

NEWSLETTER NO 10 THURSDAY 1ST JULY 2010

Dear Parents and Caregivers

Tomorrow is the last day of Term 2. Once again it has been a very busy term and being eleven weeks in length, the students and staff are more than looking forward to their holidays. Let's hope we get some decent weather in the holidays so the students can get outside and get some exercise. With the recent wet weather they haven't enjoyed being kept inside during intervals and lunchtimes.

Reports and Parent Interviews

We have received a lot of positive feedback on our new report form which gives parents information about how students are progressing against expected year levels and the national standards. Thank you very much to those parents who attended an interview with their child's teacher on Monday or Tuesday. I hope you found this informative and now know what your child has to do to make further progress over the rest of the year. Please remember that if you have any concerns about your child's education or welfare, do not hesitate in contacting your child's teacher to arrange a meeting. Mid - year reports for those parents who did not request an interview will be given out next Term.

Book Fair



Thank you to those of you who purchased items from our Book Fair on Monday and Tuesday. Money raised **will** go towards purchasing new titles for our library.

Canteen

The canteen will be closed tomorrow, Friday 2 July 2010.

New Technology and Art Centre



As mentioned in the last Newsletter we will be having a powhiri and opening ceremony for the new Technology Block. This starts at 10.00am on Monday 19th July. If you would like to attend this function, please ring the school office by 3.00pm tomorrow.

Roll audit

Yesterday the Ministry of Education undertook an audit of our school roll. Whilst they found our record keeping in order, they informed us that we must obtain a letter from parents who wish to take their children out of school during Term time for holidays and trips overseas. Could you please comply with this request.

End of Term 2

School will close at the usual time tomorrow and open again for the start of Term 3 on Monday 19th July. We have been really proud of the students this Term, as well as representing the school well in various sports/cultural events, many of them have made significant progress since the beginning of the Term in writing, reading and maths. I would like to thank you for your support and wish you all an enjoyable and relaxing holiday. See you next Term!

Thank you

Steve Black
Principal