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Tena koutou katoa, Talofa lava, Faakalofa lahi atu, Malo e lelei, Kia Orana, Bula Vinaka, Namste, Mauri,

Dear Parents,

The year has started very well. Hopefully all students will have returned this week, unless family have moved out of the district. We have enrolled 77 new students and withdrawn 75 students so far.

MEET THE TEACHER EVENING

6PM WEDNESDAY 20 FEBRUARY

ALL students are expected to introduce you to their 2019 Teacher. Come and see our "BIG SCREEN" under the Big Top in action then meet your child's teacher.

FREE SAUSAGE SIZZLE & DRINK

WHEN: WEDNESDAY 20 FEBRUARY

WHERE: UNDER THE BIG TOP (NETBALL COURTS)

- A brief talk about the new "Digital Technologies Curriculum" (10 mins)
- 6.20pm-7.30pm - MEET YOUR CHILD'S TEACHER

YEAR 7/8 BONDING TRIPS:

All 10 Year 7/8 classes will have a day of special activities for consolidating their class culture. No cost to Whanau. Your child will have a note home soon.

YEAR 7/8 TECHNOLOGY FUNDS:

All students will receive a letter regarding the \$30 annual contribution for their Technology activities. This can be paid in full at \$30 or Termly for \$8 per term.

SPORTS T-SHIRTS:

A sports shirt is required by all students in Years 5-8 only Cost is \$5 and these can be purchased at the office before school starts.

Board Of Trustee Elections 2019:

This year in May, there will be elections for 5 parents who would like to put their names forward. Voting will be held in early May so please start thinking about good people who will support our school and work together to promote our beliefs for the best education for all of our students. MORE INFORMATION SOON!!

CHANGES TO SCHOOLING SYSTEMS:

A taskforce appointed by the Government have proposed changes to how schools' operate. A discussion document has just been received. I will keep you informed whj when we have had time to sort out what is proposed, as we all need to send in our ideas before 7 April 2019.

LUNCH COMBOS AVAILABLE

\$5.00 or \$6.00 for 2 Main Items

\$3.00 ea (Burger, Sandwich, Hot Dog or Roll)

Monday: Pie & Popcorn/Cookie

Wednesday: Hotdog/Popcorn/Muffin

Fridays: Filled Roll/Water/Popcorn

TUCKSHOP (Mon, Wed, Fri ONLY)

Moosie	\$1.50	Popcorn	\$1.00
Juicy/Tube	\$1.50	Vege Chips (L)	\$1.50
Calci-yum	\$1.50	Vege Chips (s)	50c
Drink (Sml)	\$1.50	Drink (Lge)	\$2.00

Please order at the hall by 8.30am

ADULT LEARNERS:

We are offering the following courses this year - Te Reo Maori, Sewing, English, Drivers License, Cooking, Computers (incl Job Seeking & CV Skills) Financial Literacy and Documentation Life Skills. Please contact Darlene Hill on 09 2665558 or 02885003963 if you would like to register or for more information, Classes start in early March.

FINLAYSON PARK CHILDCARE:

We have spaces in our Centre for 2yr - 4yr olds. 20 FREE HOURS, affordable rates. WINZ approved. Contact Linda Lang Centre Manager on (09) 2678324.

Ma te wa,

(Mrs) Shirley Maihi QSM
PRINCIPAL