



Te Kura O Waima

NEWSLETTER TERM 4 WEEK 8 2018

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Tena koutou nga matua nga whaea me nga whanau katoa,

This will be our last newsletter for the year 2018. The staff and I would like to wish you all a very Happy Christmas with Whanau and friends. We wish our students a safe and happy holiday and look forward to them all returning on Tuesday 29th January.

Trophies (2017): Please return to the school

Technology: Some students have still not paid their \$20 Technology fee. Can all year 7 and 8 students please settle this account before the end of the year.

Ceramic painting: Each student is required to bring along \$6 to cover the cost of their plate. These plates normally retail at \$19.99 so this is a very cheap personalised gift for students to proudly wrap for a loved one for Christmas.

Birth Certificate/Enrollment forms: Please fill in, sign and return the new enrollment forms to the office as soon as possible. We are also waiting to receive many of the birth certificates which were requested via letter last week. Feel free to get in touch if you have queries.

With the holidays coming up, in the instance students need someone to talk to please contact Youthline.

IMPORTANT DATES

Tuesday 4th December

- 10am powhiri for our visitors,
- 10.20 Morning tea
- 10.45 Prize giving - Santa may arrive!!!!

***Can each family please provide a plate so that our students can have a shared morning tea on this day**

Wednesday 12th December - Last day of Term 4

Tuesday 29th January - 1st day of Term 1

Tuesday 5th February 11.00am - BOT Training followed by BOT meeting

Wednesday 6th February - Waitangi Day

Thursday 7th February - Pool party followed by Marae Noho

Monday 10th December - Mātātoa bilingual Science Show by Nanogirl (Opononi Area School)

***The show will start at 10am, so you will need to be seated before then :)**

Wednesday 20th February - Friday 22nd February: School Camp - Cooper's Beach - please keep these days free!! If you would like to attend camp, could you please fill in the form below so that we have an idea of numbers/transport etc. To follow school procedure we will need to police vet any whanau that are staying on camp. This is purely for student safety and we ask for your understanding. Thank you in advance.

Due to rising costs with pool chemicals, pool maintenance, and caretaker hours we will be closing the pool over the summer holidays. Please ensure you send your children with togs on their first day back next year.

NEWSLETTER Monday 3rd December

Room 1 & 2

Room 1 & 2 would like to wish everyone a safe and happy holiday season.

I would like to thank the students for all their hard work over the year, it has been great getting to know you all and working with you towards your learning goals. We have enjoyed welcoming new whanau and students into the classroom throughout the year. I look forward to seeing everyone back in the New Year feeling refreshed and ready for another year of awesome learning.

Room 3 News

This is the last entry for 2018. Room 3 wishes everyone a Merry Xmas and a safe New Year. I would like to thank each and every Room 3 student for all of their effort, progress and achievement over the year. Each and everyone of you are unique and have many special qualities. It is with sadness that we say goodbye to our Year 8 students, however, I am sure they will all do well in college. It is also with sadness we say goodbye to other students moving on to new adventures, we wish you all well.

Message on behalf of Merepaea Kendall

Kia ora ano koutou,

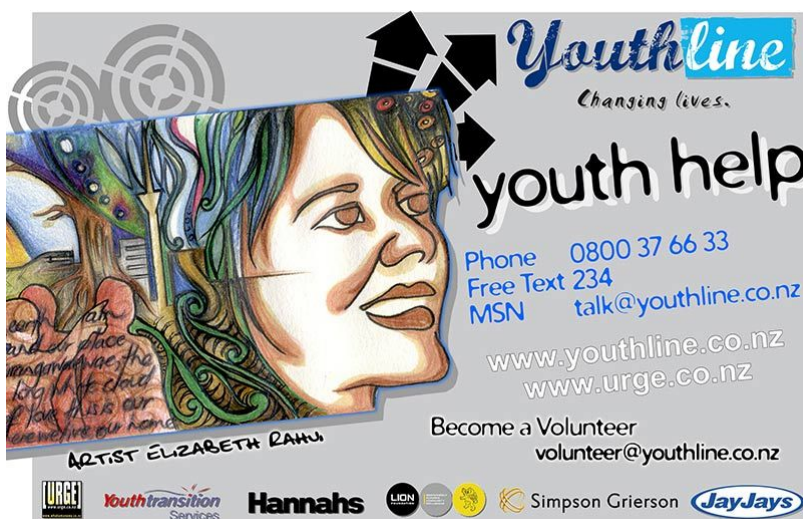
Heoi ano he mihi kau ana ki a koutou katoa mo wau tautoko me nga manaakitanga mo tenei tau.

Ko te tumanako kia pai o koutou hararei.

Meri kirihimete me nga mihi o te tau.

Ma te atua e tiaki i a koutou i nga wa katoa.

Jenny Colebrook
Principal



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