

We live by our motto of AIM HIGH

# Kia ora Koutou Katoa.

## **GYMFEST**

Most of the students who attended the Cambridge Gymfest on Tuesday had a fabulous time and represented the school with pride. Well done to the gymnasts for your effort to learn the routines, the commitment to practice during break times as well as class time and for supporting each other at the event.

A special congratulations to the following students who earned places for their routines:

1<sup>st</sup> Overall (Springers); 2<sup>nd</sup> Beam 3<sup>rd</sup> Vault Iyla Mitchell

2<sup>nd</sup> Overall (Springers); 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor 2<sup>nd</sup> Vault 2<sup>nd</sup> Mat **Gab Pascual** 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor 1<sup>st</sup> Vault 2<sup>nd</sup> Overall (Springers); 3<sup>rd</sup> Mat **Kharva Hendry** 3<sup>rd</sup> Vault 1<sup>st</sup> Overall (Springers); 1<sup>st</sup> Floor 1st Mat Tamihana Raupita

Here are some photos of the action



# SCHOOL PHOTO DAY TOMORROW!!

Masterpiece Photography will be coming into school tomorrow, Friday 13<sup>th</sup> July, to take individual and class photos of our tamariki.

This year the ordering process will be online. We haven't received info on this yet, so once they give it to us tomorrow we will send it out.

We will start with the staff photo just before 9am, then do Room 5 class photo because Mrs Morris has to leave for a course. Then we will go back to the 3 sports teams

- miniball, touch and Jump Jam. Following the sports teams will be class photos again, individuals and whaanau. Children need to come with their team uniform to put on (school shirt, black shorts, trainers and socks). If the team coaches would like to be in the photos please come along at 9am ish that morning. Classes and Individuals should begin about 9.30. A great day to have hair done and nice outfits on.

## WELCOME TO...



Ainsley who started school last week in Room 1. We look forward to seeing your confidence build as you settle in ©

## **ROTO CROSS COUNTRY**

The Cross country is held over on the Wallis Farm behind the Wallis Quarry, just across the road from school. Parents can park in the quarry itself and then walk up the driveway to the paddock on the left at the top of the hill. We require parents to watch the races from **inside** the paddock for two reasons:

- So they don't accidently get in the children's way as they are running,
- 2. So the rest of the children stay with the teachers in their House Groups to cheer for their team.

After all the races have finished we have our prizegiving, so again it is great if all the parents can stay put until the end so the winners receive the applause they deserve. Then parents are welcome to take their children home whilst the other children will return to school to catch buses etc.

This is a great opportunity for the tamariki to get dressed up in their house colours, put on some face paint and enjoy the day! If you aren't sure of your child's house colour please email the office.

The programme is very fluid if it is a miserably cold day but we do try to hold it anyway. Make sure your child is dressed for the weather, not just the race.

It is also a good day to pack a few extra snacks to have after their race, or before if they are running at the end of the day. They definitely need a drink bottle with them and **shoes are compulsory** so make sure they are wearing them as they walk out the front door in the morning.

## **BUS REMINDERS**

If your child is getting picked up when they usually go on the bus please get the adult picking them up to come in to the office and tell someone. That 30 seconds of effort can fix 3-4 adults spending 15 minutes looking for missing children, a bus loads of children waiting to go and families wondering why the bus is so late.

Please don't ask the children to tell us about the change without you confirming it with us directly by text, phone, email.

We have believed children in the past but they had misunderstood the instruction and were left at school. So, as a rule, staff don't accept a child's explanation unless we have confirmation from an adult via phone /text/email or note.

## LIBRARY HELP NEEDED

Mrs Morris would **love** a helper in the school library to assist with mending books and sorting them into order. Do you have any spare time and are keen for this job? Please contact Roxy or Mrs Morris.

## SCHOLASTIC BOOKS

Orders were due in today but if you sneak them into the office by first thing tomorrow (Friday) you still might get your order added.

## **MEDICATION**

It is a requirement of the school that no medication is given to a student without written consent, on the appropriate form. The medication sent to school must be in it's original packaging with the name of the medication, the doage, the child's name and date issued. If there is no permission form is completed, parents are welcome to come to school at the appropriate time to administer the medication themselves.

## **SCHOOL SHIRT**

If you would like a school t-shirt for your child, we have placed an order for some more so they should arrive soon. Whilst they are not compulsory, the children do look good as a group representing the school. They are \$35 from the office. We don't have eftpos, so it's cash or pay into the school account prior to pick up.

