Rotokauri School Newsletter



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Dear Parents

Nga mihi o te wa kia koe me to whanau.

ROTOKAURI SCHOOL MISSION STATEMENT

Our positive environment will actively engage our students in learning.

ROTOKAURI SCHOOL VISION

We are responsible, confident learners and communicators.

ROTOKAURI SCHOOL VALUES

Respect, Responsibility, Honesty, Persistence and Excellence.

SHORT NEWSLETTER

Just a short newsletter this week to update happenings for next term. Your next newsletter will be sent in Week 2 of Term 4.

WAIKERI MARAE

Gee that term went so quickly but it was great to end on a very successful school trip to the Waikeri Marae. Wonderful to watch all the parent helpers getting stuck in as a TEAM to make the day such a success.

Our senior students also played their part by looking after some of the younger students. It was just like watching one big family. Thank you to everyone involved.





See more photographs on our facebook page









TERM 4 DATES

Monday, 10 th October	First day of Term 4
Wednesday, 12th October	Agricultural Day
Monday, 24 th October	Labour Day
Thursday, 27 th October	Hui
Sunday, 13 th November	Car Show / Gala
Friday, 18 th November	Whole School Athletics
Friday, 2 nd December	Inter-school Athletics & Disco
Monday, 19 th December	End of Year Prize Giving
Tuesday, 20 th December	School finishes for 2016
Tuesday, 7 th February 2017	School re-opens

COMMUNITY CONSULTING (ONLINE)

If you go to our school webpage www.rotokauri.school.nz you will find the link for our 2016 Consulting with the Community. Please feel free to have 2 people within the household complete the survey. To be in the draw for the \$100 Lola voucher online forms have to be completed by Friday, 14th October. If you would like to fill out a paper copy please see Sharon in the office.

AGRICULTURAL DAY

Entries close today, 22 September at 3.00 pm. Sorry, no late entries will be accepted. For those who have entered animals a reminder notice will be coming home on Tuesday, 11 October. If you have any questions in the meantime please contact Sharon in the office.

AGRISEA AVAILABLE - FREE

It was a bit late getting to us but if you would like a free bottle (or 2) of Agrisea animal supplement, please come to the school office.

INDOOR ACTIVITIES FOR AGRICULTURAL DAY

You should have all received an email and paper copy for the indoor activity requirements (attached again to this newsletter). Please make sure your children come to school with what they need to complete these activities over the 3 day period. Please contact the class teacher if you need any more information.

SUNHATS FOR TERMS 4 AND 1

For Terms 4 and 1 all students need to wear a Rotokauri sunhat, which is available from the school office - \$15.00 each. These hats are not to be individualized (no graffiti or accessories added) by the students. Failure to have a hat means the child has to sit in a shaded area during break times.

THANK YOU

Room 4 had Hosea's mum Rachel visit. She brought in her traditional Maori cloaks. They are called Hieke (Warrior cloak-male) and Korowai (female cloak). We learnt so much. Thank you Rachel!







INTERESTING

We think Hamilton is growing quickly. What about these figures on Auckland's growth from Statistics NZ.

Each week Auckland has:

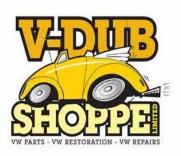
- 819 new residents
- 344 homes built
- 8 new classrooms and teachers
- 405 new jobs created

Every day Auckland has 670 new vehicles coming through the Ports of Auckland. A new street is created every two days. Over the next 20 years Auckland will have grown by the size of Christchurch.



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ROTOKAURI SCHOOL BOOK FAIR

Last year our school raised over \$1000 at the **book** fair thanks to the donations, work and purchases by the community. We have decided to have another **book** fair this year.

The **book** fair will be held at the school gala/car show on Sunday 13th November. We are looking for the donation of good quality **books**, sorry, but no magazines, encyclopaedia, compendiums or readers digests. If you are planning to clean out your cupboards could you **bring the books along to school.** The collection point will **be in the multi-purpose room.**

We would also love some **clean plastic bags** to place the books into once they are sold.

If you have any queries, please contact Book Fair co-ordinator: Miranda Collinson ph 849-7623



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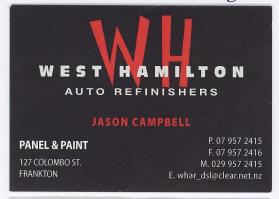


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