

# PAREMATA SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

## WEDNESDAY 16<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER 2019

### WEEK 1



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#### IMPORTANT DATES

#### Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> October

Monday 28<sup>th</sup> October  
Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> November  
Friday 15<sup>th</sup> November  
Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> November  
Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> December

#### Paremata School Spring Gala – 11.00 – 3.00pm

Labour Weekend – Public Holiday  
School Photos – Room 1A / 1B / 7 and team photos  
Teacher Only Day – **SCHOOL CLOSED**  
Kahikatea team trip to the Aquatic Centre  
End of term 4 at 12.30pm



Kia ora tātou

Welcome to term 4. As usual we have a very busy term ahead so we hope you all had a nice relaxing holiday. We would like to welcome all the new children and their families to our school community.

#### Gala Helpers

The **Paremata School Spring Gala** is fast approaching and we still need people to help on this coming Saturday October 19. If you are free to work on the day please contact Jo Gibbs on [paremataschoolpta@gmail.com](mailto:paremataschoolpta@gmail.com)

#### Drive-Through Naming Silent Auction

At the gala this year we are adding to the fun by auctioning off the rights to name the school drive-throughs for 12 months. This means if you win the auction your name or business name/ logo will be put on a professionally made sign and attached to the entry of each drive through like a street name. e.g. "Bryce Coleman Drive" or "Marie Arlow Avenue". Now who wouldn't enjoy doing that? This will be part of the **Silent Auctions** which will be in the hall on Saturday. There is one silent auction for each drive-through.

#### Raffle - Signed NZ Lions 2017 Tour All Blacks Jersey

We have an awesome All Blacks Jersey to be raffled at the gala this year. Just head to the outdoor food court area, by the hall entrance, on Saturday to purchase your ticket - \$5.00 each. We will also be selling the School Raffle at \$2.00 a ticket with the great New World prizes.



#### Sunhats

Just a friendly reminder that sun hats are compulsory for all children in Term 4 and Term 1. Please make sure your child has a named sun hat for school this term.

#### Cricket Skills

It's been an active start to the term with the Kauri team children participating in a NZ Cricket programme this week. It is great to see the children having a wonderful time and working together so positively. Many thanks to Rachel Hall for organising this for the children.

#### On call relief cleaner needed

We require a cleaner to be available to cover any sickness in our cleaning team. This is an on call position where the relief cleaner would be notified in the morning that they are required to work at 3pm. If you are interested in this position, please can you contact the office on 233 1339.

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## Teacher Only Day – **School Closed**

Our annual Teacher Only Day for moderating student achievement data and end of year reports is on Friday 15 November. School will be closed for instruction.

## Labour weekend

Labour weekend is at the beginning of week 3. School will be closed on Monday 28 October as this is a public holiday **and finally.....**

A huge thank you to Jo Gibbs and our wonderful gala committee for all your hard work organising this year's gala. Whatever the weather we will have a great time and I look forward to seeing you all on Saturday.

Ngā mihi nui – Matua Bryce

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## **SCHOOL HOODIE ORDERS**

We are now taking orders for both children and adult school hoodies. The hoodies cost \$40 each, come in navy blue and have the new Paremata School logo on the front. Names across the back will cost \$9.50 extra. Please fill the order form which was attached with the newsletter last week (also on our school website). Payment can be made online 12 3254 0048796 00 (name and hoodie as reference); eftpos in office or cash. Order forms must be dropped off or emailed to [michelle@paremata.school.nz](mailto:michelle@paremata.school.nz).



## **ADULT READING TUTOR PROGRAMME**

Do you like helping children learn? Could you volunteer one hour a week of your time?

Come and join our team of adult reading tutors. Our tutors are parents, grandparents or friends like you who come once a week to provide extra reading practise for students who have had some additional tuition and would benefit from further practise.

- What would I do?
  - You would have three or four children, and would spend fifteen minutes listening to each child read.
- Would I have training?
  - Yes, we would give you some training before you start.
- Do I need any equipment?
  - We will provide everything you would need - books, stickers, pens, whiteboards.
- Yes, this sounds like something I am interested in doing. What's the next step?
  - Contact Christine Lock on [christinel@paremata.school.nz](mailto:christinel@paremata.school.nz) or phone on 233 1339 ext 827 to find out more.

We would love to hear from you!

## PAREMATA SCHOOL SPRING GALA

THIS SATURDAY 19<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2019

**THIS IS IT! WEEK ONE, WHICH SLIDES STRAIGHT INTO THE GALA.**

**What can I do?**



\***Bric-a-brac** & donation items drop in the drive through Friday morning 18 October 8.30am – 8.50am (So bring in clean, good condition clothes, shoes, books, toys, games and magazines now)



\*Offer to help on a **2.5 hour shift** on gala day selling items or cooking on the BBQ.  
**30 people still required (see below).**

\***Raffle tickets**, thanks to all the families still selling the tickets. Can we have ALL sold and unsold tickets, butts and money returned to the office by Thursday 17 October.

\*Drop in any **empty ice cream containers with lids**, that you no longer need.

\*Donate **seedlings, herbs, plants & seed packets** for the plants stall next week.



\*Offer to make **fudge/sweets OR a dessert for gala day**, deliver to school 18/19 October (sugar & bags available for collection at the office now).



\***Cake boxes** went home last term. Decorated boxes can be returned with yummy (nut free) baking on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> October, please take straight to the library first thing in the morning. If you would like a second box, they will be available from the office.



