FAIRBURN SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



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Term 3, Week 8

Wednesday 14th September 2022

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.

TONGAN LANGUAGE WEEK

Last week the children had the opportunity to take part in various Tongan activities as part of Tongan Language week. We wanted to say a big THANK YOU to Mrs Telua and her family and friends who came into the school throughout the week to share some special experiences with our tamariki.



On Thursday , lots of the children came to school in cultural wear and looked fantastic!

THE PASSING OF QUEEN **ELIZABETH II**

On 8th September, Queen Elizabeth II passed away after 70 years as New Zealand's Queen and much loved sovereign.

We will be talking to the children about how this is a hugely historic moment and will be putting up a display for them to visit in the school library. The government has decided to mark the sad occasion with a one-off public holiday on Monday 26 September—School will be CLOSED for the day.

SCHOOL LUNCHES SCHEME

Just to bring you up to date, we have chosen to take part in the governments Ka Ora, Ka Ako-Healthy School Lunch Programme and hope to have this in place by next year. If you would like to be part of a small focus group who will assist us in designing a suitable menu please email info@fairburn.school.nz In the meantime, we will continue with our current food offerings which include Kickstart Breakfast Club, Eat My Lunch, Fruit in Schools and KidsCan snacks. Please do not hesitate to contact your child's classroom teacher should your child require lunch/ morning tea.

LOOK OUT FOR A PHOTOLIFE EMAIL

Just a reminder to keep an eye on your emails for an email from Photolife. They will be sending a sample of your child's photo via email and you will then be able to order the photos online.

ROAD SAFETY

Just a friendly reminder to talk to your children about road safety around school. Our school crossing is the safest place for children to cross the road and is on Fairburn Road. The crossing is manned from 8:15am every morning and everyday after school.



PRINCIPAL AWARDS



Congratulations to the following children:

Dennis Biriauea, Ariz Hussain, Aisea Tuimoala, Ricardo Tuipulotu, Supi Sekeni, Idris Islam, Kelisimi Mahe, Danisha Nadan, Elena Do, TJ Vimahi, Dominic Cook, Emma Vaka, Trayvon Dhal, Sundae-Love Fariu-Misiepo, Myrin-Jarrel Neru, Aita Ah Lam, Paul Rini, Logan Maeva and Lui Leauanae.

> Nga Mihi Paula Passfield Principal

PRESCHOOL VISITS

If you have a child who is going to turn 5 soon, call Miss Pritchard to organise dates for preschool visits. A parent or whanau member (over 18 years old), must stay for the entire preschool visit. Bring along some morning tea for you and your child. Our preschool visits for Term 3

Friday 16th Sep: 9am-11am Friday 23rd Sep: 9am-11am

DATES FOR THE DIARY

MON-FRI 12TH-16TH SEP

TE WIKI O TE REO MAORI

MONDAY 26TH SEPTEMBER

PUBLIC HOLIDAY

SCHOOL CLOSED

WEDNESDAY 28TH SEPTEMBER

INQUIRY SHARING DAY

FRIDAY 30TH SEPTEMBER

LAST DAY OF TERM 3

TERM 4 2022 MON 17TH OCTOBER TO THURSDAY 15TH DECEMBER



12-18 Mahuru 2022 Te Wiki o te Reo Māor

living & selling locally Otahuhu

Ray White.

Receive a \$2000 Prezzy Card* for Fairburn School Quote 'Fairburn

School' with an appraisal request! gifted upon successful sale; friends & family can also participate



COMMUNITY NOTICES

VACANCY: We are currently in search of a Classroom Assistant. Experience working with children and the ability to work with Tongan speaking learners is an advantage. IF this sounds like you please email info@fairburn,school.nz for more information

SKIDs Holiday Programme: From planting seeds to blowing bubbles and trampoline parks in between! SKIDs has you covered these school holidays. The programme will be running out of Papatoetoe South School but welcomes Fairburn Students to join. Accredited OSCAR Provider. Work & Income OSCAR Subsidy available! BOOK NOW at: www.skids.co.nz/book