

31 May 2024

Kia ora koutou

We have reached the halfway point of Term 2 already and officially hit Winter next week. Hoping that you are able to enjoy the long weekend and we will see you all next Wednesday.

Winter Weather

Is with us with a massive drop of leaves. The junior children had a marvellous time scooping them up, jumping in them and throwing them up in the air. Our thoughts are with the caretaker who spent hours last week clearing the playground of leaves..... It did look very neat and tidy..... for a day.





Kings Birthday and Teacher Only Day (School closed)

On Monday we will observe the King's Birthday and on Tuesday teachers will be taking part in a workshop in Balclutha as one of the Teacher Only Days mandated by the Government.

Life Education Mobile Classroom

This week we have been fortunate enough to have Pip and Harold (the giraffe) with us. All Classes have had 2 - 3 sessions each

Rural Principals Conference

This week Anneta has been attending the Rural Principals Conference in Wellington. It is always good to



get away and hear from other Principals throughout New Zealand

Kapa Haka

A reminder to return the permission slips on Wednesday if your child wishes to be part of the Kapa Haka Group.

New Fence

Construction on the new fence will begin next week. Please remember when dropping your child/ren off or picking them up that you can do so safely as workers may be working on entry points or nearby.

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
6 JUN	3 Kings Birthday	4 Teacher Only Day	5	6	7 Assembly
7	10	11 Counsellor	12	13 Sports Activator	14 Tech
8	17	18 Yr ¼ Hockey Tourn	19	20 Kaitangata School Community Group 7pm	21 Assembly
9	24	25 Yr % Hockey Tourn Counsellor	26	27 Matariki Breakfast	28 Matariki
10- JUL	1	2	3	4	5 Assembly



Dear Parent/Guardian,

On Wednesday 12th June we will be holding our sponsored event, Jumping June!

Are you Fundraising?

The effort and enthusiasm from students this far has been fantastic but, as we are still a little way off reaching our goal, we are reminding families that there is still time to participate. This is done through online fundraising, where there is no limit to what can be achieved.

Go to <u>www.jumpingjune.co.nz</u> and create a student profile page and share your online fundraising link via SMS, Email and Social Media.

If you are currently fundraising, THANK YOU! We hope you will continue to share your link and fundraising for the school.

About the Day

Jumping June is all about Fun! Your children will skip with their fellow classmates, friends and students on the afternoon of the 12th June starting at 1:30. **Children can wear mufti for the day and need to wear comfortable sports shoes for jumping**

Prizes

In addition to supporting the Heart Foundation, students who raise just \$10 will be able to choose a prize! They can start ordering from the **5th July** until the **26th July** Remember, ordering online is the best way to ensure you get what you'd like, so please get online!

Some juniors practising their skills for 'Jumping June' day.





