

PAREMATA SCHOOL NEWSLETTER
WEDNESDAY 7 AUGUST 2024
WEEK 3 – TERM 3
COOK ISLAND LANGUAGE WEEK



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IMPORTANT INFORMATION

TOMORROW

Friday 16th August

Friday 30th August

Tuesday 3rd September

Saturday 14th September

Learning Conversations – **School finishes at 12:30pm**

School Assembly @ 11:00am

Daffodil Day – **wear yellow – please bring a gold coin**

Tarapekepeke Hui – Schoolwide Skipping 9:00-10:30am (more info to come)

Quiz Night @ 7pm

Kia Orana



This year's theme for Te 'Epetoma o te reo Māori Kūki 'Āirani – Cook Islands Language Week is 'Ātūi'ia au ki te vaka o tōku matakeinanga, which means, "connect me the canoe of my tribe". The theme focuses on deepening Cook Islands people's connection to their traditions, cultures, and their dialects of their many islands through their familial ties, cultural traditions of their enua, vaka, and the songs, dance, and pe'e (chants) of their family.

Year 7/8 Rotary Leadership Awards

Big congratulations to Riley and JJ who were nominated for a Rotary Leadership award and received their awards this week. Rotary's motto is 'Service before Self' and these students really live this. They demonstrate leadership within the senior school at Paremata School and they are excellent role models to both the younger students and their peers. Big congratulations to JJ and Riley. Mauria Te Pono.



SCHOOL WILL FINISH AT 12:30PM TOMORROW

Thursday, 8 August 2:00pm – 8:00pm (end of last interview)

During the 15-minute conference, your children will share samples of their work with you and explain their learning progress.

After School Care will operate from 12:40pm **ONLY** for children normally enrolled on

Thursday. Contact Raewyn on afterschoolcare@paremata.school.nz.

Bookings are now closed. If you were unable to book an appointment on either of the designated days, please contact your child's teacher to make another time after school.

School Donations

School statements for term 3 will be emailed out this week. Thank you to all the families who have already contributed to the donation scheme. Your support is very much appreciated. All donations are eligible for refunds from the IRD using an IR526 form. Please contact Michelle in the office if you have any queries.

Absentees

We have quite a few unwell children at the moment and following up absentees takes quite a lot of time. Can you please remember to leave a message on our phone 2331339, or email absent@paremata.school.nz before 9:00am if your child is going to be away. If families do not call or email, then we have to mark the child as truant. Many thanks.



Meitaki - Matua Bryce

YUMMY STICKERS



Keep munching on these apples and turn the stickers into sports equipment. We will be sending this years stickers away in week 8 so if you have any sheets at home, please send them in.

New sheets available from the school office or www.yummyfruit.co.nz.



WEDNESDAY SAUSAGE SIZZLE – sausage/bread/sauce

Sausage sizzles are available for lunch for \$2.00 each



FRIDAY HAMBURGER – bun/meat pattie/lettuce/cheese

Hamburgers are available for lunch for \$5.00 each



Please remember if you wish to pay online, could you please do so the **day before** ie Tuesday or Thursday and then your child can pick up a card from the office to say they have pre-paid. Thanks for your support.

NETBALL

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

Netball Draw for this Saturday 11th August

OUR TEAM	PLAYING	TIME	COURT
Paremata Panthers	Papakowhai Thunder	9am	1
Paremata Papis	Plimmerton Waves	9:55am	1
Paremata Pistons	Papakowhai Angels	11:45am	1
Paremata Piranhas	Adventure Rubies	12:40pm	1
Paremata Pumas	Papakowhai Diamonds	2:25pm	1
Paremata Pulse	PBK Golden Geckos	1:40pm	1
Paremata Pandas	Plimmerton Snowflakes	3:10pm	1



On Friday 30th August we are supporting the Cancer Society's Daffodil Day with a **Dress Up Yellow** day. Please bring a gold coin and receive a "daffodil day sticker". This year we have also set up a fundraising page so feel free to donate to the link below. Thank you.

Fundraising page URL: <https://daffodilday.org.nz/paremata-school>.

QUIZ NIGHT

Our annual quiz night is back for 2024! This is our term 3 fundraiser and is always a fun night.

Tickets are \$30 each or \$240 for a table of 8. Get a team together and come along and show off your trivia knowledge. There will be a bar, prizes and raffles! A fun way to support our school fundraising.



ENTERTAINMENT PUBLICATIONS



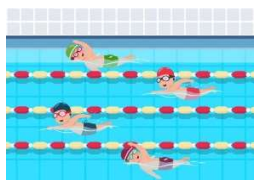
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PARUMOANA SWIMMING TRIALS FOR PAREMATA SCHOOL



Sunday 18th August. 4-5pm
Te Rauparaha Aquatic Centre

All four strokes. If you enjoy swimming, come along to the trials. It's an awesome opportunity to swim for Paremata School.

AIMS GAMES



Our Aims Games Team competed in two tournaments last week. The netball players entered a tournament in Upper Hutt with 15 other teams! They finished in 3rd place which is an amazing effort!



The rip-rugby players competed for a tri-school shield against Ashurst School and Levin Intermediate. After a round-robin series, Paremata played Ashurst in the final and narrowly lost in extra time 2-3! The shield created by Levin will head home with the Ashurst team.



Spring Flower Show

Titahi Bay Horticultural Society

Saturday 24 August | 12 - 5pm
Sunday 25 August | 10am - 3pm
at PĀTAKA

PĀTAKA Art + Museum,
Performing Arts Studio
corner Parumoana & Norrie Street, Porirua

Daffodil & other competitions • plant sale
cafe • raffles • workshops

ENTRY
\$5 adults
children
free

www.titahibayhorticulturalsociety.com

Children's Fashion Parade

Spring Flower Show

Sunday 25 August 12.30 pm
Pātaka Performing Arts Studio
cnr Parumoana & Norrie Sts, Porirua

Theme: In the Garden

Children aged 13 and under are invited to dress up and take part in the Spring Flower Show Fashion Parade.

Competitors should gather at 12.15pm by the Spring Flower Show entry desk into the Performing Arts Studio.

The organiser will be there to meet you.

Costumes must relate to something found in a garden, eg. an insect, a flower, a garden gnome, or a vegetable.

Age groups: Preschool, 5-7 years, 8-10 years, 11-13 years.

Prizes will be presented to 1st, 2nd & 3rd places in each age group.

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