



NEWSLETTER: 21 June/Piripi 2016

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Kia ora, Talofa lava, Greetings



POLYFEST NEXT WEEK!

We are hosting 36 schools and well over 1500 Hutt Valley children in nine different events next week.

Our parents group (KPG) and Te Whanau Tautoko groups are fundraising with sales of kai.



This is Koraunui School's time to shine! Be a part of it!

We need more helpers to:

1. Help install the stage on Sunday morning from 8.30 to 10.30am. Handypersons!
2. Cook pumpkin soup and chop suey at school each day next week (different people each day would be grand).
3. Door people and ushers each night
4. Small groups of people to help at the Schools for Schools concert on Thursday morning, the Oratory Celebration on Thursday afternoon and the ECE Concert on Friday morning.
5. A crew of ten to help with packout after the final show on Friday evening

Thanks to those who have already offered. You rock!

Any donations of pumpkins gratefully received!

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Our new board of Rachel de-Lima-Brinkley, Craig Press, Shane Doherty, Eli Maiava, Toni Wana and Gillian McPeake had a brief meeting last week. Rachel has been elected as Chairperson for this year and the board have decided to second Dave Robinson to the board to help with financial expertise, and Vera Xu to represent the needs of the currently 18 minority cultures that are a part of Koraunui School. The board will be meeting tomorrow evening (Wed 22) from 7.00pm to 9.00pm in the staffroom.

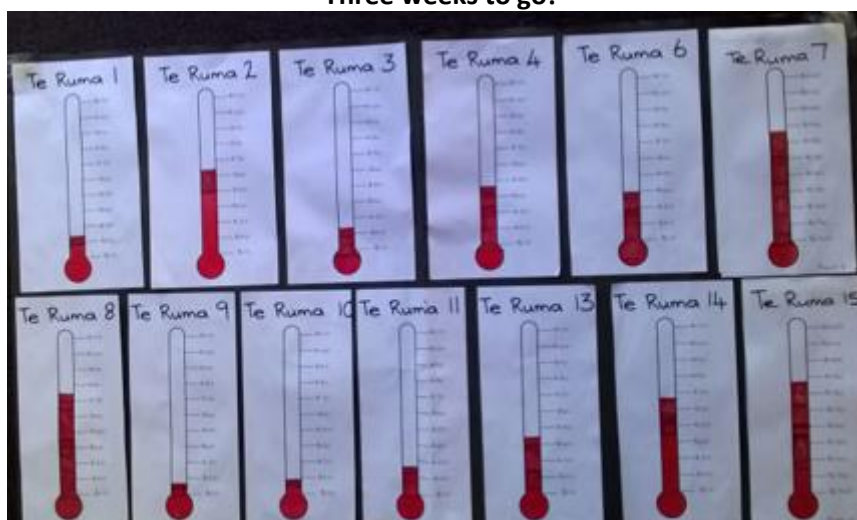
The new board is into it, boots and all, preparing to welcome the Education Review Office on 15 August next term.

50c STALLS THIS WEEK

FRIDAY LUNCHESES: Orders in by Thursday lunch time.

Fri 24 June 1.30pm - Life Education Classroom – Parent Drop in Time

KPG MILK BOTTLE FUNDRAISER: Last week's total was \$54.30. The grand total raised is \$838.70
Let's see if we can get to our target of \$1,000 by the end of the term. That's three more devices for classrooms.
Three weeks to go!



POLYFEST TICKETS NOW ON SALE AT THE OFFICE... GET IN QUICK!

