



Poipoia te kākano kia puāwai – *Nurture the seed and it will thrive*

## NEWSLETTER ONE, TERM THREE

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## **KIA ORA, TALOFA LAVA, AND WELCOME.**

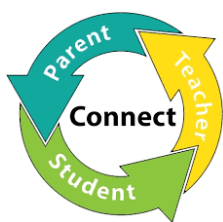
Welcome to the new children and their whanau who joined our school this week: Lachlan, Ryan and Tegh

Welcome back to the new term. We hope that everyone had a good break and managed to recharge for the term ahead. We have another fun filled and busy term ahead with a wide variety of learning experiences planned for the children during the term. As we focus on the learning needs of tamariki, we encourage parents/whanau to be actively involved in their learning and strengthen the home/school communication.

## **MID-YEAR REPORTS**

Mid -year reports will be sent home this Friday and will be the basis of discussions at the parent/teacher/student interviews next week. We have developed a new reporting format and will be seeking some feedback from parents about this to ensure that these are easy to read and make sense of.

## **MEET THE TEACHER/GOAL-SETTING MEETINGS**



These meetings will be held next Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> and Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> of July. These will be held for every child and their whanau. Please put aside some time to come to this very important meeting **with your child.**

Online booking – [www.schoolinterviews.com.au](http://www.schoolinterviews.com.au) and enter the event code **nyc75** or contact the school office for a time.

**Parent** **Teacher** **Conferences**  
**Behavior** **Teamwork** **Grades** **Communication** **Homework**  
**Progress** **Goals** **Achieve**

## **STUDY CENTRE**

**NO study Centre this week – we will resume with Study Centre next week.**



## HEALTH CONSULTATION – Closes this Friday 30 July.

Every 2 years the Board of Trustees carries out consultation about the health curriculum as we look to plan for the next 2 years. Please click on the link below and take a few minutes to complete the survey. This will assist us with or planning. All surveys completed with your name and phone number go into a draw for one of two \$50 New World Gift cards.

<https://forms.office.com/r/aJbRnsNZX1>



## 2 PM CLUB

If your child/children attend, or if you wish your child/children to attend 2 PM Club, we require you to click on the link below and complete the form.

This will provide us with accurate information for 2 PM Club.

<https://forms.office.com/r/TJbPwzV3ZU>



## BOARD OF TRUSTEES BY-ELECTION

Thank you to those who stood for the Board of Trustees by-election. It is good to have parents keen to get involved in our school and make a difference for all tamariki of Koraunui School. Congratulations to Johnson Taea and Amber Pacheco who were elected as parent representatives for the Board of Trustees. We look forward to them joining our board from the next meeting in August.



## HUTTFEST 2021

Thank you to everyone who helped prepare and organize our Kapa Haka, Pasifika and junior performance groups for Huttfest last term. This is a wonderful experience for our tamariki that they will remember for a lifetime. Thank you also to all those who volunteered and helped with the sustainability jobs during the Huttfest week. Through this role we were able to reduce the amount of waste going into landfill and recycle most of the waste. \$1,600 was donated to our school for carrying out this role.



## 50 cent STALLS



50 cent stalls will be on in the hall this Friday. Please be mindful that items are all 50 cents so \$2 is the limit per child.

## STUDENT ABSENCES

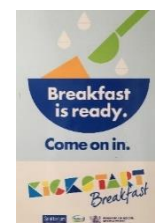
It is important for parents/whanau to contact the school if their children are absent and state the reason for any absences of children away from school. We are asking that specific information is provided (i.e. sore throat, cold, flu, type of injury etc).



Absences can be notified by calling the office on 04 939 9707, texting on 027 3710 947, emailing [office@koraunui.school.nz](mailto:office@koraunui.school.nz), school website <https://koraunui.school.nz/contact-us/absence-notification/>

## BREAKFAST CLUB

This runs from the Kids Kitchen in the library from 8.00 -8.30am each day. Thank you to everyone who is helping to organize and run this for us.



## VIOLIN LESSONS

Arohanui Strings begin lessons again from this Friday. Lessons will be during lunchtime from 12.45pm in the library as they were last term. This is open to all our previous students and to potential new students who are interested in learning to play an instrument (for free). We welcome ALL children aged 6+. For more information or to register your child please contact [admin@arohanuistrings.org](mailto:admin@arohanuistrings.org).



## CONTACT DETAILS

It is important that we have accurate and up-to-date contacts for safety and emergencies. If any details have changed for you, please contact the office and let them know.

## YUMMY STICKERS

Until the end of Term 3 we are collecting Yummy stickers that we will be able to exchange for sports equipment. Yummy apples can be purchased from New World, Pak n Save and Four Square stores. Sticker sheets will be sent home with children this week. If you buy these apples, please collect the stickers and help us get some free equipment for our school.



Check out our Facebook page for information and photos from all of the events happening around the school.

Dave Lamont  
Principal

## WHATS COMING UP THIS TERM?

### TEACHER ONLY DAYS

We have planned one more teacher-only day during term time for 2021. This will be as follows.

- Friday 22 October – Reporting and assessment (Term 4)

### Term 3

#### Week 1

- Monday 26 July: **START OF TERM 3**
- Thursday 29 July: Te Puāwaitanga o Te Kakano School sleepover/hangi
- Friday 30 July: Te Puāwaitanga o Te Kakano Star Dome outreach
- Friday 30 July: Mid-year reports sent home

#### Week 2

- Monday 2 August: **COOK ISLAND LANGUAGE WEEK**
- Tuesday 3 August: Parent/Teacher/Student Interviews 3.10 – 6.00pm
- Thursday 5 August: Parent/Teacher/Student Interviews 3.10 – 6.00pm

#### Week 3

- Monday 9 August: Kauri Team trip to Te Papa
- Tuesday 10 August: Room 5 & 12 Trip to City Gallery
- Wednesday 11 August: Room 13 & 15 Trip to City Gallery