

PAREMATA SCHOOL NEWSLETTER WEDNESDAY 9th AUGUST 2023 WEEK 4 - MATHS WEEK – TERM 3



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IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Tuesday 22nd August Thursday 24th August Friday 25th August Tuesday 5th September Parumoana Interschool Swimming Sports – Yr - 5/6
Parumoana Interschool Swimming Sports – Yr - 7/8
Daffodil Day – wear yellow – please bring a gold coin
Tarapekepeke Hui – Schoolwide Skipping (more info to come)



Kia ora tatou

Pohutukawa Team Production

Congratulations to all the Pohutukawa team tamariki (Year 1&2) for their superb show last week based on Awarua, the Taniwha of Porirua. It was fantastic to see all the children taking part and enjoying their time on stage. Many thanks to Caroline, the Junior team and Ian for their hard work with rehearsals, costumes and setting up the hall.



Year 7/8 Rotary Leadership Awards

Congratulations to *Johanna and Logan* for being nominated for the Rotary Leadership awards which were held on Monday.

Johanna understands working as a collective, everyone can win. Her positive role modelling and spirit of mahi tahi motivates her peers to succeed as a team. Johanna's maturity and ability to respect others forms a sense of belonging. She is a valued house captain. Johanna demonstrates the importance of diligence and determination and achieves academic excellence. 'Ehara taku toa i te toa takitahi, he toa takitini' — my strength is not as an individual, but as a collective." Congratulations Johanna, you deserve this nomination for a Rotary leadership award and we are proud of you.





Logan is a strong leader yet never needs public acknowledgement. He is a house captain, a road patroller and a valued member of the Kapa Haka roopu. Logan demonstrates integrity and respect and has shown solid commitment and leadership in all these areas. With excellent leadership qualities and dedication to making a positive impact, Logan represents leadership excellence. Kia Kaha, Kia māia, Kia Manawanui Be strong, be brave, be steadfast. Congratulations Logan on your nomination. We are proud of you.

Becky Spencer, Year 7&8 Team Leader

Self-Defence

This week we are again lucky to be able to offer the fully funded course "Girls' Self Defence Project" to our Year 4 and Year 8 girls. The overall objective is for girls to uplift each other and empower themselves to live safely. Students will learn to think confidently, speak strongly and be able to use self-defence skills / techniques when necessary. Much of the course is taught through games and stories. There is also a small physical component. Welcome to Sally Aylward who has been taking our girls for these courses.

School Disco

What a great night everyone had last Friday at the school disco. A huge thank you to Anna McCausland and her crew and Ian our awesome caretaker for getting everything organised. The Disco raised just over \$2,000 which is just fantastic. This money will support the Parentlink fundraising goal of playground enhancements in the Year 3/4 section of the school which is about to be upgraded.

Parent Teacher Conferences

Many thanks to all our school whanau who met with the teachers in the past two weeks. If you haven't managed to have a korero, please do make a time to meet with your child's teacher if you can.

Whittaker's Chocolate Fundraiser

Our fundraiser is going well with over \$3000 raised so far. We would appreciate it if you could send in your money to pay for your boxes of chocolates. Each box sold is \$72.00. Payments can be made online into our bank account 12 3254 0048796 00 – please put your child's name and chocolate as reference. Payment can also be made in cash and by eftpos at the office. (there are more boxes in the office to sell if you wish)



Nga mihi nui - Matua Bryce



FRANKIE FRIDAY

This Friday 11 August – so remember to bring \$3.50 and receive a yummy lunch.

PARUMOANA INTERSCHOOL SWIMMING SPORTS - YEARS 5-8

There is a meeting in the hall at 12:30 pm (bring your lunch) tomorrow, Thursday 10th August for those who have shown interest in competing in the swimming sports. David Jackson will be giving more information about what you need to do if you want to be selected for the Paremata team. Trials will be held on Sunday 13th August at Cannon's Creek Pool in Porirua at 10:30am. The swimming sports will be held on 22nd and 24th August.

NETBALL

Netball Draw for this Saturday 12th August

OUR TEAM	PLAYING	TIME	COURT
Paremata Panthers	Discovery Allstars	9:00am	Court 3
Paremata Pumas	Discovery Swifts	9.55am	Court 4
Paremata Pipis	Titahi Bay Ekara	11:00am	Court 4
Paremata Pulse	St Theresa Saints	12:55pm	Court 3
Paremata Pearls	Paremata Sapphires	1:40pm	Court 3
Paremata Pythons	Discovery Ferns	2:25pm	Court 3





Thank you to all the parents/whanau who helped out with netball timekeeping this season. We really appreciate your support.



ENTERTAINMENT PUBLICATION

Entertainment is an ongoing fundraiser, please click the link below to order your Entertainment Membership and save. Our school receives 20% of sales. https://subscribe.entertainmentnz.com/fundraiser/104u135

Campaign name: August Sales Promotion Start date: 6.00 pm, Monday 31st July

End date: 11.59 pm, Wednesday 23rd August







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LIGHT HOUSE PAUATAHANUI 3 PAEKAKARIKI HILL ROAD MONDAY 14 AUGUST 8.00PM ARRIVE AT 7.30PM | TICKETS \$25

Fundraising for Paremata AIMS Games team.

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