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TE REO O TE KURA

17/19

Tena koutou katoa, Talofa lava, Fakalofa lahi atu, Malo e lelei, Kia Orana, Namaste, Bulavinaka, Mauri, Zâoshang hão, 早上好,

29 October 2019

Dear Parents,
Just a few reminders to put onto your calenders.

ATHLETICS



Whole school athletics will be this week – **FRIDAY 1st November.**

Senior classes: Year 5 to 8 travel to Jellicoe Park on Jellicoe Rd, Manurewa

Junior classes: Year 1 to 4 will be at school

All events start at 9.30am and will run till 2.00pm. All welcome. We will even have a parents event (run or tug o war). Come and join the fun.

Students need – lunch, water bottle, hat & jacket, if cold. Students Y5-8 must wear their House T-shirts.

TE RIMA



Te Roopua Reo Rua

Year 7/8's travel to Northland to enter a quadrathlon on Saturday 2 November. They leave on Friday 1st November at 10.00am. Good luck to all Competitors. Go hard!! They return on Saturday evening.

TE KURA MANU



The Kapa Haka Nationals begin at Claudelands Stadium, Hamilton on Monday 4th-Friday 8th November. As our Kapa Haka team won the Auckland competitions last year, they will travel to compete in this National Championships. They are on stage for their items on Thursday 7th November at 1.15pm. Tickets available from Ticketech. We will live stream this, on our big outdoor screen. All welcome to attend and view (on the netball courts area). Our team has been training and working hard. Best wishes to them all. Kiakaha.

OTHER EVENTS

- Education Review Office Visit (Nov. 19–22)
- End of Year Whole School Awards
December 3rd, Tuesday – 9.00am
- Team Assemblies from 4–11 December
(More info from teams)
- School final Reports home–December 10th, Tues.
- Year 8 Graduation Ball, December 12 (Venue – TBC) 6.00pm–9.00pm
- School Closes – December 13th at 1.30pm
- After School Care Programme – closes on December 19th, Thursday



The visit to our school begins

on Tuesday 19 November with a Powhiri at 9am. Parents are welcome to attend. There will be 4 or 5 reviewers and they will visit classrooms, talk to students, staff, Board of Trustees and parents during the days in our school. Then we will receive an ERO Report in about 6 weeks time.

School in 2020



Uniforms will be available from the Uniform Shoppe Manukau or from the pop up Van visiting our school on Friday, 24 January and Tuesday 28 January OR you can buy them online. But order the sizes you need before school closes.

- School starts on Monday 3 February at 8.40am. Free stationery in the first week of school. Return during that first week to get your child's Free stationery.
- WAITANGI DAY – February 6 – School CLOSED

ADVANCE NOTICE

On Wednesday 27 November all students will go home at 12 noon. School will close to allow time for teacher professional development from 12.30pm – 5.30pm.

After School Care will be open for those students who go there usually after school. All other students must be picked up or walk home at **12 noon**.

If you are unable to pick up your child at 12 noon please write me a note to inform me of your pick up time – your child's name and your contact number also.

TRAVEL WISE

It's great to see lots of students walking/scootering to school.

If you are dropping or picking up your children, park in the safe areas marked on the Travelwise maps. **NO** stopping on the road to drop off children. **PLEASE DON'T DO THIS!!** It is unsafe for us all! Incentives for safe parking and walking later in the term.



TEAM ASSEMBLIES

End of Year

- End of Year Whole School Prizegiving 3rd December

Team	Date	Time
Te Roopu Reo Rua	Wednesday 4 December	9.00am – 10.30am
Te Huringa	Wednesday 4 December	11.00am – 12.20pm
O Le Taiala	Thursday 5 December	9.00am – 10.40am
Sia Mo'ui	Thursday 5 December	11.00am – 12.20pm
Nga Hau E Wha 4	Friday 6 December	9.00am – 10.30am
Nga Hau E Wha 2	Friday 6 December	11.00am – 12.20pm
Nga Hau E Wha 3	Friday 6 December	1.30pm
Nga Hau E Wha 1	Monday 9 December	11.00am – 12.20pm

Ka kite ano

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