

# PAREMATA SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

## WEDNESDAY, 3<sup>RD</sup> MAY 2023

### WEEK 2 – TERM 2



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#### IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> May  
Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> May  
Friday 19<sup>th</sup> May  
Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> June  
Monday 5<sup>th</sup> June

School Photos  
School Cross Country pp 24<sup>th</sup> / 31<sup>st</sup> May\*  
Pink Shirt Day  
Teacher Only Day – School Closed  
King's Birthday – Public Holiday



Kia ora tatou

#### Drive-Through Names

You may have noticed that the new drive-through names **Kakariki Lane** and **Rainbow Way** have been installed. Many thanks to the Green family who won the rights in our 2022 Silent Auction and their children who came up with the names.

#### Teacher Only Day - 2 June

As part of the current Teachers Collective Agreement, we are having a Teacher Only Day looking at the new curriculum and assessment. School will therefore be closed for instruction on Friday, 2 June leading into the King's Birthday weekend. Thank you for your support with this.

#### Quiz Night

It's time to get your teams prepared as Parentlink are organising a Quiz Night fundraiser in the school hall in mid to late June. This will be a great night out so look out for more information that will follow in the coming weeks.

#### School Photos

Our annual school photos are happening at school next Tuesday, 9 May. We look forward to seeing the tamariki arriving on the day with all their lovely hairstyles and favourite outfits!



Nga mihi nui - Matua Bryce

#### SCHOOL PHOTOS – TUESDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> MAY

**Paremata School on Tuesday 9th May, 2023**

We will photograph portraits of all students as well as class photos.  
You do not order pay for your child's portraits or class photos until AFTER PHOTODAY.  
You will receive an order form featuring a photo of your child after photoday. (Packs available below)

Pack	Price
Premier Pack	\$40.00
Classic Pack	\$30.00
Single Pack	\$20.00

**Packs include:**  
- 10x10cm portrait of your child  
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**Portraits Only \$20.00**  
**Class Only \$17.00**

Family/Sibling Photos: Order form is on reverse of advice note which your child will bring home. Order form MUST be returned to school office before photoday for photo to be taken.

Family/Sibling photo request forms have been sent out. We have more in the office if you need one. You can have a pre-school child in your portrait photo if you like, just add their name to the request form. These photos will be taken at 8:30am in the hall.

**Please note:** We will be using a white background for the portrait photos this year. It is therefore better if the children don't wear white tops.

**FRIDAY 19<sup>TH</sup> MAY – PINK SHIRT DAY**

On Friday, 19<sup>th</sup> May 2023, Aotearoa will become a sea of pink as schools, workplaces and communities join the Pink Shirt Day movement. By taking part you will be helping to stamp out bullying by celebrating diversity and promoting kindness and inclusion.



## NETBALL



**URGENT**

We are in need of 2 more players to join one of our fab teams. If you are a year 5 or 6 and want to play netball this year, please contact Theresa. [theresar@paremata.school.nz](mailto:theresar@paremata.school.nz)

**Ngati Toa website** <https://www.sporty.co.nz/ngatitoanetball/home>

## Netball Draw for this Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> May

OUR TEAM	PLAYING	TIME	COURT
Paremata Panthers	Adventure Magic	9:00am	Court 3
Paremata Pumas	Adventure Tactix	9:55am	Court 1
Paremata Papis	Papakowhai Ferns	12:00pm	Court 4
Paremata Sapphires	Papakowhai Blues	12:55pm	Court 2
Paremata Pearls	Plimmerton Panthers	1:40pm	Court 4
Paremata Pythons	Adventure Rubies	3:10pm	Court 1
Paremata Pulse	Plimmerton Shooting Stars	3:10pm	Court 3

## Netball Timekeeping Duty

Paremata School is on Timekeeping Duty on the following dates.

Saturday May 27<sup>th</sup> Morning (8:30-12:30pm) and Afternoon 12:30-3:45pm

Saturday July 1<sup>st</sup> Afternoon only

Saturday August 5<sup>th</sup> Morning (8:30-12:30pm) and Afternoon 12:30-3:45pm

**CROSS COUNTRY - Request for parent helpers for our Cross-Country Wednesday, 17th May.**

In week 4 this term, we have our school cross country. The Kauri Team are responsible for organising this event and we need some parent helpers to come along on the day and be marshals.

The cross country is on Wednesday, 17<sup>th</sup> May and we have two postponement dates on 24<sup>th</sup> & **\*31st May**.

**\*Please note** we have changed the second postponement date from 25<sup>th</sup> to 31<sup>st</sup> due to the Tough Guy/Gal Challenge being on that day.

The day starts at 9:00am with the year 8 boys and finishes at 12:30pm with the year 1 students. Please let us know if you are able to help. Often the marshals get the best view of the race being out on the course and it is important for us to ensure our students' safety.

If you are able to help, please email Rachel Hall [rachelh@paremata.school.nz](mailto:rachelh@paremata.school.nz) with the following information:

- Your name
- Time you are available - eg: 8:50 - 12:30, 8:50 - 10:40 or 10:50 - 12:30.
- Name of your child/ children and their class and year group.
- Phone number and email address.
- Availability for PP dates

## PAREMATA SCHOOL HOODIES AND OTHER MERCHANDISE

This year we are putting through 1 order only for the school hoodies. Order forms are available from the office of it is attached to last week's newsletter. We need to receive at least 6 hoodie orders to go ahead at this price. **Orders need to be in by the end of May.**



**Hoodie – no name on back \$55.00 (size 6-14)**

**Hoodie – with name on back \$65.00**

- Caps - \$15
- Bucket Hats - \$15
- Tea Towels - \$12
- Honey - \$6 each 250g or 2 for \$10



