



NEWSLETTER TWO, TERM ONE.

Tuesday, 7th February, 2017

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Kia Ora, Talofa lava.

I hope you all enjoyed the sunshine over the long weekend and had the opportunity to be in the great outdoors.

Our classes have started the year off with wonderful positivity. Last week there were happy faces and lots of fun being had by all.

The juniors, in particular, have been exploring and enjoying the playgrounds and making new friends.

Our behaviour plan for our school centres around **KORAU** and it was great to see **Kindness** in evidence in the playgrounds during morning tea and lunch breaks.



School Behaviour:

Over the year you will hear more about our behaviour plan. We are using KORAU as our means to focus this.

K	Kind	We show Kindness to people and the environment.
O	Own	We Own our own behaviour.
R	Respect	We Respect the rules, people, and the school.
A	Aspire	We do quality work and strive for excellence.
U	Unite	We work as a team / whanau. We are inclusive.

INFORMATION

We have various means to share information and exciting events with you. Check in with our school [facebook page](#). But our main source is our school website. Koraunuischool.school.nz

WHANAU TRIP: FRIDAY 10TH FEBRUARY

If you are in Te Ruma 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 you will have received a letter about this trip at the end of last week. The trip is for Friday 10th of February-**This Friday**. Fundraising has allowed this trip to go ahead with no cost!!!! Very cool for our tamariki.

Year 3-6 BEACH EDUCATION TRIP: WEDNESDAY 8 FEBRUARY: *TOMORROW*

This trip is going ahead at this stage. Often the weather on the coast is much better than here. The year sixes will undertake a surf safety course, this is not at all weather dependent and will go ahead regardless.

The other children will be doing beach environmental studies so we will make the call tomorrow morning and post it on the school Facebook page. Thank you to everyone for returning permission so promptly and for the offers of help. Your assistance makes this sort of trip possible.

A reminder that permission and payment tomorrow morning will not be accepted and children will stay at school.

YEAR SIX MEETINGS

There are two meetings tomorrow for the year sixes and their parents/caregivers. These are at 3pm and 7pm. Please come along to one of these so we are able to talk about work-club jobs, camp and year six responsibilities.

GOAL-SETTING MEETINGS

This is for every child and their whanau on Tuesday 14th or Thursday 16th of February (Week 3 of Term). Please put aside some time to come to this very important meeting with your child. It sets the year up for your child and allows you to talk specifically to their class teacher about programmes and any organisational things you may need clarification on.

CAN YOU HELP?

There are many jobs that make our school function more comfortably that we would welcome support with;

- We have a Kids Kitchen,
- School crossings
- Friday lunches

Thank you to the kind people who have already volunteered their time and energy.

WHATS COMING UP THIS TERM?

Week Two

- Wednesday 8 Feb: 3.00 & 7.00: Year Six meetings. All Year Sixes and a caregiver to attend one of these meetings please... this is very important and will set your child up for success for their leadership year.
- Wednesday 8 Feb: all Year 3-6 **Paekakariki beach day** with Year 6 doing Lifesaving.
- Friday 10th Feb: Kowhai Whanau classes trip.

Week Three

- Monday 13 -Thursday 16: Year 6 Dinghy Sailing groups.
- Tuesday 14 Feb: 3.15 – 6.00: Three Way Goal Setting meetings (1st day). Caregiver and child to attend. Please book a time when you come in for stationery.
- Thursday 16 Feb: 4.15 – 7.00: Three Way Goal Setting meetings (2nd day). A second opportunity to attend.

Week Four

- Monday Feb 20 - Thursday 2 March: SV Pool Swimming programme: Group 1

Week Five onwards:

- Monday 6 March - Thu 16 Mar: SV Pool Swimming programme: Group 2.
- Fri 10 Mar: 9.00am: Koraunui School senior swimming sports at SV Pool
- Tue 16 Mar: Weetbix Triathlon: School team: Huia Pool and Hutt Recreation Ground
- Thurs April 6th Junior swimming Demonstration
- Wednesday 12 Apr: Last day of Term One
- Thursday 13 April: Staff Only Day. School closed
- Tuesday 18 Apr: KCC holiday programme starts
- Fri 29 Apr: KCC holiday programme ends
- Mon 2 May: Term Two starts

RETURN FORMS

Please send back the whole sheet, even if you have filled in only one section.

GOAL SETTING MEETINGS

I am able to attend a Tuesday February 14th meeting.

I am able to attend a Thursday February 16th meeting.

Name: _____ Child: _____ Room: _____

Phone: _____

YES, I CAN HELP!

School crossing: 8.00-8.30: Possible days: Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Breakfast & Lunch Making: 8.00-8.30: Possible days: Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Friday lunches: Number of times a term: Once Twice Thrice When needed

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Whanau TRIP: Friday 10th FEBRUARY: Te Ruma 7, 8, 9, 10, 11

_____ in Te Ruma _____ has permission to attend this trip.

I, _____, can come as an adult helper.

Phone: _____