PAREMATA SCHOOL NEWSLETTER WEDNESDAY 13 NOVEMBER 2024 WEEK 5 – TERM 4





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IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Monday 11th – Tuesday 26th November Thursday 14th November

Friday 15th November

Tuesday 26th November Thursday 28th November Friday 29th November Friday 5th December Monday 9th December Wednesday 11th December Tuesday 17th December Monday 3rd February 2025

Kowhai Team Swimming Programme Pōwhiri for new students and staff @ 10:00am

Teacher Only Day – School Closed

Regional Athletics Kauri Team (14&15) Waka ama – Onepoto Inter-School Speech Competitions Kauri Team (13&16) Waka ama - Onepoto Kauri Team Fun Day at Aotea Lagoon Year 8 Leavers / Awards Evening – more info to come School finishes for 2024 @ 12:30pm School commences for 2025

Kia ora tatou



Hamburgers will be available tomorrow \$5.00 each. Please remember to pay for pre-orders today.



Teacher Only Day – School Closed this Friday

Reminder – School will be closed this Friday, 15th November as a Teacher Only Day for curriculum, assessment and report moderation. Thank you for your support with this.

Year 5-8 Athletics Day

What a great day our athletics teams had at Adventure Park yesterday for the Year 5-8 Parumoana interschool athletics. The tamariki all participated very positively and had a great time competing against the other schools. Many thanks to Becky, Rachel and Jenny for the great organisation and all the parents who went along to support our tamariki. Congratulations to the athletes below who will be invited to attend the Regional Athletics on 26th November.

Paige	Fred	O'Hara	Marley	Lou	Nathan	Tipene	Luka H	Krystal	Riley
High	Vortex	Quoits	80m	800m	High	Long	Long	Vortex	Shot Put
Jump			150m		Jump	Jump	jump		Discus
							Vortex		Vortex
							High		
							Jump		
							200m		

Year 5 girls Relay









Nga mihi Matua Bryce

CALENDAR ART



Your children's art work has been scanned and is ready to order! Forms were sent home with the children last week. You will be able to purchase calendars, gift cards, diaries, mouse pads and sketch pads. These products make excellent Christmas gifts and will arrive before the end of term 4.



Prices = Calendar (\$15); Cards (\$15); Diaries (\$18); Mouse Mat (\$20); Sketch Pad (\$18) This is a fundraising event for our school and the funds raised will go towards updating audio sound fields in our classrooms. We are excited for you to get behind this fundraiser and see your children's artwork come to life.

ParentLink Fundraising for Term 4

The Auction is still going strong! We currently have a term of swimming lessons with Dash Swim School and a big box of Moana Road goodies up. Goods will keep being posted so check on TradeMe (see seller's other listings) or on Facebook.

- <u>https://www.trademe.co.nz/a/marketplace/travel-events-activities/activities/listing/5005579914</u>
- <u>https://www.trademe.co.nz/a/marketplace/home-living/home-decor/other/listing/5012924616</u>

Spoiler Alert - Something for your kitchen and a very special train ride are coming up!

Thanks so much to our generous sponsors!







LAST DAY TO BUY RAFFLE TOMORROW – THURSDAY 14TH NOVEMBER <u>Raffle for signed Hurricane's jersey</u>!

- 1 ticket for \$5.00
- 3 tickets for \$10.00



Paremata School have over 40 students across five teams competing at the new inter-school touch module in Porirua organised by Total Touch Wellington.

We would love to have our junior shirts match our senior players! Contact the office to purchase a raffle ticket and possibly gain an early Christmas present!



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A bonus Multi-City upgrade for up to 50% off dining, shopping, and travel across Australia, New Zealand, and Bali

20% of your purchase directly supports our fundraiser

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Order here: https://subscribe.entertainmentnz.com/fundraiser/104u135





CRICKET – PLAYERS WANTED

Porirua Junior Cricket Club is seeking players for our year 7 cricket teams this Summer. If any kids would like to cricket play this season we would love to have them. To find out more please get in touch with Ainsley on 0224179378 or <u>ainsleysmith@yahoo.com</u>. <u>https://www.sporty.co.nz/poriruacricket</u>

CAR SEAT CAMPAIGN

A car seat may be one of the most-used pieces of baby gear a parent owns and with each grocery store, day care, or play date trip, they are buckling and unbuckling tamariki numerous times, with the intention of keeping them safe. However, many people aren't aware that child car seats expire between five and ten years from the date of manufacture.

Car seats sit in the car day after day in the strong NZ sun all year long

and every time the car accelerates and brakes, the straps strain to fight the forces of physics to keep the seat in place. This can add up to some considerable wear and tear on the car seat's materials. The synthetic fibres in the straps stretch and weaken over time and the plastic in the base and back of the seat can develop micro-cracks that are invisible to the naked eye but can significantly undermine the structural strength of the seat. What this means is that an expired car seat might look totally fine, but if there is a car accident the seat might fail, and a little one might suffer serious injury that could have been prevented.



Expired and damaged car seats, booster seats and baby capsules can be dropped off at Trash Palace for FREE during the month of November where they will be safely disposed of to prevent them being re-used.





Saturday, 16 November 2024



Sat 23 Nov 9.30am to 4pm rain or shine

Only \$10 per adult - children under 16 free. Cash only please.

Trail begins at the Raumati South Community Orchard in Jeep Rd.

All proceeds to be used by the Raumati South Residents Association on Raumati South community projects.

