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NEWS SPACE

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Principal: Glenn Nicholson

News from around our school

FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

August 2016

Term 3 is whizzing passed.

Thank you to all our parents that turned out for parent interviews despite the weather. It was great to get to talk to some of you and we hope you found the evening informative and encouraging.

Reminder There will be a games day for families on Thursday 15th September. If you are able, we encourage you to come and see the creative endeavours of the students, and take home a game.

We are embarking on an upgrade of the administration block over the Christmas break and into February 2017. Some of the end of year dates will change with an earlier Prizegiving. We will be having our certificate assemblies in the last week but at a different venue. You will be notified of all the changes at the beginning of Term 4.

Please remember my door is open if you would like to talk with me.



RIDING FOR THE DISABLED

Gingerbread Biscuit fundraiser—\$115.60 has been raised by our school from the biscuits brought in by Riding for the Disabled.

Supporting success in your school.

If you are a parent, staff member or member of the school community and you draw down a new ASB home loan of \$150,000 or more, ASB will donate to your chosen participating school:

\$500

To take up this offer, your new home loan application must be received, approved and then documented in a facility agreement, along with the completion of a school donation voucher, between the 2 May 2016 and 31 December 2016.

ASB lending criteria, and terms apply. Fees may apply. A minimum of 20% equity is required in the security property. This donation offer is only available when you apply for new home lending through an ASB branch, contact centre or mobile lending manager. Other terms apply. For full details and to download the voucher visit asb.co.nz/schoolbanking.

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We Welcome To Our School

New Students: Demetrius Mafulu, Jodeci Taphiko Keni, Te Potiki Ngaha and Iziah Lee

Fruit in Schools (FIS)

Fruit in Schools encourages children to eat more fruit and vegetables and to adopt healthier lifestyles.

The programme began in 2005 and at the start of Term 3 of 2016, 547 schools and 102 thousand students were taking part. FIS targets children at the eligible primary schools who each receive a free piece of fresh produce daily. The programme is funded by the Ministry of Health and managed by the produce organisation United Fresh.

Schools reported improved dental outcomes, a reduction in general sores, an increase in overall healthy eating behaviour and an increase in student concentration.

80% of principals said Fruit in Schools contributed to a sense of equality between pupils

98% said pupils knew more about nutrition and health
66% of principals said they had seen an improvement in students' general health as a result of Fruit in Schools
In 2015, almost 20 million pieces of fruit were distributed to participating schools. Children are able to sample up to 24 different types of fruit or vegetable.

Work & Income Support Seminar

For individuals and families raising a child with a disability

This seminar is free to family members and will clearly explain the types of Work and Income supports which individuals *may* be eligible for if living with a disability or raising a child with a disability. Eligibility criteria will be explained – also whether particular supports are means tested or not, and Income thresholds.

Work and Income supports being discussed:

- Supported Living Payment
- Accommodation Supplement
- Child Disability Allowance
- Disability Allowance
- Supported Living Payment
- Care of Sick and Infirm

Tea/coffee and biscuits will be available from 30 minutes prior to the start of the seminar.

Thursday 22nd September 7-9pm

Nathan Homestead, 70 Hill Road, Manurewa

There is no charge for parents or family members attending

RSVP is essential: 09 636 0351 or

email admin@disabilityconnect.org.nz