

Papakowhai School Learning Together

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PAPAKOWHAI SCHOOL NEWSLETTER Week 4 ● Term 2 ● 23 May 2018

Dear Parents/Caregivers

ZONE CONSULTATION

The public meeting to discuss the proposed zone changes is being held in the school hall on Wednesday 30th May at 7.30 pm.

This meeting will be an opportunity for the Board to update the community on feedback from the Ministry of Education and to inform you of the changes being proposed.

Please note we will be announcing a small change to the initial proposed zone in the next couple of days. We are expecting to advertise the commencement of formal consultation at the same time. We are awaiting confirmation from the Wellington Director of Education.



Well done to Totara 3 for saying NO to bullying on pink shirt day last Friday.

Kind regards Mark Smith PRINCIPAL

ASSEMBLY

There will be an assembly next Monday, 28 May starting at 10am. Rata 2 and 4, Rimu 1 and Kauri 3 will be sharing.

First place getters from year 3-8 swimming sports and cross country will be presented with certificates at the assembly.

You will be in for a treat as the band will also perform.

PAPAKOWHAI SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY

Congratulations to all the students who participated in the cross country we held last Thursday. It was so pleasing that the weather enabled us to complete the event. Thank you to all the wonderful supporters who came along and cheered our runners on.

Here are the results:

	1st	2nd	3rd	
Year 1 Girls	Poppy Childs	Danielle Poutama	Olivia Wallace	
Year 1 Boys	Tate Gibson-Rewharewha	Logan Wilson	Sam O'Leary	
Year 2 Girls	Camille Zhou	Mirabelle Brinfield	Kayla Harris	
Year 2 Boys	Mutu Ngarimu	Zac Dilks	Dallas Summerville-Murray	
Year 3 Girls	Anae Mundell	Zaria Phelps	Lucy Bunton	
Year 3 Boys	Quinn Brittliff	Toryn Hazelhurst	Rahat Sharma	
Year 4 Girls	Hayley Hansen	Sienna Wilson	Mikayla Sheffield-Cranstoun	
Year 4 Boys	Roman Summerville-Murray	Ryan de Villiers	Rhian Douglas	
Year 5 Girls	Jessica Dowling	Nadia Wellings	Alexandra McMullin	
Year 5 Boys	Liam Phelps	Hadley Fale	Luke McKee	
Year 6 Girls	Emily Bunton	Milan Hansen	Gwyneth Dennis	
Year 6 Boys	Ohara Mundell	Caleb Cam	William Sheffield-Cranstoun	
Year 7 Girls	Milly O'Leary	Jade Lin	Emma Jenkins	
Year 7 Boys	Reweti Ngarimu	Luke Weir-Smith	Riley Watkin	
Year 8 Girls	Phoebe Grennell	Isabel Cam	Jennifer Marshall	
Year 8 Boys	Sami Widlof	Troy Neil	James van der Voort	

The inter-school completion is being held on Tuesday 12th June. If your child is selected you will receive notification and details.

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY WEEKEND

School will be closed on Monday 4th and Tuesday 5th June for the public holiday and mid-term break holiday. School is open as normal on Friday 1st June.

LOST PROPERTY

We already have a significant quantity of lost property. Not all can be kept in the small basket in the office. You are welcome to come and look through the bags if your child has lost something. We urge you to name your child's clothing so it can be easily returned. We do put the lost property on display frequently for children to view.

ABSENTEES

If your child is absent from school please contact the school office before 9am. This can be done by a phone call, email or through the skool loop app. If your child is running late please tell them to pop into the office prior to going to class. If you know in advance of an absence please let the school office know as soon as possible.

HOME AND SCHOOL COMMITTEE

The Home and School Disco is being held on Friday 22 June. Please mark this in your diaries now. More details will be sent out next week about this fun event.



YEAR 7 AND 8 VACCINATION FORMS

All permission forms should have been provided back to the school office. If you still have the form please bring it back as soon as possible. Spare forms are available if needed.

AOTEA COLLEGE OPEN EVENING

The Aotea College Open Evening for enrolments for 2019 will be held on Wednesday 13th June 2018.

There will be 2 sessions; the first from 3:30 to 5:00pm and the second 6:00 to 7:30 pm.

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT GUARDIANS OF PAUATAUANUI INLET 2018 PHOTO COMPETITION

Congratulations to Murdoch Richardson who won the Junior Human Impact Section, Leighton Mundell won the Junior Scenic, and to David Ayora who won the Junior Artistic Section.

NETBALL

A number of our 2017 Stars netball team have been chosen for representative teams for 2018.

Congratulations to:

Mickey Jones - Kapi Mana U15

Lucy Comeskey - Kapi Mana Yr9

Chantelle Beyer-Rieger - Kapi Mana Yr9

Leonora Sasagi -Kapi Mana Yr9

Erana Ngarimu - Wellington Yr9

Phoebe Grennell - Ikaroa Ki Te Tonga Maori U13

BLACK RECYCLING BOXES

Porirua City Council are issuing new wheelie bins for recycling over the next few weeks. The school's Enviro Leaders would like to ask families for their black recycling boxes, if they no longer want them, as they would like to make them into planter boxes to be placed around the school.

IMPORTANT DATES THIS TERM

MAY – Bee Healthy dental van is at school until 28th

Wednesday 23	Rimu 1 - 4 trip		
Thursday 24	Rimu 5 & 6 trip		
Monday 28	Assembly 10am		
Wednesday 30	Zone Consultation public meeting,		
	7.30pm in the school hall		

JUNE

Friday 1	Yr 8 – 1 st Gardisil vaccination, 2pm
Monday 4	Queen's birthday public holiday
Tuesday 5	Mid-term break – school closed

PAPAKOWHAI SCHOOL HOODIE / HAT ORDER FORM

Student name and class	
Parent name	
Contact number	

Hoodies are available in sizes 6, 8, 10, 12 and 14 (please enquire about the possibility of a larger size by emailing homeandschool@papakowhai.school.nz) Hats are in sizes 55cm, 57cm, 59cm and 61cm. Samples are at the school office to try on. Orders need to be received by 18/5/18 and will be delivered to your child's class in mid June.

Item	Price	Size	Quantity	Total
School hoodie	\$55			
School hoodie	\$55			
Bucket hat (blue)	\$22			
Bucket hat (yellow)	\$22			
Total order cost				

Indicate how you have paid (circle and add date)

Online Cash EFTPOS

Payments can be made to the following account: Papakowhai Home and School Committee 12-3478-0060954-00, reference with 'Hoodie' and child's name please.

Payment must be made at time of ordering. If ordering for multiple children, please use oldest child's name and class on order form.