



NEWSLETTER TWO, TERM TWO

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Kia Ora, Talofa lava, and Welcome.

Welcome to the new children and their whanau who are joining our school this week. New students this week – Benjamin and Kaiden

Whaea Luana

Thank you to everyone for their messages of love and support to the staff and students about Whaea Luana. She is much loved and has had a huge impact on so many lives in our school and community.

Community Funeral Service

SCHOOL WILL BE CLOSED THIS FRIDAY, as all staff will be attending the community service for Whaea Luana. A message will be placed on our website, facebook page and emailed with information about the service this afternoon.

Website link about Whaea Luana

A page has been set up on our website for all those in our school and the wider community to access information about Luana and any arrangements that will be made. Once her family confirm details we will share these and open the page up for comments. Please feel free to share the link (copy and paste it) with anyone who might want it.

<https://koraunui.school.nz/about-us/whaea-luana/>

If you wish to make a koha we have the following ways this can be done.

- Internet banking into the school account 123478 0015483 00, reference: Luana koha
- Eftpos or cash at the school office

School Photos – these were planned to be held this Thursday but have been postponed. We will let everyone know when a new date has been set for these. If you have paid money to the office and would like this returned please contact the office, otherwise we will hold this until the photo date is confirmed.



Board of Trustees by-election – please remember to votes for the parent representative by-election need to be returned to the voting box in the school foyer or posted to school by **noon Monday 14th May**. We encourage everyone to vote for this Governance role.

Staff Only Day – SCHOOL WILL BE CLOSED for our Staff only day on **Friday 1st June**. We will be having a day where we will be focusing on Choice THEORY with Maggie Bolton. Please do not send your children to school on this day.

Meetings – we have postponed all after school meetings for this week as well as the science week for next week. We will advise everyone of the rescheduled dates once we have these confirmed.



Stationery – we have a large amount of outstanding stationery payments from the beginning of the year. We ask that if you have not paid for your child's stationery this year that you please contact Paula in the office to make arrangements for payment to be made. This is a debt the school is carrying which prevents us from putting resources into other areas.

Enrolments - Do you have or know of any 5-year olds who are starting school this year? New student enrolment forms are available at the office or on our website under "About us". If you require further information, please contact the office on 9399707 or message us on our school website or facebook page.

Dave Lamont
Principal

WHATS COMING UP THIS TERM?

Week Three

- **Te Whanau Tautoko Chop Suey lunch. Postponed**
- Friday 18 May: Pink Shirt Day – Anti bullying Spread Kindness

Week Four

- Tuesday 22 May: Tini Ball for Year 1-3 teams at Walter Nash Stadium
- Thursday 24 May: Tough Guy and Girl Challenge, for students who have entered
- Friday 25 May: School Cross Country 10.30am
- Sunday 27 May: Year 6 Swimathon

Week Five and Beyond

- Kamahi Syndicate Trip: Rooms 14, 15 and 56 – Te Papa / National Library and Parliament leaving at 9am – 3pm return
- **Friday 1 June: Teacher Only Day: Choice Theory: Maggie Bolton – SCHOOL CLOSED**
- Monday 4 June: Queens Birthday – **SCHOOL CLOSED**
- Tuesday 5 June: Northern Zone Cross – Country – Y4-6
- Thursday 7 June: Northern Zone Cross – Country – Y4-6 pp day
- Thursday 14 June: Whole kura Matariki Festival: including sharing science activities in evening
- Friday 15- Tuesday 26 June: Life education at school
- Tuesday 19 June: Interzone Cross Country
- Thursday 21 June: Interzone Cross Country pp day
- Monday 2-Friday 6 July: POLYFEST
- **Te Ara Whanui** performing at Nationals – Date TBC
- **Friday 6 July: LAST DAY OF TERM 2**