Pasifika Performance: Monday 27 June at 6.00pm: \$5

Kapa Haka Competition Group: Wednesday 29 June: Session Three (1.15-2.45pm): \$2 or all day pass: \$5

Oratory: Individuals: Thursday 30 June: 1.15-2.45pm: Entry Free

Kapa Haka Polyfest Performance: Thursday 30 June at 6.00pm: \$5

SPORTS

Netball: Team 1: Black Diamonds	Last game: 7-11 loss. PoDs Aimee Unasa/Paige Anderson	This week: 12.30 C3
Netball: Team 2: Shooting Stars	Last game: 7-14 loss. PoD Flynn Pearce	This week: 12.30 C1
Netball: Team 3: Flash Magic	Last game: 18-2 win. PoD Tuulenana	This week: 11.30 C4
Basketball: Y1/2 Heat	Last game:	This week:
Basketball: Y1/2 Allstars	Last game: A win. Coach thinks whole team are PoDs!	This week:
Basketball: Y3/4 Rockets	Last game: A win. PoD Jah-ziah Reremoana-Reedy	This week:
Basketball: Y3/4 Untouchables	Last game:	This week:
Basketball: Y5/6 Magic	Last game:	This week:
Basketball: Y5/6 Krushers	Last game: 10-18 loss. PoD Ihaka Hirini	This week:
Basketball: Y5/6 Breakers	Last game:	This week:
Flippa Ball Goal Diggers	Last game: 7-7 draw. PoD Zakarna Gideon	This week:
Flippa Ball: Water Wizards	Last game: 7-6 win. PoD Boston Doherty	This week:

WHAT'S COMING UP THIS TERM? (Some new dates to check out)

Each week

- Mondays: 1.45-2.45: Enviroschools group with representative children from each class meet in Room 12. Family members welcome.
- Wednesdays: 11.15am: Te Ruma 9 violin lessons. Starting this week. Whanau/Parents welcome.
- Tuesdays & Wednesdays at 1.00pm: Kapahaka practice. In hall. Whanau/Parents welcome.
- Fridays at 1.00pm: Pasifika practice. In hall. Whanau/Parents welcome.
- Fridays at 2.00pm: Violin lessons in Te Whare Matauranga (library). All welcome.

This week

- **Tonight: 6.30pm: Avalon Intermediate information evening tonight**
Strongly recommended for parents of Year Six children.
- Tue 21-Thu 30 Jun: Life Education Classroom on site.
- Fri 24 Jun: 1.30pm - Life Education Classroom – Parent Drop in Time
- Sun 26 Jun: Polyfest set up day.

Later in the term

- Mon 27 Jun-Fri 1 Jul: **Polyfest week**
- Mon 27 June: 6.00-8.00pm: Pasifika Group Polyfest performance.
- Wed 29 Jun: Kapahaka Whakataetae (regional competitions) at Walter Nash Centre during the day.
- Thu 30 Jun: 6.00-8.00pm: Kapa Haka Polyfest group performance
- Mon 4 Jul: Te Wiki o te Reo Maori: 'Te Reo Tautoko'. 11.30am: Parade in Wellington
- Tue 5 Jul: Regional cross-country
- Wed 6 Jul: End of term trip to ice-skating for eligible Year Sixes
- Thu 7 Jul: Year Six end of term trip: World of Waste: Group One
- Fri 8 Jul: 9.00am: School assembly: Room 14 hosting
- Fri 8 Jul: Subway lunch
- Fri 8 Jul: Term Two ends at normal time. 11 Jul: KCC Holiday programme starts. (Two weeks)
- Mon 25 Jul: Term Three starts at 8.30am.

FRIDAY LUNCH ORDER

Name: _____ Room: _____

Sausage: ___ @ \$1 **Moosie:** Lime ___ @ \$1 **Chocolate** ___ @ \$1 **Juicie:** Tropical ___ @ \$1 **Berry** ___ @ \$1

Please remember: ALL orders to the office by noon on Thursday. No orders accepted on Fridays.

POLYFEST TICKETS

Name: _____ Phone: _____ (Child: _____)

Pasifika: Monday 27 June: _____ tickets @ \$5 = \$ _____

Kapa Haka Competition: Wednesday 29 June: Day Pass: _____ @ \$5 = \$ _____

Session Three: _____ @ \$2 = \$ _____

Kapa Haka: Thursday 29 June: _____ tickets @ \$5 = \$ _____

Total owed: \$ _____

Please hold the tickets at the office for me to collect. **OR** Please give the tickets to _____ to bring home.