\*We also require **large (named) chilly bins** - please drop off at the school office OR **gas BBQ**, OR **Camping 2 burner gas stove** OR **any spare gas bottles** we could borrow that could be delivered on Saturday and picked up again for outdoor food to use. THANKS. Any questions please email straight to [paremataschoolpta@gmail.com](mailto:paremataschoolpta@gmail.com)



**Gala Helpers** – We still need **30 people** to help this Saturday 19 October. If you are free to work 2.5 hours on the day or return items after the event, then please complete the online here <https://forms.gle/16NQMJBNPNra6RiFA>

Thank you in advance, Jo Gibbs



There will be **NO SUBWAY LUNCHES** this Friday and the following 2 Fridays  
Friday 18<sup>th</sup> October / Friday 25<sup>th</sup> October / Friday 1<sup>st</sup> November

### **WHITBY COLLEGIATE OPEN DAYS AND YEAR 9 SCHOLARSHIP FOR 2020**

#### **Open Day**

From the beginning of 2020 Marsden Whitby will become Whitby Collegiate. You are invited to view Whitby Collegiate during our Open Days on Friday 18 October and Friday 15 November. The school will be open for guided tours between 10am and 2pm. There will be staff and students to talk to and our students look forward to showing you around.

**Scholarships** - Whitby Collegiate invites applications for Year 9 Scholarships in 2020. Applications can be submitted online on our website - [whitbycollegiate.school.nz](http://whitbycollegiate.school.nz). If you have any questions or would like a personal tour, please contact Lorraine Rose on 04 234 1070.

**Transport** - There are easy transport links to Whitby Collegiate and our school buses bring students from the Hutt Valley, Johnsonville, Churton Park, Tawa and Aotea, and connect with the train for students travelling from the Kapiti Coast.

### **PAPAKOWHAI SCHOOL SHOPPING NIGHT. R18 EVENT. FRIDAY NOVEMBER 8TH 7-9.30 PM**

Over 25 stalls and lots of raffle prizes, come along and enjoy a night of shopping. Tickets cost \$10 if purchased before November 1st, or \$15 on the night. Tickets get you a glass of bubbles and a light supper. Check out our Facebook pages to see all our fabulous stall holders and a link to buy tickets.

<https://www.facebook.com/events/377566112822723/>

### **UKULELE CLUB**

Shane's Ukulele club starts up again next Tuesday 22 October in the Paremata School Library. For more information contact 027 27 37 475.

### **KELLY SPORTS – SUPER SUMMER SPORTS TERM 4 – STARTING WEEK 1**

Kelly Sports will be back in Term 4 with their fun and exciting classes. Kelly Sports encourages children to have fun, build confidence and to give sport a go. We believe that sport and physical activity has so much to offer young people; it improves fitness, develops communication skills, team work and gives them a place to channel their energy.

**Super Summer Sports! (Yrs 1-4)** – Friday's 3.05pm-4.05pm - Come and try 2 weeks of: **Football, T-ball, Frisbee and Athletics**. This is a great way to try new sports, learn new skills and improve ability. We use games & drills to teach game sense and team play. Your child will learn the fundamental skills for all sports – throwing, running, jumping, striking, balance and many more – all while having a great time! For full details and to enrol into our programmes visit [www.kellysports.co.nz](http://www.kellysports.co.nz) email [adminwgt@kellysports.co.nz](mailto:adminwgt@kellysports.co.nz) or call **04 972 7201**.

### **LEARN TO SWIM – EASYSWIM SWIM SCHOOL**

Bookings are opening for term four swimming lessons at Khandallah, Tawa, Rewa Rewa, Johnsonville and Plimmerton School pools. Early Childhood through to Adults are welcome in our warm private pools. Holiday Courses are running at Tawa and Khandallah in the first week of the holidays and Johnsonville in the second week. For more information visit [www.easyswim.co.nz](http://www.easyswim.co.nz) to book call 2347946 or email [book@easyswim.co.nz](mailto:book@easyswim.co.nz)

### **NGATITOA TENNIS CLUB NIGHTS START ON MONDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER**

3:30 – 4:30	5-8yr olds
4:30 – 5:30	9-12yr olds
5:30 – 6:30	Interclub Teams

Come down on Monday 14<sup>th</sup> and/or Monday 21<sup>st</sup> and give it a try.

Visit our Website or email [juniors@ngatitoatennis.org.nz](mailto:juniors@ngatitoatennis.org.nz) for more information.





## **KICK OFF CAMP '19**

**CJ BOTT & EMMA ROLSTON**

**A FOOTBALL CAMP FOR GIRLS  
OF ALL SKILL LEVELS AGED 8-12.  
FOR 3 DAYS, YOU'LL HAVE TWO  
FOOTBALL FERNS TAKING YOU  
THROUGH TECHNICAL SKILLS TRAINING,  
GAMES & FUN COMPETITIONS  
THAT WILL PUSH YOU TO BE THE BEST  
FOOTBALLER YOU CAN BE.**

**LEARN WHAT IT TAKES TO BE A  
FOOTBALL FERN & PLAY  
PRO FROM FOOTBALL FERNS, CJ  
BOTT & EMMA ROLSTON. WE'LL  
SHARE WITH YOU, OUR  
EXPERIENCES OF PLAYING  
IN U17, U20, FIFA WOMEN'S WORLD CUPS,  
OLYMPIC GAMES & PROFESSIONAL LEAGUES.**

**3 DAY CAMP: 22ND-24TH NOV 2019  
GIRLS AGED 8-12**

**TAWA INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL TURF  
\$250 PP**

**PRICE INCLUDES: 12 HOURS OF  
TRAINING WITH TWO FOOTBALL  
FERNS, TRAINING TOP, SNACKS,  
Q&AS & EXCITING FREEBIES. SPOT  
PRIZES UP FOR GRABS!**

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