PAREMATA SCHOOL NEWSLETTER WEDNESDAY 6th SEPTEMBER 2017 WEEK 7



IMPORTANT DATES

Thursday 7th September
Friday 8th September
Wednesday 13th September
Wednesday 20th September
Tuesday 19th – Thursday 21st September
Friday 29th September
Monday 16th October
Saturday 28th October

Gala Meeting @7.30pm in staffroom
Wellington Free Ambulance Fundraiser - Dress in your onesie
Parumoana Rugby/Netball Tournament pp 20th September
Year 3/4 Girls Futsal
School Production
End of Term 3 @ 3.00pm
Term 4 commences

Kia ora tatou

Year 7/8 Leadership awards

Congratulations to Tanika Lawrence and Harry Newland who both received Primary School Leadership awards from the Plimmerton Rotary and the Porirua City Council on Monday. Well done to you both, we are all very proud of your achievements.



School Production - Tuesday 19th - Thursday 21st

With only 13 days left to go to the big *Pride and Pejudice* show we are all working hard getting the production ready. Please find attached information relating to the show which will help everything run as smoothly as possible over the three nights. Tickets are available from the office and are selling fast. You can send in an envelope with name / room no. / which night and how many tickets with the money enclosed or pay by eftpos or online – please use production as the reference – 12 3254 0048796 00.

Paremata School Spring Gala

Two production adverts have gone live! Follow the link below. Congratulations to the digital team. http://www.paremata.school.nz/3792/pages/588-the-seussified-pride-and-prejudice

Gala Helpers needed for Outdoor Food

With our 2017 Spring Gala fast approaching in October Jo Gibbs and the Gala committee are working very hard to make the day another big success. Currently we need another 28 people to work a shift on outdoor food. If you are available to help on Saturday 28th October please can you email the PTA on paremataschoolpta@gmail.com or check the *Helpers List* on the School website. Many thanks.

Gala Raffle Tickets

If you have been given raffle tickets and are unable to sell them, please can you return them to the office as soon as possible and we have many families wanting to sell more. All sold butts and money need to be returned to the office. Thank you for your support with this fundraiser.



Enrolments For 2018

As we will soon be looking at our numbers for 2018 can you please advise the office if:

- Your child is leaving Paremata School and isn't a Year 8.
- If you have a child starting in 2018 and you haven't yet enrolled them. Please pick up a form from the
 office. Siblings of out of zone children will be accepted but still need to fill in an enrolment form.
- Out of Zone enrolments close on the Friday 29th September 2017.

PAREMATA SCHOOL GALA – SATURDAY 28TH OCTOBER

<u>CALLING ALL KNITTERS & SEWERS</u> Can you do something with wool or make wheat/rice bags or re-usable bags? Please get in touch with Karen on 021 0674277 this week. She is looking for a few helpers to make items before the gala. Fabric will be supplied.



Week 7 (this week) - Eco bags - Week 8 - baking items or lollies

NETBALL

Congratulations to all our netball teams on the final game of the season. Prize giving date is to be confirmed.

YEAR 5&6 PARUMOANA SWIMMING SPORTS



On Wednesday 23rd of August the year 5 and 6 went to a swimming competition at Cannons Creek pool and were racing against other schools. We had races with other people from other schools and also relays. We had some awesome swimmers that came in first place but sadly we only had one relay because we didn't have enough people. However we came a very close second in that relay. Paremata School came fifth and did a really good job, they represented the school awesomely. By Sophia – Ruma Kakapo

YEAR 7&8 PARUMOANA SWIMMING SPORTS

On Wednesday 30th of August a group of 5 students went to represent Paremata School at the 2017 Parumoana Swimming Sports. Everyone did really well including Dannielle getting into all finals for her events, coming 2nd in 50 freestyle and 25 Butterfly and getting 3rd in 50 Backstroke. Ashlee was really close to the Backstroke final getting first reserve, with Logan, Aimee and Hazel doing really well. The year 7 girls relay team got 2nd, 63 milliseconds off first. The day was really good fun with Paremata finishing 6th out of 8 schools and having the smallest team. Next year we want more people to come and join the team! By Dannielle – Ruma Pukeko

ENVIRONEWS – BEE AWARE MONTH 2017

September is Bee Aware Month and this year the New Zealand apiculture industry is urging Kiwis to



Feed the Bees!

Everyone can, and are encouraged to, pitch in to help feed the local bees by planting 'bee friendly' plants in our gardens, on our farms, in our public gardens and even along our roadsides. "The idea for the 'Feed the Bees' theme stems from the fact that not many people realise how important it is to plant food for bees," says National Beekeepers Association chief executive, Daniel Paul. "We need to plant bee friendly plants for them to feed on, and also be careful with our use of pesticides and insecticides." Mr Paul says the industry is thankful for the help of De Winkel yoghurt, which is again on board as a Bee Aware Month strategic partner to help raise awareness of this vital cause.

