

Dear Families, Whanau and Friends of the School

COLOUR FUN RUN..... WE NEED MORE HELPERS!

We have a track that will involve children leaving our school grounds and running along the pavement of Country Dr. With enough helpers this is straight forward and safe. However, it does mean that more helpers are needed... so can you offer assistance? Its scheduled for the 5th of September, in the afternoon. Please call the Office and let Gillian know if you think you can spare some time to assist us on Wednesday the 5th of September.

Sponsorship forms have gone home. Have you seen the Colour Run Sponsorship Form? Some have been returned already and there is some wonderful sponsorship already. Thank you. The return box is at the Office.

NUT ALLERGY

We now have two children at our school that have a sever nut allergy. What I would like all parents/caregivers to consider is how you would like your child cared for if you were in the same situation. I'm not 'banning' nuts, or peanut butter.... But please consider the lunches and snacks you are providing. Are there perfectly good alternatives, that don't include these ingredients?

SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY

We have a really cool color run to support the training and involvement in our traditional cross country. The idea is to promote more physical activity. However, children can opt out if they need to. However, to opt out of this event will require caregivers to support this decision and fill in an opt out form...I actually hope that very few children opt out of this. It's a great event, taxing , but certainly not too much for the vast majority of children. So I guess I will see, but please don't allow children to just opt out unless there is a good reason. I don't think because its hard is a good reason.

Date of the Cross Country is the 12th of September. Senior races are held down at the Racecourse and the Junior School will have theirs right here at school. All welcome and helpers would be lovely! More information is on its way to you ASAP. This event is run in age groups. Boys and girls are judged separately.

Children that do well in the Turuturu School Cross Country are encouraged to go to the Taranaki Cross Country, held in Hawera on the 26th September. The children need to be 8 years old to compete in this. Children need to participate in the Turuturu School Cross Country to be considered for the Taranaki Champs.



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ASSEMBLY TIMETABLE

30th of August Rooms 12 and 1
13th of September Rooms 10 and 3

ANDERSON PIE ORDERS

Our Supportive Parents Association ARE ASKING FOR HELPERS ON THE 30th of AUGUST IN THE AFTERNOON TO HELP WITH THE PIE ORDERS. CAN YOU HELP? Please contact the office.

TATARAKIHI FESTIVAL

A separate newsletter with all the information has gone out to caregivers of children that attend Kapahaka and are not in Room 4 and 5, our very youngest children. A separate permission form NEEDS to be completed by parents of children wanting to be involved. Our performance is scheduled for 2.15pm on Friday the 24th of August. **Students come to school in their school uniform, some older students will be allocated kapahaka uniforms and the rest will wear their school uniform.**

WE HAVE 50 TICKETS at \$3 each for sale at the School Office. First in first served. The cost at the Hub will be \$5.

The performance is about 10 to 15 minutes long. I will be able to get the children to the Hub on a bus and we plan to arrive at 1.15pm. The children will need to be collected by their caregiver from the Hub, after their performance, which would be around 2.30ish....They can go home after the performance.

We will need parental support so the wonderful folk that usually help

IMPORTANT DATES

Tatarakihi Festival 24th of August 2.15pm

COLOUR RUN 5th September

**TURUTURU SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY
12th September Pp 14th**

GYMSPORT FESTIVAL - Waitara 19th September

**TARANAKI CHAMPS CROSS COUNTRY
26th of September**

Last Day of Term 28th September

**TURUTURU SCHOOL ATHLETICS
14th of November**

**DIXON BANNER ATHLETICS
21st November**

us for kapahaka, can you be here at 12.30 on Friday the 24th.

SALVATION ARMY and WATTIES CANS FOR GOOD

Can you spare a can of food for the Salvation Army Collection? Any can of food will do! There will be a box at the Office. Just know pop it in the box. Your support is greatly appreciated and needed.

WINDUST

Your child will be on stage at the end of Term in the WINDUST PRODUCTION.

We are having three shows. One matinee and an evening concert on Thursday the 20th and one evening concert on Friday the 21st of September. This will allow every family 2 tickets to the show(s). Right now it is time to get costumes organised. A separate WINDUST COSTUME NEWSLETTER will be leaving Turuturu School and heading to you on Monday the 27th of September... next Monday.

Lots of it is pretty easy. So please when you get it on Monday have a read and get organised as soon as possible. Problems... see your child's teachers re costumes.

WINDUST is going to be MARVELOUS!

Regards Richard Bradley

AND THE TURUTURU SCHOOL TEAM