

PIRINOA DISTRICT NEWSLETTER – February 2020



PIRINOA SCHOOL:

Pirinoa School welcomed two new staff members and seven new students at the beginning of the school year. Sue Fleming is the acting principal until a permanent principal is appointed to the school and Elizabeth Rudd is teaching Y3, 4 and 5 students. The familiar faces of Natalie Lagah and Sissy Pickering are still here as is

Alison Sim and teacher aide Angela.

Any enquiries can be made to Jesse D who is our office manager.

Our programme this term is focussing on local history and the connections we make to the people, the land and the sea.

We have a very busy programme planned with lots of learning happening. We are looking for some volunteers this term to assist with listening to our students read. We will be running the programme between 11.00 a.m. and 12.00 noon Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Please contact Jess if you would be interested in helping.

Thank you to the community for their ongoing support. We at Pirinoa School appreciate your interest and help in our school. Sadly on Saturday night there were unwanted visitors in our playground who up turned outdoor furniture, threw chairs up onto the roof and left a shattered glass bottle on the veranda. The police have been contacted and we ask that if you see anything suspicious please let the school know.

PIRINOA SCHOOL YEAR 8's:

Pirinoa School year 8's are participating in the William Pike challenge and are on the lookout for community service opportunities, if you have one please contact Jess in the school office.

FUEL FOR SCHOOLS:

Last week John from North Fuels dropped off three new Chromebooks for the school. This is part of a school fundraising scheme run by North Fuels and supported by the community. Thank you so much to these awesome farms for supporting Pirinoa School:

Turanganui Ltd, Raho Ruru Romney Limited, Gleniti Romneys Limited, MK & MP Tipoki, Palliser Bay Station, Yeronga Ltd, Tauanui Farm Limited, Pirinoa Station Limited, Haurangi Heartland Limited, Elan Fishing Ventures Limited.

Thanks North Fuels!



PIRINOA PLAYGROUP:

Pirinoa Playgroup is open Tuesdays from 9am – 11.30am during school terms.

Contact Hanna on 0274205696 or find us on Facebook!

This term are trailing Friday playgroup sessions too! 2pm til 4pm.

Please still bring piece of fruit for the kids and we will supply cheese and crackers (instead of scones).

See you all then :-)

TUHIRANGI NETBALL:

We may be in the heat of summer but registrations are now open to play Netball in 2020 and it looks like we will have two teams. Preseason starts 7:15pm Tuesday 3rd March, everyone welcome. The South Wairarapa Preseason Tournament is Saturday 28th March with the seasoning starting Saturday 2nd May. If you are keen to play, manage or umpire please contact Kim on 0274129299.

PALLISER RIDGE:

Natural Dye Class Sunday 5th April 1pm-4pm

We still have a few spaces available for our Natural Dye Class in April, why not pop along, or purchase a space as a gift for someone crafty who's looking for a fun afternoon at the farm.

More classes for 2020 to be announced shortly!



THE LAND GIRL:



Thanks for a successful Pizza night on Friday 28th. These evenings are such fun and are a great way to catch up with the neighbours or meet the locals. This month we have a Mexican night coming up on March 20th. Check out our Facebook or Instagram pages for the details or if you prefer, text us your name and number to receive reminder texts when our evenings are coming up **0272709304**. Our open hours are **Thursday 8.30 to 3 Fri 8.30 to 3 Saturday 9 to 4 Sunday 9 to 3 Monday 9 to 3**.
The team at The Land Girl

Pirinoa Prime Lamb Comp

Friday 6 March 2020
Pirinoa Station Woolshed

Speed
Shear | BBQ

3pm Cut Off For Lamb Entries Followed
By Judging, BBQ & Speed Shear

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All lambs entered will remain at the Woolshed and have their sale price donated to the Community. For more info, to register lambs or enter the speed shear call Kurt 0274276604

THANK YOU AGAIN to Gordon for delivering the District newsletter. All donations can be left at the store as usual.

NEXT NEWSLETTER:

Please note: If you wish to place something in the October 2019 newsletter please:

- email office@pirinoa.school.nz with 'District Newsletter' in subject line, or
- Leave message on school phone: 06 3077829.