



KIA ORA KOUTOU

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Almost the end of week 7 of our 10 week term – we are now passed Queens Birthday and the Transit of Venus heading toward the shortest day of the year!! There are still a lot of activities on between now and the end of term so do not forget to keep an eye out for newsletters and notes published on the school and class Facebook pages.

- **Term 2 end on Friday 6th July**
- **Term 3 Starts on Monday 23rd July**

Interschool Cross Country

Good luck to all our school representatives in the Inter School Cross Country being held today on our hills – fingers crossed we can keep hold of the Interschool trophy.

PARENT TEACHER FUNDRAISING GROUP – OCEAN 8 MOVIE NIGHT

A huge thank you to our small group of parents who have worked extremely hard on behalf of all parents and children, organising the Movie night on Monday. A very successful night!!

Remember we are always looking for more parents to join this fun, and very important group, to help with future fundraisers and events – a good chance to get to know other parents and have some fun doing a very important job.

As a decile 9 school, we have to raise extra funds to cover the shortfall of funds from Government Grants, especially for all the extra things that we provide around the school. Playground equipment, Chromebooks, extra reading books, sports equipment – the list goes on ...

STUDENT LED CONFERENCES

NOTE: SCHOOL FINISHES EARLY AT 12.00 (AS PER PREVIOUS YEARS) ON WEDNESDAY JULY 4TH

These are not far away – This is our mid-year reporting time where we look at progress and achievement, along with reviewing the goals set at the start of the year. Along with a written report, Student Led Conferences are an opportunity to look at what your child has been doing at school so far this year.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- 18 June – Term 3 New Entrants Afternoon Tea**
- 19 June- EBOP Cross Country**
- 27 June – Paid Union Meeting (details to be advised)**
- 27 June – School Photos**
- 4 - 5 July – Student Led Conferences (details to Follow) and Scholastic Book Fair**
- 6 July – End of Term 2**
- 23 July – First day of Term 3**

Note: The booking website for conference times long with instructions will be advised soon.

- **Wednesday July 4th – school will finish at 12.00 noon - allowing conferences to start.**
- **Thursday July 5th - school finishes at 2.30 as per normal with conferences starting at 3.00pm.**

INFORMATION SESSIONS ABOUT STUDENT LED CONFERENCES

New Parents to the School or any parents interested, there will be three opportunities next week to attend a power point and discussion about Student Led Conferences. This will assist those who have never experienced Student Led Conferences before, and give a better understanding about how these operate – therefore getting the most out of this time for you and your child.

Tony will run these sessions on the Monday and Tuesday the week of the conferences.

Session 1: Monday 2nd July – 8.30am in the (Staffroom upstairs next to Rimu Space) – coffee and biscuits provided.

Session 2: Monday 2nd July - 5.30pm in the (Staffroom upstairs next to Rimu Space) – coffee and biscuits provided.

Session 3: Tuesday 3rd July – 2.30pm in the (Staffroom upstairs next to Rimu Space) – coffee and biscuits provided.

SCHOLASTIC BOOK ORDERS – please complete online or return orders to the school office by Friday 15th (NO CASH)

**EASTERN BAY OF PLENTY
INTER SCHOOL GYMNASTICS COMPETITION**

We have 14 children competing in this competition next Friday June 22 and we wish them all the best. Only a limited number chose to enter this year due to being unable to train at school with the hall and equipment out of action. Thanks to the parents who will be organising transport and supervision of the children.

2018 TIMETABLE

Hosted by EBOP Gymnastics Club,
11 Lovelock Street, Whakatane Phone 3080122

DATE: Friday 22nd June
Doors open 8.15am

8.45 am
Girls in Years 3 – 5

11:30 am
Girls in Years 1 – 2
Boys in Years 1 – 2

1:00 pm
Boys in Years 3 – 5
Boys in Years 6 – 8
Girls in Years 6 – 8
*Prize giving will be as soon as possible after each session has finished

Canteen for snack food and drinks will be running (cash only).

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WELCOME AFTERNOON TEA AND MEET THE TEACHER

For: Children starting school term 3 2018 and their parents

When: Monday 18th June 2018

Time: 1.30pm to 3.00pm



We would like to provide an opportunity for your child to meet their fellow classmates and teachers. This will take place from 1.30 to 2.30pm, followed by some supervised play and a school tour.

From 2.00pm there will be an adults hui. Caregivers can ask questions and will be provided with information to help with the transition of their child to primary school. You may also wish to book up to four transition visits which usually take place on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

If you are unable to make it and would like a separate visit date please contact Alex at alex@ohopebeach.school.nz or Angela angela@ohopebeach.school.nz or phone/text 021 0374443.

Regards Alex Hanlen and Angela Gouk

SCHOOL PHOTOS – Wednesday 27th June

The school photos will be taken on Wednesday 27th.

A Notice came home last week giving details of how to order online once the photos have been taken. Please read instructions for ordering online.

Sibling photo order forms are available from the school office and need to be returned before photo day on the 27th June



PRIDE VALUES

P – Positivity - We participate in all activities with enthusiasm. We say kind and positive words.

R – Respect - We listen and use our manners. We care for ourselves, our belongings, the environment and each other.

I – Integrity - We make the right choices and do as we say. We are trustworthy.

D – Diligence - We try our best in all activities and take on challenges. We work hard to achieve our goals.

E – Empathy - We think about others and their feelings before we act.

Our focus is **Diligence**

Pride time winners get to spend time in the native area, have beach time or play space.