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Welcome back to everyone for Term 4. This will be a very busy term, with reports being written, the Year 7/8 camp at Houghton's Bush, the school athletics day and the Year 8 graduation. The weeks will fly by.

iMoko: We are part of an exciting new health initiative created by Dr Lance O'Sullivan. Our group of schools recognises the additional benefits this system will provide for all our students. The iMoko system can only strengthen the healthcare of all children. A separate sheet, giving all information, will be sent home tomorrow, as well as the consent form which needs to be returned as soon as possible. We will be holding a lucky draw for the chance to win a prize for all slips returned.

WORKING BEE: The working bee at the school is being held on Saturday 27 October – the weekend after Labour Weekend. We are asking for adult volunteers to help with a variety of jobs – painting, gardening, moving sand for the new sandpit, etc. The more volunteers we have, the more we can get done. If you are able to help us, please contact the school office or return the slip below. If, for whatever reason, you can't give us your time or expertise, we would really appreciate any donation of food for the morning tea we will be putting on for the helpers – biscuits, sausages, scones, anything at all.

Term 4 Hats: Hats are compulsory in the summer terms (Terms 1 & 4). Would you please make sure that your child has a hat to wear during breaks or while outside and that the hat is named. We prefer children to wear either the school hat or a plain black one. Children without hats will need to stay under the shade – no playing on the field, the playground or on the courts.

Year 7/8 Camp: The camp will be held at Houghton's Bush camp grounds in the last week of November. Thank you to all the parents who have paid their children's camp fees. If you have any questions about the camp, please contact Mrs White.

Important Dates:

Monday 22 October – Labour Day, school closed

Saturday 27 October – Working Bee at the school, 8.00 am – 12.00 pm

Tuesday 06 November – Choir performance at the Auckland Town Hall, 6.00-9.00 pm

Friday 16 November - School athletics day, Moire Park, Years 3-8

Tuesday 27 – Friday 30 November- Year 7/8 camp at Houghton's Bush

Wednesday 12 December – Year 8 graduation, 6.30-9.00 pm

Thursday 13 December – Shine Awards Assembly, 9.15-10.30 am, all welcome

Tuesday 18 December – **End of Term 4, school closes at 12.30 pm**

Tuesday 29 January - Start of Term 1 2019, school begins at 9.00 am

Community Notices "Play Cricket this summer " Kumeu Cricket is offering cricket for all ages this summer.

Year 0-4 Boys and Year 0-6 Girls- Softball : \$120 for term 1 & 4, Friday nights Starting 26th October

Year 5-10 (Boys) Hardball : \$155 for Term 1 & 4 , Saturday Morning , Starting 27th October

Year 7-13 Girls: Hardball : \$80 for Term 1 & 4, Saturday Morning, Starting 3rd November

*All the gear and match shirts and caps provide by the club

*Please register online www.kumeucricket.com

For more information please contacting Kumeu Cricket Club 022 0434614

I can help with the working bee on Saturday 27 October	Yes/No
I can help with the painting of classrooms/swimming pool shed	Yes/No
I can help with sandpit construction and sand filling	Yes/No
I can help with gardening	Yes/No
I can't help, but can supply morning tea items	Yes/No

Name/Phone _____