
PAREMATA SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

WEDNESDAY 3RD AUGUST 2016

WEEK 2 – TERM 3



IMPORTANT DATES

TOMORROW

Tuesday 9th August

Friday 12th August

Thursday 18th August

Friday 26th August

Tuesday 30th August

Friday 23rd September

Monday 10th October

Saturday 15th October

Friday 16th December

Parent Teacher Conferences - School will close at 12.30pm

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Family Chocolate Bingo Evening

Jump Rope for Heart @ 9.00am

Daffodil day – gold coin donation

Artsplash Music/Wearable Arts Concert @ 5.15pm

End of Term 3 @ 3.00pm

Term 4 commences

Paremata School Spring Gala

End of Term 4 @ 12.30pm



Kia ora tatou

Parent Teacher Conferences

Thank you to everyone who has made a time to meet with their child's teacher. Bookings for this week's conferences will close at 3pm today. The link will be open again from 9am on Friday morning to make a booking for next Tuesday. The library will be open for all siblings to relax in while the conferences are on.

School parking

The P.C.C. are sending out parking wardens on a regular basis before and after school to monitor the parking around the school. Please can you ensure you park your car legally to avoid a fine.

Activity Fee, Technology Payments

Many thanks to all those parents who are up to date with their children's activity fees. Invoices for term 3 will be sent out this week. With a number of school trips/shows occurring this term it is important that the activity fees have been paid to the school to ensure that your child/ren can participate. Also if you still owe for Technology (YR 7&8) can you please pay these fees promptly. Thanks.

Sausage Sizzle Roster

The weekly sausage sizzle is going strong providing support for the children's programmes and activities but we are in need of some helpers for term 3 and 4. If you are available for an hour from 12-1pm on a Wednesday please can you add your name to the roster in the office. Thank you.

Winter bugs

The usual winter viruses are going through school at present. Please can you keep your child away from school until they have recovered. Thank you.

Artsplash – Music and Wearable Art Tickets

The Artsplash tickets are now available from the school office for \$5.00 each.

Nga mihi nui
Bryce

PAREMATA SCHOOL SPRING GALA - SATURDAY 15TH OCTOBER

Gala Donations for this week: week 2 - bottles towards the MYSTERY BOTTLES section - Oils, Vinegars, Fruit Sauces, Chocolate Sauces, Wines, Shampoos etc.(300mls or bigger, no need to wrap).

**** Look out for the classroom Gala Donation boxes ****

Next week: week 3 - Items for LUCKY DIP - Bubbles, small toys, colour pens, cars, stickers, mini balls, rubbers, keyrings. We will have separate dips for girls and boys, under 8's & over 8 year olds. (un-opened fun items, no need to wrap). These can be taken straight into your child's classroom.

ALSO – a blue Gala Checklist was sent home yesterday – spare copies available in the school office.

PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES – AUGUST 4TH & AUGUST 9TH

We are inviting **parents and students** to meet with teachers.

Thursday 4th August – bookings close at 3pm today and open again

Friday morning for next week's bookings.

Tuesday 9th August 1.00pm – 7.00pm (end of last interview)

During the 20 minute conference your children will share samples of their work with you and explain their learning progress.

We are using the online booking system. If you go to

<http://www.schoolinterviews.co.nz/code>, type in the code **995vh**

then fill in the boxes and book your times. If you don't have access to the Internet or are having difficulties then please contact the office to book a time.

********You may notice that the 11th August and 16th August are listed as dates too - these dates are for Ruma Takaha (14) only, as Whaea Tia will be away on the 4th August. A letter has gone home to families in this room to explain the alternative bookings.*

COFFEE CART

The wonderful coffee cart will be in the playground again on these days to support parents with a boost before or after their conferences. A percentage of the proceeds are donated to the school which goes towards extra-curricular programmes.

CHOCOLATE BINGO EVENING

Paremata PTA is holding their 3rd Chocolate Bingo Evening on Friday 12th August.

