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SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Te Karere a te Kura Tuatahi

Newsletter 6

11 May 2022

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Tena koutou, Guten tag, Goedendag, Namaste, Sat-sri-akal, Bula, Konnichi-wa, Talofa, Malo e lelei, Mabuhay, An nyoung, Greetings to all whanau.

Welcome Back:

After the school holidays we have had a number of new students start at our school. We would like to say a huge welcome to them all and to extend a special welcome to the new families who are **starting with us for the first time. If you have any questions please don't** hesitate to ask.

The good news at the start of the term is that the numbers of Covid cases at the school are very low, we currently only have 4 children who we know have tested positive. It is great to see almost all of our children back at school and engaging in their learning. We are also beginning to see a return of extra-curricular activities for our children to take part in. This term there are a number of sporting events **which are due to take place, something I'm sure the children will** enjoy.

Winning House:

Congratulations to Stewart House who won the house reward last week. Each week the children work hard to earn points for their house. On Fridays the house which has earnt the most points for that week will have an extra 10mins playtime with the senior management team to say well done for all their hard work.

A Quick Reminder:

If your child is absent from school, please make contact to let us know the reason they are away and when we can expect them back. The best methods for doing this are:

1. Ring 549 0105 ext #1 and leave a message on the absentee line.
2. Send an email to kkpsadmin@katikati.school.nz
3. Text a message to 021 041 5234.
4. Call into the office from 8.00am onwards.
5. Fill in an absentee form on our website www.katikati.school.nz

Many thanks.

School Photos: We apologise about the date for our school photographs being moved, due to unforeseen circumstances. The new date is **WEDNESDAY 8th JUNE 2022**.

Tremains Fundraiser:

Thanks to Angela Fowler and Eden Campbell from Tremains Real Estate, if you or any of your friends or family list their property with Tremains they can **nominate the school to receive \$500** once the sale goes through. This is a generous fund raiser for our school, so if you know of anyone selling their home with Tremains it would be great if you could encourage them to nominate our school to receive the donation.

School Cross Country



Our whole school Cross Country will be held at Moore Park on Tuesday 24th May from 9.15am. The postponement date is Wednesday 25th - a postponement notice will be placed on the School Facebook Page by 8am on Tuesday if the event is going to be moved. We are in need of marshals for the day. If you can spare us some time on the day to help as a marshal please email sports@katikati.school.nz. A notice will be coming out closer to the date with more information. The Year 1 and 2 children will return to school once they have finished their race and will return in time for their morning tea. The middle and seniors school students will be back at school by lunch time.

WBOP Rippa Rugby World Cup

Congratulations to the children who have been selected to be part of our Rippa Rugby World Cup teams who will be going off to the Western Bay Competition on 23rd May. There was stiff competition to make the teams, so well done and we hope you have fun.

Note for your diary: The college has a Teacher Only Day this Friday, 13th May. This is only for the college, **the primary school will be open as usual**. Buses will run as normal.

PINK SHIRT DAY

On the 20th May children will be encouraged to wear a pink shirt/ top for the day. In New Zealand, Pink Shirt Day aims to promote kindness to others in order to make our world a positive place to be. We will be using the day to encourage the children to work on showing our school values: Excellence; Respect; Integrity; Citizenship and Attitude. We would love to see as many children as possible come along with their pink shirts on the 20th May, no donation needed.

Friday 20th May

**PINK
SHIRT
DAY '22**

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Sports Corner

NZ Primary & Intermediate Climbing Competition: Friday 20th May – Rocktopia, Mt Maunganui.

Entry fee: \$20 – due by this Thursday 12th May. Any experienced rock climbers wishing to enter this event please contact Christine, email sports@katikati.school.nz. Entries close Thursday 12th May.

Rip Rugby World Cup Qualifier 2022: To be held at Omokoroa Sports Ground on Monday 23rd May (pp Mon 30th May). Trials for this were held here at school last week. Well done to all those who trialled and congratulations to those who made the Year 3/4 and the Year 5/6 teams. A team list is up on the sports noticeboard. If you were successful in making the team you will have received a letter and permission/registration is due this Thursday 12th May. A huge thanks to our Year 3/4 coach/managers Merv Ormsby and Zoe Brown-Ormsby and our Year 5/6 coach/manager Kylie Banks for volunteering your time to enable us to enter teams into this event.

KKPS Whole School Cross Country: Tuesday 24th May (pp Wed 25th May), Moore Park, Katikati.

More info will come out closer to the event. We need LOTS OF HELP with marshalling this event for it to go ahead and to keep our children safe. If you can help please email Christine at

sports@katikati.school.nz with your name, phone number, your child/ren's name, room number and year level so I can place you on the course where you will see your child/children run.

Tauranga Open Cross Country Races: Saturday 21st May 2022, Waipuna Park, Welcome Bay, Tauranga. For more info and to register go to <https://taurangaopencrosscountry2022.eventdesq.com>

BOP Primary Inter-school Squash Tournament: Thursday 9th June 2022 at Geyser City Squash Club, Rotorua, \$15 entry fee. Any keen squash players keen to enter please contact Christine, email sports@katikati.school.nz no later than Friday 27th May.

Year 5/6 Netball 2022: We need more Year 3/4 netball players to be able to enter a team. The Year 5/6 team is now FULL. To all Year 3/4 students interested in playing netball Saturday mid mornings (games will be held in Tauranga). Please come to Room 12 for an expression of interest letter - thanks Whaea Tracy or download one off our school website (Go to Sports, Click on the yellow Sports Box then Netball, select the Year 3/4 letter).

Katikati Football Club: Katikati Football Club U10 Girls needs two girls grade 9 or 10 (born 2012 or 2013) to play for the 2022 season. Please email ASAP katikatijuniors.reg@gmail.com if you would like to play or to find out more.

Football Mini's – Age 3-7 years old: Sunday Mornings 9.30am, 15th May – early September. Registrations are now open at www.katikatifc.co.nz. Contact Caroline 027 551 5589, katikatifirstkicks@gmail.com

HOCKEY: 'Tuatahi HOCKEY' starts Saturday 21st May from 9am-10am here at Katikati College Turf! A five week introduction to HOCKEY skills for year 1 & 2 children. Only \$25! Must have mouthguard. HOCKEY sticks supplied. Contact Keri Ann van Doorne 022 351 0502 to register.

Email us to let us know any great achievements by your children in sport to include in the newsletter.

Christine Townsend, Sports Co-ordinator

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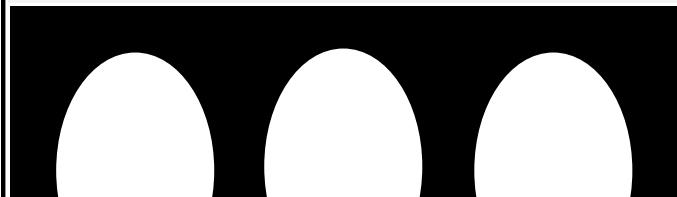
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TERM CALENDAR.

*THIS CALENDAR DOES CHANGE AND OUR
ADVICE IS TO CHECK FOR CHANGES*

- 18 May—TOP - Rm 26/27 Uretara Visit
- 20 May—Pink Shirt Day
- 23 May—WBOP Ripa Rugby World Cup
- 24 May—Whole School Cross Country
- 3 June—TEACHER ONLY DAY
- 6 June—Queens Birthday (public holiday)
- 8 June—Photolife / North Cluster Cross Country
- 10 June—Yr 3/4 Gymnastics / pp NC Cross Country
- 17/6—Yr 5/6 Gymnastics
- 21/6—WBOP Cross Country

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