

ABERFELDY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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14th March 2019 - Week 7 / Term 1

CONTACT DETAILS for VAN Please contact Van drivers or Fran, before 7.30am, if your child will not be on

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Greetings to all Parents, Caregivers, and whanau,

Welcome to our new students Hannah, Jacob, Breeze, Te Anga and Te Aratu.

As usual the term is really flying by! We have already taken part in lots of different activities and there are many more to come before the end of term 1. A number of students will be participating in the Weetbix Tryathalon next week and of course we will be having our week long camp in Taranaki during the last week of term.

In addition we are still doing our usual literacy and numeracy, with environmental education and STEAM taking place each week.

SWIMMING SPORTS:

What a fantastic little swimming sports day we had at the Wanganui East Pools! Although the water was very cold, our students showed off the skills they had been practicing at school. This was followed by a BBQ lunch and fun times on the hydro slide.

Unfortunately the Wanganui East Rural School Cluster swimming sports, for top swimmers, has been postponed / cancelled.

CAMP:

Camp plans are well under way and there will be a minimal cost to all students of \$50.00. A separate detailed camp notice will be sent out at the end of next week.

If you would like to start paying this off now we are able to accept weekly payments at school or by internet banking - Bank account for CAMP payments:

02-0792-0329292-000

Some of the things we have planned are visits to -

- * Tawhiti Museum
- * Pioneer Village
- * Chaddy's Charter
- * Brookland and Pouakai zoo's
- * Lake Rotokare (outdoor learning centre)
- * Stoney Oak Wildlife Farm
- * Camp activities and swimming

WEETBIX TRYATHALON - TUESDAY 19th March:

At the moment we have the following students taking part -

Ohai & Te Aute Liam & Alex Ray Campbell & Ryder Jayna & ???

All students who finish the tryathalon , regardless of placing, receive a t-shirt, gold medal and certificate. We have been fortunate enough to have accessed funding to pay 75% of he \$40 entry fee. Details of transport and supervision will be advised, to those students participating, tomorrow

VAN & Van Payments:

Details for van payments are - \$20 per week for up to 2 children - with an additional \$5 per student after that. Bank account for van payments: 02-0792-0329292-025

Please use your name as a reference. Thank you to those





LUNCH ORDERS - MONDAY 18th March 2019

"Shepherds Pie and Apple Sponge"

\$5.00 per student