We are still taking donations of chocolate or lollies, all of which will be prizes at the chocolate bingo, raising funds for Paremata School. Please drop off at the office.



PAREMATA'S GOT TALENT

Hi everyone! The senior council are having a Paremata's Got talent this term. Sign-up sheets are now on the Senior Council board in the office. Please write your name(s), year(s) and act on the sheet and attach your \$2 to go to some awesome prizes! Then drop it into the green box by the suggestion box in the office.

Thanks the Senior Council

Book School Interviews Online

Parents...

Now you can book school interviews for the times that suit **you**. Simply enter the school code and press "Go".

You will be guided through three simple steps, and a few moments later you will get an email confirming your interviews.

School Interviews works for both primary and secondary schools. If you have children at another school that doesn't use our service, let them know what they are missing!

Schools...

School Interviews makes organising parent evenings easy.

You can set up an interview evening, enter phone bookings, or print interview schedules - all in a few minutes. Just click the orange "School Admin" button to log in.

Or if your school hasn't tried our service yet, you can find out how School Interviews works, and why your school should use it. If you like what you see, sign up for a free no-obligation trial and see how School Interviews will revolutionise your parent-teacher evenings.

positive feedback. We had a 95% hit rate which is fantastic - would recommend this system to anyone.

"Everything went fantastically well. I could not imagine going back"

- Francis Fraser, Executive Officer

NETBALL GAMES THIS WEEK - 6th AUGUST

TEAM	TIME	COURT
Paremata Panthers vs TIS Swifts	10.50am	Court 1
Paremata Pumas vs Plimmerton Gold	9.00am	Court 3
Paremata Pumas vs TIS Magic	10.50am	Court 3
Paremata Magic vs Plimmerton Green	9.00am	Court 2
Paremata Pulse vs Titahi Bay Warriors	3.40p0m	Court 2



COMMUNITY NEWS/NOTICES

BRIDGET JONES'S BABY MOVIE TICKETS

Paremata Playcentre is holding a fundraising movie night at Light House Pauatahanui on Sunday 25th September, 7.30pm, for the movie "Bridget Jones's Baby." Tickets are \$20 each. This includes supper. If you'd like a ticket, contact Marama Ellis 022 088 6043.

SPRING FLOWER SHOW AUGUST 27-28 at Paremata School

Opening Hours - Saturday 1-5pm; Sunday 10am - 3pm, followed by prize giving. More information about the children's competition is on our school noticeboard.

There are fabulous daffodil displays and exhibits of floral art, cut flowers, shrubs and trees, vegetable/fruit and preserves. There is a special section of floral art for children. The plant sales table will be well stocked; there are lots of raffles and delicious food in the café. For the Show Schedule check us on Facebook Titahi Bay Horticultural Society or ring Martin 236 8062.



Staff Wanted!!

Kelly Club are currently looking for part time and casual staff for their before care, after care and holiday MSD approved programmes in the Tawa & Porirua areas. Staff will be required to ensure the safety and enjoyment of all children on the programme. A current first aid certificate and access to your own transport an advantage. *Note: Successful applicants will be required to have a police check. Our organisation takes its child safety and child protection responsibilities seriously, staff recruitment is carried out in accordance with the requirements of the Vulnerable Children Act (2014). Applicants should have NZ residency or a valid NZ work permit.* Please email redwood@kellyclub.co.nz with CV and covering letter.



Hi, I'm Gina

I simply love spending time with little people. I've been doing it for 20 years - from Eastbourne to Manhattan NYC. I'm fun, energetic, loving, kind and patient - crucial qualities in your caregiver. But more than that, I'm artistic and imaginative, a good cook and I'm sociable. I create a delightful and nurturing environment where each child is valued for their uniqueness.

How I can support your family:

Help establish sleep/night time routines • Toilet training
Special needs experienced • Fun & creative activities
Homework assistance • Creative and crafty • Nature loving
• Big on good manners • Light house-keeping
Children's laundry • Happy to run errands & shopping

I look after newborns through to teenagers, and I'm open to looking after multiple children.



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