
Manutulila.

#### PRE-SCHOOL VISITS

We only have two more preschool visits left this term! Come along and see what we do in the junior school on .Friday mornings from 9-11am. (Parents must stay too). Preschool dates:

- Friday 26 March
- Friday 9 April

For more information please contact Miss Pritchard on 2701130.

Ngā mihi *Paula Passfield* Principal

### DATES FOR THE DIARY

THURSDAY 25TH MARCH

MIDDLE SCHOOL SWIMMING SPORTS

FRIDAY 26TH MARCH

SENIOR SCHOOL SWIMMING SPORTS

MONDAY 29TH MARCH

INTERSCHOOL SOFTBALL

FRIDAY 2ND APRIL

GOOD FRIDAY (SCHOOL CLOSED)

MONDAY 5TH APRIL

EASTER MONDAY (SCHOOL CLOSED)

TUESDAY 6TH APRIL

EASTER TUESDAY (SCHOOL CLOSED)

WEDNESDAY 14TH APRIL

INTERSCHOOL SWIMMING

WEDNESDAY 14TH APRIL

YEAR 0-1 PICTURE REPORTS COMING HOME

FRIDAY 16TH APRIL

LAST DAY OF TERM

#### **TERM DATES 2021**

Term 1: 3rd Feb- 16th Apr

Term 2: 3rd May - 9th Jul

Term 3: 26th Jul - 1st Oct

Term 4:18th Oct-15th Dec



COMMUNITY NOTICES: Looking for childcare on Tuesday April 6th? (School Closed) - Ōtāhuhu Pool & Leisure Centre are running a Chill Out Kids day programme from 7am-6pm for students so please feel free to get in touch with them on 09 2768207.

FREE COMMUNITY BASKETBALL SKILLS SESSIONS - Otahuhu Shinobi Pandas Basketball (ages 7-12) Wednesdays, 5-6:30pm at the Otahuhu College Gymnasium (Golf Avenue entrance)