



ABERFELDY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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25th October 2018 - Week Two Term Four

CONTACT DETAILS for VAN Please contact Van drivers or Fran, before 7.30am, if your child will not be on the van : **Fran 027 289 3913 Steve 027 496 3331 Raewyn 027 2114886**

Dear Parents / Caregivers,

Welcome to another new student - Oakland and his mum - Em, we hope you enjoy our unique little school! At the moment our school keeps growing and growing and our vans are full - which is great!

3 Way Interviews Student / Parent / Teacher:

We will be conducting 3 way interviews on Monday 29th October. An interview time sheet is on the back of this newsletter and **MUST** be returned to school **tomorrow** to enable us to fit in all the interviews. If you are unable to attend and would prefer a "phone" interview please advise and we will arrange a suitable time. If need be we may be able to provide transport to school if parents require it.

Interview times are 20 minutes per student.

LUNCHES:

Due to 3 Way interviews being held on Monday lunches will be on **TUESDAY** again next week and we will be having American Hot Dogs and Ambrosia - as the students loved this!

If your child had lunch this week and forgot to bring their money - please send it along as soon as possible.

Lunches - \$5.00 per student.

CAMP:

We have camp tentatively booked for the 3rd to 5th December, in Taranaki with some fun things planned for the middle / senior students (year 4 - 8) including Tawhiti Museum, Pioneer Village, possible garden or zoo trips and the wave pool in New Plymouth.

Junior students will also have some fun activities to do on day trips from Wanganui.

Inappropriate Language:

Recently there has been a lot of inappropriate language in the playground when the children get excited playing.

As we have a lot of younger students at school it is especially important to be careful with the words that we use. We realise that a lot of the language is heard on tv and computers but that does not make it acceptable in school.



Seniors - Technology - THURSDAYS:

Year 7 & 8 students are attending technology at Gonville School on Thursday mornings. Students must wear covered in shoes and take along their morning tea and a drink with them.

This term the student WILL NOT come to school first - instead they will be picked up from their homes around 9.15am - please ensure that they are ready to go!

All students had a good start to the term at technology with reports back from Gonville School Technology teachers saying that the students were well behaved and enjoying their work.

ATHLETICS:

The children have been practicing tabloid sports in preparation for our Athletics Day with the Rural Cluster School group at Cooks Gardens on the 12th November.

The children are enjoying using the big mat to practice jumping, their throwing skills and will be learning baton changing and other sport techniques.

We also have a volleyball set up and badminton racques that they are enjoying using.

Calendar Dates ...

- Monday 29th Oct 3 Way interviews
- Friday 2nd Nov Pet Day
- Tuesday 6th Nov BOT meeting
- Monday 12th Nov Athletics
- Friday 16th Nov Senior's dancing Others Gym
- Thursday 22nd Nov Raetihi festival
- Friday 23rd Nov Senior's dancing Others Gym
- Friday 30th Nov Seniors dancing
- 3rd - 5th Dec Camp (Year 4-8)
- Friday 7th Dec Tough Kids
- Wednesday 12th Dec Community BBQ
- Friday 14th Dec Seniors Dine & Dance

LUNCH ORDERS - TUESDAY 30th SEPTEMBER

"American Hot Dog" followed by "Ambrosia Pudding"

\$5.00 per student



Student Name(s):

Total Enclosed: \$.....



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3 Way Interviews - Times available Monday 29th October:

If you require transport to school please advise below - as the van might do a town run if numbers justify this, picking parents up from town at 11.30am and returning them to town at 1.30pm - to enable the van to be back in time to do the school run.

Please write your child's name in your preferred time slots and we will contact you tomorrow afternoon to advise of times allocated.

If you would prefer a phone interview please advise .

INTERVIEW TIMES are for 20 minutes.

<u>TIME:</u>	<u>1st Preference</u>	<u>2nd Preference</u>
11.00am		
11.30am		
12.00 noon		
12.30pm		
1.00pm		
<i>1.30</i>	<i>LUNCH BREAK</i>	
1.45pm		
2.15pm		
2.45pm		
3.15pm		
3.45pm		
4.15pm		

Please provide your name & Phone Number:

Name:

Phone: