Term 2 Week 2 Newsletter - Wednesday 10 May 2017 - Rāapa 10 Haratua 2017

TERM DATES 2017

Term 2: 1 May – 7 July: Queen's Birthday Mon 5 June

Term 3: 24 July – 29 September Term 4: 16 October – 20 December



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What's happening this week?

Tonight: 10 May - BOT Meeting



THIS FRIDAY 12 May – Sausage sizzle for Indigo Rm Ski trip fundraising. Please order your sausage and bread tomorrow if you wish to buy one for lunch on Friday. \$2 per sausage and bread.

RUGBY SKILLS All classes will take part in a 4 week programme of rugby skills training starting this Friday morning.

Some dates for your diary...

15-17 May - Life Education Truck at school

17 May - Tackle 7s Rugby Tournament for selected Year 7 & 8 students.

18 May – School Photos *note change of day* (in the morning – please let the office know if you want a family photo taken)

18 May - School Cross Country (after photos!) Parents welcome 1.30pm onwards.

24 May - Nelson Museum Trip - Rm3 & Indigo Rm - check school bags for more details!

27 May - Weedbusters Working Bee - more details below

31 May - Interschool's Cross Country competition

Reminders & snippets

- Pool Keys Return your key for your \$10 refund
- School Donations For 2017 rates have been set at \$25 for one student at school, \$40 for 2 students, with a maximum donation of \$50 per family at school. Thank you to those who have already paid – you can pay online to 03 1354 0359568 00 or by cash/cheque at the office.
- Scholastic Book Club brochures Issue 3 out now.
 Please bring your orders and payments to the office.
- Quiz Night at Rabbit Hill Café 19 May Please register your names or teams to the office - \$10 per person to raise funds for the school music department.
 7pm start.

Welcome! This week we welcome **Denys** to Room 3. Welcome Denys, we hope you are enjoying making new friends and being here at Ngatimoti School ☺

Feijoas! Thank you to Barry & Catherine for your very generous donation of boxes of feijoas for our students. Yum!



Sweet Enough

Weedbusters Working Bee The Motueka Valley Weedbusters group are planning on helping to tidy up at the stream on Saturday 27 May, 10 a.m. onwards. We would love some helping hands! If possible, please bring gloves, secateurs & loppers and come and have a look at our schools enviro project. Hot drinks provided. If wet we will postpone until Sunday 28th. Any queries phone Lesley on 5268047

ROOM 3 have been writing about kindness



Kindness is being helpful, kind and respectful. I helped mum and dad by cleaning the lounge. Kindness is about helping other kids. Hunter helped me get unstuck from the tree. By Sultan

HEALTH SURVEY
Thank you to all of you who completed the health survey to school last week – we had 20 surveys returned. The majority of parents support our ideas and what we are doing regarding health education here at Ngatimoti. The

Life Education truck is here next Monday to Wednesday and we encourage any interested parents to come along and join in with one or more sessions to find out more about it. Call the office for the Life Ed schedule details. Also, It's not too late to request another copy of the survey or hand in yours if you have not yet done so.



<u>Head lice Alert</u> We have had a case of head lice reported to us so we ask you to please be vigilant, check your child's hair and treat if necessary, in an attempt to stop the spread. For further advice contact the office or go to

https://parents.education.govt.nz/primary-school/wellbeing/head-lice/

Kindness is being nice to others, helping other people and forgiving friends. My friend Jaxon was being nice to me and it made me feel special. When we went to the park I went on the flying fox. In the middle I fell off the flying fox then Jaxon helped me feel better. By Denys



Indigo Room and Room 4 buddy reading ©

A FIRE SAFETY MESSAGE FROM GABRIEL IN ROOM 4

We learnt fire safety. Go to the door if you hear your fire alarm going. And then use the back of your hand to check if there is not a fire on the other side. If there is, jump out of the window. Go to the letter box so your family can have a little meeting together. If you are frying don't leave it to keep on frying, otherwise it will set a fire. Don't put water on it. It will set a fire too. So be careful of what you are doing!

<u>NETBALL</u> The Ngatimoti Diamonds kicked off their season with a very convincing win and **Ari** was our first player of the day this season for her amazing skills in the shooting circle. Well done! Huge thanks also to Mrs. Turner for giving her time to come and support the team.

Saturday 13 May

Ngatimoti Stars (year 3/4) Please meet in the stadium at 9.15 for your festival day. We are also on duty this week if parents could help setting up equipment etc. Finish time should be 10.30. Uniforms should have come home today. After school skill sessions will start on Wednesday May 24. 3 till 4 pm

Ngatimoti Ferns (year 5/6) please meet at the courts at 10.15 for your festival day which will run till 11.30.

Ngatimoti Diamonds (year 7/8) Please meet at the courts at 11.30 READY to warm up for a 12 noon game.

