



Papakura Normal School

Important Dates

9 Apr	Ribbon Assembly 1.30pm End of Term 1
27 Apr	Term 2 begins 9.00am
4-7 May	Year 8 Camp
13 May	Pre-school Visit

Farewell

Ribbon Assembly today will farewell Yvonne Dornan who has been a part of Papakura Normal School for over 30 years. Although still involved in the school, Yvonne has finally stepped down from daily work at school. We wish you well in your "retirement" Yvonne!

Kiwi Kwiz

The winner of the Kiwi Kwiz is Trishkaran of Room 7. Half of N.Z.'s native birds are now extinct. Well done Trishkaran!

Quiz Night

On Tuesday night our PTG set the date for our Quiz night. This will be held on Friday night 5th June. Last year this was a fun night for those who came. It would be great to see even more people this year. Watch this space for further informa-

Dear Parents

School finishes at 3.00pm today for the Easter break and the School holidays. We start again on Monday 27th April at 9.00am. The school office will be open on Thursday 23rd April from 8.30am for enrolments etc.

Class Photos

Class photos were taken yesterday. All money should now be in. Future orders need to be sent directly to Photolife, P O Box 97399, South Auckland Mail Centre, Wiri. Telephone 262 1040.

Funding

You may have seen in the courier that the school received some money from the government to enlarge our library which is very exciting for us all.

Dental Clinic

The Dental Clinic will be open in the school holidays from the 14th to 23rd April. All enquiries phone 298 3073.

Second Hand Uniform

We still have a number of second hand uniforms for sale. Please see the office.

Treat Day

The PTG Treat day raised approximately \$1,200.00 which was a good effort.

Berkeley Cinemas

Every time you go to the movies, remember to save your movie ticket (stub) and bring it back to school. The school with the most stubs will win a fabulous prize. We are also sending home some vouchers for free treats at the movies.

Student of the Week

Our student of the week this week is Chelsea Edel of Room 23. Well done Chelsea!

Year 8 Camp 4 - 7 May

Year 8 Camp to Port Waikato is taking place in Week 2 next term. We are hoping for some fine weather. Camp fees must be paid in full by Tuesday 28th April please.

Absences

Parents please assist the school by writing a note, phoning, texting or calling in to the school when your child is absent.

Pre-school Visit and Morning Tea

Our first pre-school visit for Term 2 is 13th May at 9.30am, followed by the New Parents Morning Tea in the library. All new parents welcome.

Yummy Stickers

Remember to save your Yummy stickers off your fruit and bring them to school. Some great prizes to be won.

In Goodtime Horsepark Holiday Programme

Riding lessons on Miniature and Small Ponies. Website: ingoodtime-horseparksaddleclub.piczo.com or phone (09) 2919153 or email ingoodtimehorsepark@xtra.co.nz

Wishing everyone a Happy Easter and a safe holiday break.



The First Tee of NZ

We are running an after school class at Bruce Pulman Park, Monday's from 4.30-5.30pm. The programme teaches life skills and golf skills to children (aged 7-17yrs). This programme will run once a week from 27th April 2009. The cost for the class is \$80.

To register, please contact us by email info@thefirstteenz.org or ph 265 0581. Golferships are available in cases of financial hardship.