Palmers are also proud supporters of **Bee** Aware **Month**, so keep an eye out in store and online in September for beerelated activity including stories, how to guides, recipes, competitions and loads more! For more information on Bee Aware Month, including how you can feed the bees this spring, visit www.nba.org.nz/beeawaremonth

Imagine a world without strawberries, kiwifruit, apples, nuts, coffee, chocolate or even denim jeans.



These are all foods and products pollinated by honey bees. Bees around the world and especially in New Zealand cannot survive without our help, and in turn we wouldn't survive without them. So not only do bees produce a wonderful, natural food source, they also play a significant role in supporting our food chain. This year we want to shine a spotlight on the role bees play as pollinators of our food and other products we consume.



Please come and support our boys... Save the date and BOOK IN!!

Movie and Dessert night- Sunday 17 September, 7pm Lighthouse Pauatahanui

Max, Harry, Monty, Ryder and Eddie from years 7-8 play rugby for the Makos Under 12 Paremata Plimmerton club. They've have had a great season, and have now been invited to play in a tournament in Manly NSW at the end of September. Lucky kids!

Limited tickets available - \$25 for movie and yummy dessert - and there will be goody bags and give-aways! So, grab a friend and make a night of it!! To book your spot, please text or phone Jo Prestwood 02102649329 or Leanne Edwards on 021621298. Your support will make a huge difference...and it will be a great night out. Thanks!

Quality Craft Classes for Kids By - Pippi and Fox www.facebook.com/pippiandfox/				
Mon 2 nd October	Tues 3 rd October	Wed 4 th October	Thurs 5 th October	Fri 6 th October
A.M – Slime P.M – Cellophane Fish and Owls	A.M – Bird-Feeder P.M – Designer Masks	A.M – Stained Glass Artworks P.M – Mini Tailors	A.M – Soap Making P.M – Clay Shapes	A.M – Canvas Art P.M – Grass Heads
We offer you quality craft classes by primary school registered teachers, teaching the things they enjoy themselves. For children aged 5 – 11 years. (exceptions considered)				
8am - 1pm morning class session \$35 (Equipment included)				
12noon - 5pm afternoon class session \$35 or a full day 8am - 5pm for both sessions \$60				
Venue – The Learning Studio, Adventure School. Please contact Pippa Barrett or Michelle Kevern on pippiandfox@gmail.com				

OUR SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAMME IS BACK! OCTOBER 10 – 12 2017

In the upcoming school holidays, Weta Workshop is opening its doors to give kids a chance to make movie magic! We warmly invite the children of Paremata School to come along.

From drawing to prosthetics and chainmaille, our workshops for ages 7 – 12 years old will excite and delight! Don't miss out. Book online now atwww.wetaworkshop.com/school-holiday-programme

On Friday I won a <u>signed Wellington Phoenix shirt</u> and a voucher for 2x tickets to game on October 8th. I have decided to auction them on TradeMe to raise funds for the KidsCan charity. Feeding hungry kids in schools. Auction expires Wednesday 13th September at 1.42pm. https://www.trademe.co.nz/clothing-fashion/men/tops-shirts/auction-1409424652.htm Glenn Aitchison

PAREMATA SCHOOL - SUPPORTING A GOOD CAUSE

ONLINE BANKING 12 3254 0048796 00 (ref: raffle A or B) AND EFTPOS NOW AVAILABLE

Contact Michelle in the office on 2331339 to confirm which raffle (A or B) and numbers. New Zealand Map is 60×45 cm - Raffle A

Pohutukawa is 40×40 cm - Raffle B

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Come to the office to view these stunning pieces. Thank you for your support.

For a school holiday program with a little bit of attitude!

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The Dog Squad basket with shampoos & full groom

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Waglands Toys

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Animates \$20 voucher



Pamper Pack

Tracy's Hair Design Cut & colour

Salon Savoy Shampoo pack

Lavender Spa & Skin Clinic \$40 voucher

Ritual Beauty Therapy - Kokulu skin care pack

Night Out

Supply Room - \$80 voucher

3 Main

Prizes

D4 - \$20 voucher

Lighthouse Cinema -

Double movie pass

Chocolates

Tickets Available from:

- 쌅 Tracy's Hair Design, Papakowhai
- Nouse of Chic, Aotea
- Vetsmart, Plimmerton
- Rappaw Vet Clinic, Whitby

Other prizes to be won:

- * Topor Restaurant \$30 voucher

- Simply Blooms Ltd \$50 voucher
 Laserforce \$30 Voucher
 JB Roofing Maintenance & Repair—free roof
- Spoil Yourself Spa \$35 voucher
- Salon Savoy (Tawa) x 2 \$80 vouchers Big Mac Slabs chopping board
- Whitby Co-op \$50 voucher House of Chic Wash, cut, blow dry & treatment
- Homelands Kennels x 2 bath vouchers Waglands various popular dog products
- Scentsy Pack VetSmart Poo bags
- Pak n Save \$50 voucher Kaizen \$40 voucher
- Pet Essentials \$20 voucher Paws in the City 50% off groom & 1 day free
- Dinky Dogz Orijen pack
- Palmers Plimmerton gift basket Scruffy 2 Fluffy \$60 voucher Small dog groom

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