

# **ABERFELDY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER**

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6th March 2018 - Week Six/ Term One

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Dear Parents & Caregivers,

Just a quick newsletter this week...

## **RURAL CLUSTER SWIMMING SPORTS:**

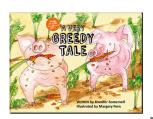
Wow - we did really well at the Rural Cluster swimming sports with the School coming 4th overall. Hunter won the Facer Cup for the Senior Boys breaststroke and our relay team won the 2 Teacher or Under School competition as well. Hopefully the weather will stay fine for our own swimming sports!

#### Sea Week:

We are meant to be attending the will be attending the sea week event hosted by the Department of Conservation tomorrow - Wednesday 7th March 2018 starting with a karakia and meet and brief at 10am at the Duncan Pavilion at Castlecliff Beach. Children will come to school as per usual in the morning and we should be advised later today if the trip is going to be cancelled or postponed.

Children MUST bring, and wear ,SUNHATS or they won't be able to attend the day.

REMEMBER - this FRIDAY Jennifer Somervell will be at school at 11.30am!



#### Year 7 & 8 CLUSTER SCHOOL CHALLENGE:

As part of the Year 7 & 8 Students Cluster School Tuia Challenge the senior students have the opportunity to cycle the "Old Coach Road Cycle Track" in (Ohakune / Raetihi—look it up on google).

We have an experienced cyclist to ride with the students and the children will use hired cycles for the ride.

The Ohakune Old Coach Road formed an integral link between the two rail heads between 1906 and 1908, allowing through journeys by horse and coach before the rail was completed. The Hapuawhenua Viaduct was one of the final components of the North Island main trunk railway. Heritage features on the trail include a unique cobbled road, massive steel viaducts, a curved

### **Calendar Dates**



- Mondays—2.15pm ASSEMBLIES at school School Lunches \$5.00
- Wednesday Mornings Integrated Maori programme at school
- Friday 9th March @ 11.30am Author Jennifer Somervell visit to school
- Wednesday 15th March Juniors trip to the Museum



Seaweek – Kaupapa Moana 2018 will take place from Saturday 3 to Sunday 11 March 2018 The theme will be "Toiora te Moana – Toiora te Tangata

- Healthy Seas, Healthy People".





## **LUNCH ORDERS - MONDAY 12th MARCH 2018**

"Butter Chicken and Rice" followed by a "Banana Split"

\$5.00 per student

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