POLYFEST HELPERS: Please help if you can. Put the helper's name next to the task.

Family name: _____ Contact on _____

1. Help install stage on Sunday 26: From 8.30am: _____

2. Cook pumpkin soup or chop suey at school:

Monday 27: _____ Tuesday 28: *Sorted!* Wednesday 29: _____ Thursday 30: _____ Friday: _____

3. Help on door/ushering/selling kai: 5.00pm-8.00pm

Monday 27: _____ Tuesday 28: _____ Wednesday 29: _____ Thursday 30: _____ Friday: _____

4. Help on door/ushering/selling kai

Wednesday day: *Sorted!* Thursday morning: _____ Thursday afternoon: _____ Friday morning: _____

5. Help with packout Friday night: 8.30pm – 10.00pm: _____

Koraunui Kindergarten Vacancies

285 Stokes Valley Road, Stokes Valley

Tel: 920 9820, Email: koraunui@huttkindergartens.org.nz

Places are now available
for 2½ - 5 year olds



Pop in to see us, or sign up
using our FACEBOOK page.

Our session times are flexible.
You can choose a combination of
Mon to Thur 8.30am to 12.45/2.30pm
Fri 8.30am to 12.45pm

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KCC HOLIDAY PROGRAMME ATTACHED

Please return no later than Friday 1 July 2016

INFORMATION REPORTS FROM ROOM EIGHT

PANDAS

This report is about pandas.

Pandas look like a big black and white cloud, with less fluff. Most pandas eat bamboo. Pandas live in misty mountains in China. Pandas spend most of their day eating. Pandas can swim. They are great tree climbers. Giant pandas can weigh up to 110 kilos. They can eat 20 kilos of food. Pandas will eat 12 hours each day. They do not hibernate. Most giant pandas live by themselves. Pandas like to lay back when they sleep. Some live in groups. The adult pandas are big and, like hedgehogs, go to warmer places. When baby pandas are born they can be as small as a mouse. Pandas sleep in trees and sometimes in logs. Their cousins are red and white. Their name is a Red Panda. Their cousin is endangered as well, but the giant panda is the rarest mammal. Giant pandas are very rare because hunters kill them for their fur. The red pandas are just hunted. The baby panda is one of the top ten most cute animal in the world. When baby pandas are a bit older than a baby, they can play hide and seek. Pandas can bark and bite when they are threatened. Pandas are a type of bear.

Written by Helen Press, Age 7

PANDAS

This report is about pandas.

Pandas look like a big, fluffy cloud on a tree. Pandas look like a big fat bear but they are different to bears. Pandas like to eat leaves and bamboo. Pandas live in the mountains in China and they live in trees. They always go to different spots to sleep. Pandas can sleep over 12 hours a day. Pandas climb and swim. When it is winter they find a warm spot away from the cold. Pandas are not like hedgehogs because hedgehogs find a good place to dig in the ground. Pandas like to sleep, climb, swim and sometimes they can play 'Go, Hide and Seek' with their brother and sister. Sometimes their mother can call them for something to eat or something to do. Pandas are mammals and are fluffy and funny. They can look at people. Pandas are good, and when pandas are born they can be the size of a mouse.

Pandas are very big.

Written by Kaedyn Borell, Age 7

GIANT PANDA

This report is about giant pandas.

Pandas live in the forest in China in Asia. They live high in the mountains in the cold. Pandas eat bamboo, a tough grass. They hold it in the front of their paws. A baby panda is called a cub. Cubs are blind, hairless and 15 centimeters long when they are born. Pandas need to eat lots of bamboo to get all the energy they need, so they eat for up to 12 hours a day.

Written by Hunter Ansell, Age nearly 8!

