Panmure District School Newsletter

Term 3, Week 9 - Monday 17 September 2018

Greetings, Kia ora, Talofa lava, Kia orana, Malo e lelei, Fakalofa Lahi Atu, Namaste, An Young Haseyo, Konichiwha, Bula Vinaka, Sawadee, Dobra Dan, Kumusta, Ni Hao, As-salamu alaykum, Hola

From the Acting Principal - Miss Alano

Our thoughts and prayers are with our Filipino whanau at PDS and your whanau back in the Phillippines after the devastation of Typhoon Mangkhut. We hope your families are safe and well.

I'm looking forward to two of our Filipino students - Razel and Jaymar competing in the Filipino speech competition on Wednesday 19th September at St Marks Catholic School on Pakuranga Road at 12pm. You are welcome to attend. Razel is our Year 7 entrant and Jaymar our Year 6 entrant.

We've had a busy fortnight of learning here at PDS. Maori language week was last week and Tongan language week the week before. Thank you to our fanau who helped with this. We appreciate your support. Check out the photos below.



Patilda and Rooms 5 and 7 having a shared lunch for Tongan Language Week. Delicious food prepared by our Tongan families.



Our Tongan fanau joining us for lunch.



Acting Principal Miss Alano, Head girl: Monalisi Tupou, Head boy: Faioso Uilou and his mum, Head girls mum and Board member: Virginia Tupou.



One of our beautiful dancers, Year 8 House Leader: Fakatu'a Kaufusi.



Our wonderful parent Mrs Helu talking to us about Tongan values.



Duffy Fathers Day Book Award

This was awarded to our wonderful parent and Board Member: Mosese Lauti for the wonderful work he does at PDS. Congratualations and Thank You Mr Lauti.

<u>Baking Programme/Maori Language Week</u> <u>Monday</u>





Rewana Bread baked by the Baking Programme Children.

Dictionaries for Year 4s



Joan Swift and her friend, on behalf the Rotary Club of Ellerslie presented Year 4 students in Room 3 with free dictionaries.

Winning House for weeks 5-8



Congratulations Totara House!!! Your house flag is flying high.

For one night only: Presenting our Term 3 PDS Show:

"Around the World"

One night of performances from our wonderful children as they present songs and dances from the country they've been learning about this term.

When: Wednesday 26 September (next Wednesday)

Where: School Hall Time: 6pm - 7:15pm Cost: Entry by koha (donation)

We look forward to seeing you all there!