
PAREMATA SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

WEDNESDAY 27th FEBRUARY 2019

WEEK 5



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Tuesday 5 th March	Rūma Kākāriki and Rūma Kōkako trip to Pataka
Thursday 7 th March	Rūma Kea and Rūma Kārearea trip to Pataka
Tuesday 12 th March	Run, Jump & Throw, 9-12.30pm
Wednesday 13 th March	Kahikatea Team trip to Capital E
Wednesday 20th March	NZEI Union Meeting – school closed from 12.30pm
Wednesday 21 st March	Pohutukawa Team trip to Capital E
Friday 22 nd March	Kōwhai Team trip to Capital E
Monday 25 th March – 29 th March	Kahikatea Syndicate Camp @ YMCA Camp Kaitoke
Monday 8 th April - Friday 12 th April	Book Week (details to come)
Monday 8 th April - Friday 12 th April	Scholastic Book Fair Enchanted Forest: let your imagination grow
Friday 12 th April	Book parade @9:00am
Friday 12 th April	End of term 1
Monday 29 th April	Term 2 commences

Kia ora tatou

Meet The Teacher Evening

Thank you to all the parents who came along to the Meet the Teacher evening last week. It was great to catch up and share with you what we are doing at school this year.

Seesaw for School

Most families are now signed up with Seesaw for Schools and we are enjoying all the positive and constructive feedback parents are leaving for their children. Thank you so much. The children's goals will be posted on Seesaw by the week ending March 15. If you want to discuss the goals with your child's teacher, you'll be able to contact them directly to make a time.

NZEI Union Meeting – School Closed for Afternoon

Paremata teachers who are NZEI members will be attending the NZEI meeting on Wednesday 20th March at 2pm. **School will close for instruction at 12.30pm** and After School Care will operate from 12.40pm for children who are usually enrolled on a Wednesday. Sorry for any inconvenience this may cause. We are hoping for a resolution soon.

Children turning 5 this year

If you have a child turning 5 this year and you haven't enrolled them yet, can you please contact Marie in the office for an enrolment form 233 1339 ext 0.

Kahikatea Syndicate (Seniors) - Reminder

Camp this year for Kahikatea is in week 10 from Monday March 25th – Friday 29th March. To confirm each student's place on camp we are asking for a **\$50 deposit** to be paid. Our bank account number is 12 3254 0048796 00. The final cost is still to be confirmed. Thanks.

Nga mihi
Matua Bryce

NETBALL AND BASKETBALL SIGNUP

A final reminder to put your name down on the lists at the office before tomorrow afternoon. Permissions slips will be sent out soon.



SAUSAGE SIZZLE

The **correct money** of \$2.00 per sausage each week would be greatly appreciated as we don't always have a lot change.

RUN JUMP THROW DAY – TUESDAY 12TH MARCH 9.00 – 12.30pm

Run, Jump and Throw day involves children participating with their house group peers in twelve exciting events. House Group members will be split into two groups for each colour. For example: Kahurangi 1 and Kahurangi 2. Teachers will let students know which house group number they will participate in closer to the day. *Parents/caregivers are welcome.*

Instead of a competitive focus, we will be looking for teams that show and promote our new school values. Points out of ten will be awarded for:

- Community (Hapori)
Such as: Are you wearing your house group colour?
- Respect (Whakaute)
- Empathy (Aroha)
Are you looking out/after all of your team members?
- Resilience (Manahau)
Can you keep trying if something goes wrong?



ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS ARE COMING!!

We will be offering the Entertainment Books and Digital Memberships as a fundraiser again this year. Books will be coming home to all families in term 2. **If you do not wish to have a book sent home because you are going to order a digital one online or any other reason, please let the school office know as soon as possible – email mariea@paremata.school.nz.** More information coming soon.



KIDS GO FREE AT STAGLANDS ON CHILDREN'S DAY

Staglands Wildlife Reserve will be celebrating **Children's Day** on **Sunday 3rd March** by offering **FREE ENTRY** into The Reserve for **ALL CHILDREN**.

In addition to their usual attractions visitors can enjoy **free off-road tractor-trailer rides**. So if you are looking for a fun Children's day outing for the whole family; meet at Staglands and Connect with Nature on Sunday 3rd March. *Offer is not available with any other offer. Children (0-16 years) must be accompanied by paying adult. For more information visit www.staglands.co.nz

SPEECH AND DRAMA LESSONS

All ages, group and individual lessons in drama, public speaking and general speech quality. Trinity College London exam tutoring and competition entry available on request. Email eminardsblack@gmail.com for more information. Thanks Elisabeth Minards-Black.

WELLINGTON DIVING are hosting a national competition this coming weekend – the North Island Championships – where we will see nearly 100 divers from around the country competing at Kilbirnie Pool. This will be a great spectator event happening each day on Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