A reminder to all players that you will need to have nails cut short, no jewellery, long hair tied back (blue or black hair tie), white socks, black knickers (year 5 and above) and a full water bottle. If for any reason you are unable to make a game or practice please let your coach know asap so they can make adjustments. Your coaches are; (Stars) Esther 021 036 6890, (Ferns) Lou 526 8815 and (Diamonds) Bex 027 774 4044

<u>Subs</u>; these are now due in, Diamonds \$60, Ferns \$45 and Stars \$35. You can pay Lou directly or by internet banking into account number 11 7426 001837300 00. Thank you to those who have already paid.

Star Helper workshop: is being offered to all year 7&8's at Motueka netball courts on Tuesday May 16 from 4-6pm

<u>Fundraising</u>: Our turn for fundraising this year is **Saturday 20 May.** It would be very much appreciated if all parents of year 3 players and above could help out with some home baking and a stint on the stall on this day.

Any questions please contact Lou on 5268815 or 021 0457798.



MINIBALL TERM 2 Games begin NEXT WEEK, with the Intermediates playing on Monday 15th at 6pm. The Senior team will play on Friday 19th at 4.30pm. The whole term's draw will be sent out to Miniball parents when it comes through from the Recreation Centre. There are just 3 players yet to pay their \$15 fee – thank you to all of you who have paid so promptly! Please pay with cash

at the office, or online to 03 1354 0359568 00. Thank you. School sports tops will be handed out to our teams on Monday next week. Our Ngatimoti teams are as follows:

NGATIMOTI NUGGETS - INTERMEDIATE – MONDAYS	NGATIMOTI BULLS - SENIORS - FRIDAYS			
LOUIE, CHICO, NIKAU, PIPIRI, CHRIS, LIAM, OLI V, JACOB	CALEB, HARRY, TEIJE, COLE, JAMIE, JASMINE, OLLIE W			

PARENTS GROUP NEWS & CAKE ROSTER

Each Friday we like to provide cakes and frozen Juicies for sale for \$1 each to students. For this to happen we rely on our parents group - i.e. all parents - to bake a cake, muffins or slices and bring them in to serve on Friday lunchtime. Students should still bring a healthy lunch but could also bring \$2 to buy a cake and a juicie if they wish. Our lunch duty coordinator is Catherine (Beau, Louie & Chico's mum) and you will see this term's roster below. If you are unable to do your duty please either swap with another parent or call Catherine on 526 8891 so that we can make an alternative plan. Our parents group Chairperson is Rita (Ari & Madi's mum) and she can be reached on 526 8337 if you wish to ask anything regarding the parents group. Please send your child with their money in a named purse if possible.

TERM 2 PARENT CAKE ROSTER									
Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	
12 May	19 May	26 May	2 June	9 June	16 June	23 June	30 June	7 July	
Davina C	Vanessa H	Karen H	Ursula V	Leonie M	Carolin L	Esther K	Megan W	Lee S	
Wendy M	Bex I	Kristy P	Marian C	Freesia R	Hobbit	Di W	Anna R	TBC	

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Calling All Divers

If any Parents /Friends would like to join in a clean-up dive in the Abel Tasman National Park this **Saturday May 13th** please call Dan Cairney on 0272461904. Participants must be competent divers with their own gear. Transport form Motueka wharf and lunch provided.

<u>Jessie & Jade's Babysitting Service</u> We are two ex-Ngatimoti students, keen to do some babysitting around the valley. We are both 14 years old and love to entertain all aged children. We are very responsible and respectful girls, wanting to earn some extra money. We are negotiable people and easy to sort times and rates with. We are able to cook if needed. Please contact us if you are interested Jade: 0274528346 Jessie: 0274132420 or email <u>rileyjessie12@gmail.com</u>

Kids & Teens Dru Yoga

Motueka Term 2 after-school classes. Thursdays: Motueka Senior Citizen's Rooms, Pah St (Start May 11) 4.15 to 5pm: 9 – 12 year-olds. 5.15 to 6.15pm: 13 – 18 year olds. For information & registration form contact Jill T: 035278069 E: yogastorynz@gmail.com Registration essential.

<u>Choir Singers Wanted</u> The Nelson Civic Choir is assembling a children's chorus to sing in the October 15th performance of Sir Karl Jenkins Cantata Memoria, for the children of Aberfan. Boys and girls aged between 8 and 14 years who are confident singers are invited. This will be the first performance in New Zealand of a major

new work which commemorates the death of 116 children in the mining village of Aberfan, Wales, a little over 50 years ago. Please contact Diana Mellor on 03 546 7299 or Zoe Bennett on zoeabennett@yahoo.co.nz if you are interested in joining. From The Tasman Leader 27/4/17.

