

KAIKOHE WEST SCHOOL NEWSLETTER – 09/26

Wednesday 26th August 2009

Tena koutou e te iwi

Greetings to you all

FIRE BRIGADE WINTER SPORTS DAY

Due to being postponed today this will now take place tomorrow at the following venues starting at 9.45am and finishing at 2pm.

Our children will walk to these venues leaving school at 9.15am.

RUGBY – Kaikohe Rugby Club Grounds

HOCKEY – Lindvart Park

NETBALL – Lindvart Park Courts

YEAR 6 SOCCER – Lindvart Park

YEAR 5 SOCCER – Northland College

Children will need to bring their own food and drink. No sales of food or drink available.

We hope everyone will come and cheer our players on.

Cancellations will be announced on More FM 91.6 at 7.30am.

CROSS COUNTRY Year 1 – Year 4

Due to the postponement today this will now take place tomorrow with races beginning at 11am, with the 8 year olds, so please do come along.

PETS DAY / SHOW DAY

We are planning to hold Pet Day/Grandparents Day involving flower and creative displays on Friday 16th October, which is the first week of Term 4, giving everyone plenty of time to think about their pets. Farming families please support this day.

ONE RULE ONLY

NO DOGS TO COME TO SCHOOL AS PETS

Hockey Draw for 29th August and 5th September 2009 END OF YEAR TOURNAMENT

Please be at the turf ready to go at 8.30am both weekends.

THE FRIENDS OF THE SCHOOL GALA IS COMING UP, PLANNED FOR OCTOBER 31ST. DONATIONS OF MUTTON, BEEF AND PORK WOULD BE HUGELY APPRECIATED. PLEASE PHONE THE SCHOOL ON 09 4011713

FUN MATHS HOUR – For Parents and Caregivers

Learn some fun ways to try and help your children with their maths understanding in addition and subtraction.

The sessions are being held in the library. We will have two sessions every alternate Wednesday from 9 to 10am and 2-3pm, giving you a choice to attend either, when dropping your children off to school or just before home time.

Put these dates on your calendar, 9th September and 23rd September. Childcare will be available if required and all participants receive a free maths game to take home, plus your name goes into a Grocery Hamper draw. Come along to learn fun ways to help your child with their understanding of Maths.

Our draft school vision, describes attitudes and behaviours we would like our students to display when they leave our school in Year Six. We would be working towards this vision from Year One.

Kaikohe West School students are motivated and enthused to learn, display confidence and actively participate as responsible students.

Below, we have used the acronym MARAE to help make our vision easily remembered.

Kaikohe West School is a learning
MARAE for tamariki who are
Motivated

Active Participators

Responsible Citizens

Able and Confident
and

Enthused to Learn

Your comments would be appreciated:



DAFFODIL DAY

This Friday 28th August. Gold coin donations will be pasted onto the class daffodil charts all in aid of research towards cancer. We will have a Daffodil Parade prior to lunch at 12.30pm so please try and dress in yellow or green.



ROAD CROSSING SAFETY

Please ensure that you **STOP** when the road crossing flag is raised. Recently we have had to inform the Police of dangerous driving at our Tawanui Road Crossing.

CALENDAR

AUGUST

Thursday 27th

Postponement day for Fire Brigade Sports Day and Cross Country
Daffodil Day

Friday 28th

SEPTEMBER

Wednesday 2nd

Senior Cross Country Y4-6

Thursday 3rd

Friends of the School meeting – 3.30pm

Wednesday 9th

Inter School Cross Country at Ohaeawai

Home Partnership in Maths 9am and 2pm

Tuesday 15th

Okaihau College Open Day