

A couple of reminders in regard to school process;

- if you have a protection order/custody order etc and we have a copy, we will enforce it. If we don't have a copy we are not mind readers, and will release the child to either natural parent.
- If you have a query, concern or complaint, speak to the person concerned first. This is called natural justice or common courtesy. If your issue is not resolved at this point, then you take it to the syndicate leader or principal.
- Please note also that the school does not act on or accept anonymous complaints except for very serious allegations.
- If your new entrant child starts school in Term 1 they are classified as Year 1 and will proceed in to the junior school as a Year 2 the following year.
- If your new entrant child starts in Term 2, 3, 4 then they are classified as Year O and will proceed into the junior school as a Year 1, the following year.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY THIS WEEK TO: Dylan Baker, Tre McAlister, Rita Hart, Lavinia Paea, Dylan Pouesi, Christine Yu, Dante Huggins, Kelsey Reeves-Parmenter, Goldberg Palota-Kopa, Alex Winterton & Eddie Snell.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES NOMINATIONS – close 23rd April 12 noon.

EASTER RAFFLE – is drawn next **THURSDAY 1st APRIL**. Could all money, butts and unsold tickets please be returned by next Thursday morning.

ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS @ \$65 are on sale and will be available for collection/delivery next Wednesday. If you use a restaurant voucher just twice, you recover the cost of the book. The profit from these sales goes towards the end of year fun day.

SCHOOL COUNCIL – the sausage sizzle at Athletics Day raised a total of \$342 – for our World Vision sponsorship child, Rifat, in Bangladesh.

TERM 2/3 WINTER HOURS – a reminder that in Terms 2 & 3, we permanently shorten the lunch hour by 15 minutes and school finishes at 2:45 pm. Children whose parents can't pick them up until 3:00 pm may wait in the library.

ASTHMA/ALLERGY ACTION PLANS – reminder to please send back any asthma/allergy action plans sent home last week with children noted on our Health Issues register.

ZONAL ATHLETICS – Postponed until tomorrow, Friday 26th March.

MOBILE EAR CLINIC – here at school next week, Tues 30th, Wed 31st March & Thurs 1st April. By appointment only, phone 839 0546.

SCHOOL ATHLETICS – congratulations to the following Athletics Day Year winners. Their trophies will be presented at end-of-year prize giving.

	<u>Boy</u>	<u>Girl</u>
Year 1 -	Joshua Zhang	Ocearn Mathews
Year 2 -	Christopher Manuha'apai	Amanda Lowe
Year 3 -	Dylan Hall	Natalie Houia-Jacob
Year 4 -	Jonah Palota-Kopa	Santana Kellett
Year 5 -	John Keating	Betsy-Bella Davis Barr
Year 6 -	Goldberg Palota-Kopa	Olivia Gwiazdzinski

REMINDER – NETBALL enrolments and payment are due tomorrow, **Friday 26th March**.

COMPLIMENTS –

1. **Room 8's** Spanish film made last year was judged 2nd in a NZ wide competition.
2. At the Taipari Strand Community Day last Saturday, the Milo Van staff who had been at school for the 'Have a Go' day told me the behavior and manners of the children were the best she had ever encountered as she went around the schools.
3. At a function at the University of Auckland last Thursday, the Northern Regional Manager of the Ministry of Education sought out Mr Webster and myself to pass on his absolute complements about our school.

FRIDAY ASSEMBLY TOMORROW – 2.25 pm hosted by Room 16

RETURN TO OFFICE – SCHOOL DONATION 2010

Name of child: _____ **Rm :** _____

Please find \$60/\$90 enclosed for 2010 school donation (We will send your tax receipt and put you in the Lucky Prize Draw.

Signed: _____

RETURN TO OFFICE -ENTERTAINMENT BOOK

of books: _____ **Signed :** _____

_____ (cash, visa, eftpos, cheque) _____

*TOO MUCH T.V IS BAD FOR LEARNING * *READ WITH YOUR CHILD EVERY NIGHT**