PIRINOA DISTRICT NEWSLETTER - JULY 2016

A GREAT BIG THANK YOU...to Gordon for delivering our newsletter free of charge every month...Awesome!! **NEXT MONTH'S NEWSLETTER: Please note:** If you wish to place something in the August newsletter, please ensure it reaches Lynette before 29th July 2016. You can:

- Email: office@pirinoa.school.nz with 'District Newsletter' in subject line, or,
- Leave message on school phone: 3077829.

PIRINOA HALL INC: A big thanks to Pope and Gray on a great job of putting the new septic upgrade in at the hall. We now have a top of the line system to cater for our flash kitchen and facilities. For any booking enquiries just see Carmen at the Pirinoa Store. Also big thanks must go to South Wairarapa Community Board, South Wairarapa Rotary and Eastern & Central Community Trust who have all contributed towards the septic project.







WATER MEETING: The Ruamahanga Whaitua Committee will be at the Pirinoa Hall on <u>Tuesday 5 July from 5.30pm</u> onwards and we want to hear what you think about the hot topics around water—should all our rivers be swimmable? How should water be used during dry spells? How well are our rivers being managed? If you want to have a say on these topics and others this really is a fantastic opportunity—particularly for those of us who live at the bottom of the catchment. Delicious nibbles will be on offer. Please call Vanessa (3077826) if you have any questions.



SOUTH WAIRARAPA BIO GROUP: Would like to thank everyone who took part in the beach cleanup. A BIG thankyou to the awesome children, family members and staff of Pirinoa School. Also thank you to Featherston Supervalue for their generous donation for the childrens' snacks.

PLANTING DAY: <u>Saturday 16 July 2016</u>. Okorewa Lagoon (a few hundred meters past the Lake Ferry Hotel). Meet at the lagoon for a safety and planting briefing. Suited best to adults of reasonable fitness. Bring: Gloves, planting spade, drink, appropriate clothing for a winter's day. Can some of you also bring a knife or similar to make holes in wool mats. 9.30am-12pm. BBQ and refreshments after. Supported by: GWRC, DOC, Lake Ferry Hotel. RSVP: South Wairarapa Biodiversity Group—Jane Lenting; janelenting@xtra.co.nz Ph 06 3069077 or 021 02578799. We'll be running this on the 16th unless the weather is very wild. Postponement day is Saturday 23 July. Please ring before 8am on 16th July if you think it is marginal and want to check.

TUHIRANGI RUGBY FOOTBALL CLUB NEWS: Only 2 more games until semi's time. Be sure to follow the boys on these two away games, be great to see our supporters there—**Saturday 9 July** VS Greytown Away 1pm; **Saturday 16 July** VS Red Star Away at Turf 1pm.

EXPERIENCED CHILDCARE/BABYSITTER/AUPAIR/NANNY AVAILABLE:

**From 5pm evenings **References available. **Lives locally. **Own car. **Age 21. Call Danida: 0276444170.

PIRINOA PLAYGROUP: Pirinoa Playgroup (situated down driveway beside Pirinoa School) meets during term time on Tuesdays from 9am-11.30am and on Fridays from 9.30am-11.30am. New families are always welcome.

GET YOUR TICKETS FOR THE FIRST **CRYPTIC DINNER**SATURDAY 6TH AUGUST 2016 AT THE PIRINOA HALL.
FUN NIGHT FOR EVERYONE, CASH BAR, DOORS OPEN 6PM.
TICKETS \$45 EACH AVAILABLE FROM HANNA FINLAYSON, ANY OF THE WHITEMAN CLAN AND PIRINOA COUNTRY STORE.

FUNDRAISING FOR NICK PERKINS MS STEM CELL TREATMENT IN SINGAPORE.