Upcoming  
**COMMUNITY  
EVENTS**

**SCHOOL  
HOLIDAY  
PROGRAMS**



**FINAL WEEK TO REGISTER!**

**THIS WEEKEND**

**C.A.R.T.E.R  
ACTIVE**

**JUNIOR TOUGH GUY AND GAL  
CHALLENGE**

**EXTREME OFF ROAD RUNNING EVENT**

**YEARS 3 -8**

**MAY 25TH 2023**

**REGISTRATION NOW  
OPEN**

**FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT PHIL ROACHE**  
**CARTERACTIVE@OUTLOOK.CO.NZ**

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**Plimmerton  
Community Market**

**Sunday 7 May 2023**

**Plimmerton School Hall**

**11am - 2pm**

Come along and enjoy some live music, face painting,  
good food, hot drinks and all sorts of crafts and preloved  
goods. Don't forget to bring cash!

Find us on facebook or  
contact sasha@duguid.nz for more information



**YOU'RE INVITED TO A  
FUNDRAISER SCREENING OF**



Rating tbc

**LIGHT HOUSE PAUATAHANUI  
3 PAEKAKARIKI HILL ROAD**

**WED 31ST MAY 6PM | ARRIVE FROM 5PM**

**TICKETS \$20 OR GREATER DONATION**

Fundraising for Extreme Dance Performance  
Troupe trip to Christchurch for NZ Dance Awards

**Tickets available from the Extreme Dance office  
(cash only), or email [miriamplume@gmail.com](mailto:miriamplume@gmail.com) to book.**

Bring cash for candy bar sales and raffle tickets - lots of  
amazing prizes to be won!

**KELLY SPORTS IS BACK FOR TERM 2 - ACTIVE AUTUMN SPORTS!!**



**Sessions start on Wednesdays 3 May 2023  
from 3.05pm-4.05pm for 8 weeks!**

The Kelly Sports sessions are a great way to improve your child's motor skills and coordination within a FUN environment. We aim to develop and enhance ball skills, catching, kicking, and throwing, while improving strength, flexibility, hand/eye coordination and spatial awareness. We teach new skills and improve ability by using games, drills and exercises. It's a great way to try new sports and maintain fitness – all while having fun!!

Term 2 we will be focusing on the following sports:

***Basketball, Netball, Football and Rippa Rugby***

To enrol go to [www.kellysports.co.nz](http://www.kellysports.co.nz) and in the school box put "Paremata"

## FUN Sticks

FUN Sticks is an 8-week hockey programme designed for children aged 5-6 years (school Years 1 & 2) 2023 FUN Sticks will focus on individuals' movement and motor skill development, helping build a young person's physical literacy and preparing them for sport. Hockey skills will be taught through fun, games-based activities.

FUN Sticks offers

- An introduction to hockey with an emphasis on having fun
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- An opportunity to develop fundamental skills - running, dodging, striking
- A positive and quality coaching environment
- Full involvement for all participants
- Regular changes of activities to maintain enthusiasm and interest
- A safe environment for all activities
- Equipment required to play hockey (Hockey Stick & Ball) is provided
- We encourage parents to join in with kids if they want



### Festival Day:

On the last week of the programme, there will be a festival day held at the National Hockey Stadium on the morning of Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> July. FUN Stick participants will be able to play games with players from different locations.

Please Note: There are no postponement days scheduled (excluding the festival day)

### Where:

FUN Sticks is run at the following locations across Wellington,

- National Hockey Stadium (NHS), Wellington = 10:00 am – 11:00 am – Saturday starting 6<sup>th</sup> May
- Hutt (Fraser Park) - 10:00 am – 11:00 am Saturday starting 6<sup>th</sup> May
- Porirua (Elsdon Park) – 3:45pm – 4:45 pm – Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> May
- Kelburn (Kelburn Normal School) – 4:00 pm – 5:00 pm – Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup>

The cost for the 8-week programme is \$50.

Register using the following link for the Player registration system PlayHQ

<https://www.playhq.com/hockey-new-zealand/register/5a8236>

Please contact Regan Fricker, Development Officer (Umpires) [regan@wellingtonhockey.org.nz](mailto:regan@wellingtonhockey.org.nz) if you have any questions.



### ARTY FARTY KIDS - Term 2 Sessions work like this:




- 'Cactus Artwork' - Monday @ 5.00pm - 6.30pm
- 'Whimsical Artwork' - Wednesday @ 5.00pm - 6.30pm
- 'Art Journaling' - Saturday @ 9.30am - 10.45am (ages 5 - 10 years)
- 'Art Journaling' - Saturday @ 11.00am - 12.15pm (ages 10 - 15 years)

Arty Farty Kids LTD 022 174 8558

## **Children's Eczema Study in Wellington Region**

Here is an overview of the study, volunteers and their parent/guardian travel to a participating pharmacy for two study visits, 6 weeks apart. They will be provided with study treatment to apply twice daily for 6 weeks and will answer a weekly questionnaire about their eczema symptoms. All study medication is provided free of charge and volunteers will be compensated for their time and travel expenses whilst in the study. We have further details about the study available here: <https://www.mrinz.ac.nz/currently-recruiting/childrens-eczema>


**We are recruiting children 2-12 years  
with eczema for a study of a novel  
mānuka-oil cream**



Study medicine provided free of charge. Reasonable costs will be reimbursed.

**Alexander Pharmacy**  
191 Willis Street,  
Te Aro, Wellington 6011  
04 384 7353

**Castle Chemists**  
139 Riddiford Street,  
Newtown, Wellington 6021  
04 389 4600



To take part ask a pharmacist in store or email [georgina.bird@mrnz.ac.nz](mailto:georgina.bird@mrnz.ac.nz)

