



# SUNNYBRAE NORMAL SCHOOL

# NEWSLETTER

A Connected Community of Positively Engaged Learners

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## Reminders - Week beginning 5th November 2018

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This week we would like to welcome Paddy Pandey, Conor Boekweit, Elliot Farquhar and Nathan Gan, all to Room 5. We also welcome their families who are new to our school community.

### Reminders

- The **wearing of sunhats** when outside is **compulsory in Terms 1 & 4**. Please ensure your child brings his/her named hat each day. Hats are available for sale from the office for \$12.00.
- On **Wednesday 7th November** there is a meeting for Prospective Parents from 9.30 - 10.30 am in the staffroom.
- **Parent Help Needed:** The next **sausage sizzle** is being held this **Friday 9th November**. Further information will be sent home during this week. We need helpers for sorting out the orders (from 9:00-9:30 am), cooking (9:30-12:00 pm), sorting the orders for the individual classrooms (11:00-12:00 pm) and clean-up (12:30-1:00 pm). If you can help for even some or all of the morning, this would be appreciated. Please email Ann Jacobs if you can help at [annjacobs@atriatech.co.nz](mailto:annjacobs@atriatech.co.nz).

- **School Photographs:** The codes for ordering class and individual photos have not yet arrived but will be forwarded with your child/ren shortly.

### **Proposed Strike 12 November**

Primary teacher and principal members across New Zealand have voted to hold a week of rolling one-day strikes between Monday 12 November and Friday 16 November. **Sunnybrae will be closed on Monday 12 November.**

**These strikes will take place on different days throughout the country:**

- **Auckland Region - Monday, 12 November**
- **North Island** (except Auckland and Wellington) - Tuesday, 13 November
- **Wider Christchurch** (including Ellesmere, Ashley, Mid-Canterbury, Malvern, Hurunui and Aronui Tomua Waitaha) - Wednesday, 14 November
- **South Island** (except wider Christchurch) Kaikoura is also included on this day now - Thursday, 15 November
- **Wellington Region** - Friday, 16 November

You will be receiving a letter via email from our Board of Trustees Chair, Terry Sugrue regarding this day. Thank you for your messages of support and kind words.

Lorene Hurd  
Principal



### **Celebrating Success at Sunnybrae**

Thank you to the following parents who helped fundraise for our school at the Auckland Brick Show at the North Shore Events Centre over the past weekend: Tony Kong, Dee Cuttance, Pam McLauchlan, Wai Moata'ane, Maggie, Anji Simmons, Kania, Catherine Bacon, Anna Nguyen, Hine Clarke, Dang Congbang, Jessy Fischer, Robyn Oborn, Karen McKinlay, Freddie Bess, Yukako Sato, Vivian Zhao, Vivien Han, Francis Leaf, Oam, Dora Yang, Doreen, Greta Bertenshaw, Joan Cui, Jeeva, Kavitha Sadasivam, May Han, Sanae Kudo, Shelly Stapleford, Udari and Zoe Song. A special thank you to Karen Simpson and Mei Ling Kuan for all of the extra work that they put into leading and organising this event. Thanks to Wendy Casey for the use of her barbeque.

Thank you to those parents who ordered student lunches through Ez-Lunch. We have received an amount of \$109.39 being a percentage of sales for Term 3.

### **Community Notices**

- **Sunnybrae Pharmacy** has Korean speaking staff available on Fridays from 9:00 am - 5:30 pm and Saturdays from 9:00 am - 1:00 pm.

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A SUNNYBRAE NORMAL SCHOOL PTA EVENT >

# PLEASE JOIN US

The Sunnybrae Normal School Parent and Teachers Association (PTA) are currently recruiting for parents willing to help at school fundraising events.

**YOU ARE INVITED TO A  
WINE & CHEESE EVENING  
THURSDAY 15 NOV, 7PM  
IN THE TEACHERS STAFFROOM**

This is an opportunity to meet parents already involved with fundraising for the school, and how you can volunteer to help Sunnybrae and all the children.

- > Come and find out how your children already benefit from the PTA.
- > No commitment to attend all meetings.
- > Be a friend of the PTA.
- > Provide us with feedback.
- > Share new ideas for fundraising.

**DRINKS AND NIBBLES PROVIDED.**

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