



MIMI SCHOOL

"WHERE THE COUNTRY, COAST, AND CLASSROOM MEET"

1 December 2016

Swimming Pool

Keys for the swimming pool will be available in the last week of term (**from 12th December**) at a cost of \$15 per family (with \$5 being refunded when key is returned at the end of the season).

Please respect the times when the sign on the gate indicates that the pool is closed. The pool will be closed for health reasons if the pool is being treated or needs to be treated.

TAG Oil Tough Kid Challenge

The TAG Oil Tough Kid challenge will be held tomorrow, **Friday 2nd December**.

If you have indicated that you are available for transport, please be at school ready for a 9am departure.

Everybody needs to be on site at Yarrows Stadium, registered and ready to go at 10:20am. We will have our Mimi gazebo up as a meeting point. Remember to bring a change of clothes and a towel.

Kowhai Class York Road Trip

Our juniors will go on an excursion to Mount Taranaki on **Tuesday, 6th December** where they will walk the York Road Loop Track.

Please return the permission/transport slip ASAP

Community Dinner and Prizegiving

Wednesday, 14th December

Arrive for BYO Dinner from 5:30pm.

All students are expected to be at school by 6:45pm for the prizegiving part of the evening.

If the weather is fine this will be held at school, if it is wet or uncertain we will hold it at Waitoitoi Hall.

Last Day of the Year

The last day for all students will be **Thursday, 15th December**.

The leavers outing will be on this day, too.



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Students of the week

Last week the Student of the Week Awards went to:

Rimu Room:

Olivia Sulzberger for her awesome attitude at Athletics.



Matai Room:
Jack White for being organised and helping others.

Kowhai Room:

Sheldon Fawcner for great effort at Athletics Day and in class

Well done, kids, keep up the great work!



Stationery Accounts

Stationery accounts went out with last week's newsletter.

We would appreciate if they could be paid by the end of the year (especially the camp costs).

Lucky Bookclub

Issue 8 of the Lucky Bookclub is out now. Ordering will remain available till **12th December**, however you won't receive your items until the beginning of next term.

If paying by cheque, please make it out to Scholastics New Zealand.

Monster Raffle

This week we are asking for something sweet.

Contributions can be left in the staff room.

We have still some raffle books at school for anyone who is able to sell a few more tickets.

If you are unable to sell your raffle book, please get it back to school ASAP to give someone else the chance to sell them.

Please can all raffle books (sold or unsold) be returned to the office by **Monday, 12th December**.

Thank you!

School Reports

A written end-of-the-year school report will be given to all students to take home on **Monday, 12th December**.

Library Books

All library books need to be returned to school by **Friday, 9th December**.

Readers

All books sent home for home reading need to be returned too please by **Friday, 9th December**.

Touch Rugby

Results:

U8 Mimi Rugrats lost to Ing Primary Tui

U10 Mighty Mimis lost to Lepperton Tigers

and drew against Egmont Village

U12 Mimi Untouchables vs. Tikorangi

Red cancelled due to Tikorangi camp

Next games:

Tuesday, 6th December:

U8 Mimi Rugrats vs. Norfolk 2, Field 3, 4pm

U10 Mighty Mimis game against Egmont Village already played, no game due to camp

U12 Mimi Untouchables vs. Lepperton Tigers no game due to camp (draw)

Please also check out the North Taranaki Junior Touch Association Facebook page with up-to-date infos on draws, results, photos etc.

Hockey

Just a reminder that the last session of Summer Hockey will be this **Friday, 2nd December 4-5pm**.

Mimi T-Shirts

Could the Mimi shirts from Athletics day please be returned to school ASAP.

Library Bus/Puke Ariki

If you have any issues with renewal of Library Bus/Puke Ariki Library books, please contact the school office as a first point of call who will then get in touch with Walt from the library bus. He can renew books for you even if they have been renewed several times previously already, whereas you can't do that by emailing Puke Ariki or on their website.

Thanks, Walt :)

TERM 4 CALENDAR

***TOUGH KID** *Fri 2 Dec*

*** JUNIOR YORK ROAD TRIP**
Tue 6 Dec

*** SENIOR CAMP**
WHANGANUI (Yr 4-6) *Tue 6 Dec -
Fri 9 Dec*

BBQ & PRIZEGIVING *Wed 14 Dec*

**LAST DAY OF THE YEAR
FOR ALL STUDENTS &
*LEAVERS' DAY** *Thur 15 Dec*

TEACHERS ONLY DAY *Fri 16 Dec*

* Trips out of school grounds,
(transport may be needed)

Please contact Andrew or Sibylle at school
for further information.

After School Care

We have someone local interested in running an after school programme at Mimi School from next year. If you are interested in learning more, please let the office know.

Lunch Orders

Here's the roster for the next couple of weeks:

Friday, 2nd December: Donna Ellis
Friday, 9th December: no lunch orders

Newsletter

This is the last newsletter for the year, as due to senior camp there won't be a newsletter next week. The community newsletter will be produced and going out in the last week of term.