## **KNOWING WHAT IS HAPPENING**

We communicate upcoming events as early as we can in avariety of formats. The 3 main ones are the Facebook page, Skoolloop and Newsletter. Whilst we don't always get it right, the vast majority of the time the information is out there. If you can't find it, ring Roxy – she doesn't just have her finger on the pulse, she has her whole hand on the pulse. If she has not been told, it takes her no time to find out for you.

The school uses a **private Facebook page** (called Roto Parents) which only parents/direct caregivers have access to (no aunties, uncles, family friends, grandparents, just those with day to day care of the students).

**Skoolloop** is an app that you download to your phone to receive messages, view the school calendar, send in absence messages, etc. Just download it from the App store and search for Roto-o-Rangi school.

The Newsletter is published every fortnight beginning in Week 1 of the Term (so week 1, 3, 5, 7, 9,11 of each term). It celebrates learning happening in the school and provides the latest information.

## Tiriti Answers;

1. 6 Feb 1840; 2. 3 clauses;
 3. Over 500; 4. Between the Crown and Hapu[;
 5. Maaori version;
 6. No; 7. Kawanatanga and rangatirotanga; 8.

Partnership, Protection, Participation.

## TE REO TANTALISERS

Not really te reo, but about the Tiriti o Waitangi. Here are a few questions. How many can you get right?

- 1. When was the Tiriti/Treaty signed?
- 2. How many clauses are there?
- 3. How many chiefs signed the various copies?
- 4. Who is the Tiriti/Treay agreement between?
- 5. In international law which version of the Treaty/Tiriti is recognised, the one written in Maaori or the one in English?
- 6. Is the Treaty/Tiriti recognised in NZ law?
- 7. What are the 2 words that have different meanings between the 2 versions of the Treaty/Tiriti?
- 8. There are 3 P words altogether used to explain the 3 main principles behind the Treaty/Tiriti. What are they?

## **BOT NEWS**

The money for the MOE has come through and the BOT will be rebuilding the girls changing rooms, the pump shed and PE Shed over the next term or so. Included in that is a new pool filter system which will mean a change to the water.

The school will be including a saltwater system as this is more cost effective, more sanitary than just chlorine and better for the skin.

With the PTA paying for the pool to be repainted it will be an awesome asset in the school for years to come. Now let's hope the weather plays ball so we can get this all done before the start of the swimming season in late November.



Sam was keen to send this photo through to us from rugby last weekend. He plays for Leamington Turbos. His game last weekend was particularly fun in the mud!!

## **COMMUNITY NOTICES**

#### **BABYSITTER AVAILABLE**

Lives in the Roto-o-Rangi area. References available. \$15 per hour. Contact Molly Norvill 020 4022 7219

## **COWSHED HELP AVAILABLE**

Experience calf feeding & milking. Available weekends and weekday mornings. Can provide references. Contact Molly Norvill 020 4022 7219.

## **AG DAY 2021**

Ag Day this year is on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> October, the first week of Term 4. Children wanting to enter should be getting their calf, kid or lamb around now and beginning to spend lots of time feeding and caring for it. Detailed info can be found on the school website and will be updated as the weeks progress, and we'll send notices home. If you have any questions please get in touch.

# **UPCOMING EVENTS**

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Newsletter
Scholastic Book Orders
School Photo Day
Fortnightly Assembly 2.10pm
Newsletter
Cross Country
St John in schools team – First
Responder training for students.
Launchpad for Term 3 begins
Cambridge Kapahaka Festival
Fortnightly Assembly 2.10pm
Newsletter
Roto Speech Competition 7pm
Rural Schools Cross Country
Te Wiki O Te Reo Maaori
BOT Meeting
Fortnightly Assembly 2.10pm
Cambridge Rotary Speech Competition
Newsletter
Yr 6 Orientation at CMS
Fortnightly Assembly 2.10pm
Altrusa Awards ceremony
Term 3 Ends
Term 4 Begins
Ag Day

Keep an eye on your newsletters, emails, the Roto Parents FB page and the Skool Loop App for information as we send it. An up to date calendar can be found on the home page of our school website.





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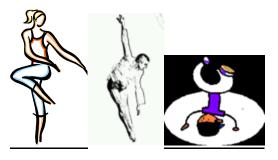
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