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## SAUSAGE SIZZLE - FRIDAY 26TH JUNE

### WELCOME

A warm welcome to Julian who has started school for the first time in Te Tipu.

### ONE OF OUR MOST FAMOUS

Peter Williams QC died on June 9th after a long battle with cancer. Williams, was one of the country's best known defence lawyers. He also attended our very own Lytton Street School a few years ago.

Williams was knighted in the New Year's Honours list in December.

Williams' law career spanned 60 years and saw him represent some of New Zealand's more notorious criminals. He was also an active member of the Howard League for Penal Reform and campaigned tirelessly for the rights of prisoners.

Williams was farewelled last week in a massive funeral.

### ELITE BOXER

We had our very own 3News sports star last week. Elite, now a famous NZ boxer, appeared on live television alongside New Zealand Heavyweight Champion Joseph Parker. Parker was in Palmerston North and Feilding to promote his boxing match, which he successfully won on Saturday. Elite showcased his boxing skills in a mini practice session with Parker. We look forward to your boxing career Elite.

### LEARNING CONFERENCES

Our school Learning Conferences are an extremely valuable exercise for celebrating student successes, reporting on focused goals and further promoting student learning. These will take place on Tuesday 30th June and Wednesday 1st June (Week 11) from 3.15pm-8pm. Each parent/caregiver/student will have the opportunity to meet with the teacher for one 12 minute slot. School closes at the normal time of 3.00pm. At the Learning Conference you will receive an update on the goal-based report created in March. Teachers will also be reviewing our current home work structure with parents.



Conference times can be booked online at [www.schoolinterviews.co.nz](http://www.schoolinterviews.co.nz) Enter the code C6NZ5. If you would prefer us to book the conference time slots, please complete the form attached to this newsletter, and return to either your child's classroom teacher, or the school office, by Wednesday 24th June 2015.

Together, we learn to live and live to learn  
Kia ora kia tahi, kia tahi kia ora

Check out our website - [www.lyttonstreet.school.nz](http://www.lyttonstreet.school.nz)

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Thursday 18th June 2015



# Our Kids...

## LEGO DRIVE

Our school is currently on a big lego drive. Our vision is to have a massive lego pit here at school for our kids to enjoy. Do you have any old lego at home that no one plays with anymore? If so, Lytton Street will find it a new home. Any unwanted lego can be brought into the school office. Thanks for your support.

## NETBALL PICS

Saturday Netball is now well underway. The courts are an absolute hum of competition and terrific skills. I was most impressed with our Lytton Street kids. They are a talented bunch who are really keen to get involved in their games. Well done to you all. A special thank you to all the coaches who have put in a lot of hard work to get their teams performing so well. Our thanks to you all. Enjoy the photos to the right and below.

## SCIENCE, ART, COOKING GALORE

You might have noticed that this week has been full of new and exciting learning experiences for your children. Te Matauranga have been completing art and construction activities around the Matariki them, Te Manawanui have been cooking bread and making soup, and Te Atawhai have been continuing with their Science and Art experiments and designs. What a world of colour and talent we have!

## A note on Matariki...

Matariki is the Māori name for the cluster of stars also known as the Pleiades. It rises in mid-winter – late May or early June. For many Māori, it heralds the start of a new year. Matariki literally means the 'eyes of god' or 'little eyes' (mata riki).

## MATHLETICS

Wow it was a close race this week. Congratulations to Room 21. Keep up the great work everybody!

CLASS WINNERS		GOLD - AWARD WINNERS
1st - Room 21	(22 certificates)	Room 13 - Sharelle Windley
2nd - Room 4	(21 certificates)	Room 20 - Jayden Watene
3rd equal	Room 18, Room 19 and Room 2 - (18 certificates)	Room 19 - Caleb Taplin Room 18 - Kyle England Room 4 - Adyson Barber, Blake Ward-Smith Room 21 - Sophia Duthie

## SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAMMES

- Our Before and After School Care Holiday Programme enrolment forms are now available from the office or the BAASC centre. Programme runs each day of the holidays.
- Spotlight Theatre - dramatic arts classes. Monday 6- Friday 10 July, 8.30am - 5.30pm at Feilding Civic Centre. \$5.11 per hour. Contact owlvisionfilms@gmail.com or Monique on 022 014 1065 or Antoinette on 020 4016 1105.
- Casual Care available by an registered early childhood teacher in private home care. \$30 daily / casual fee or \$120 per week. For more information and to register contact Gill Atkinson on 027 405 1675.

## UPCOMING MEETINGS

- Board of Trustees - Monday 22nd June @ 7pm (Week 10)
- PTA - Monday 29th June @ 7.30pm (Week 11)



## QR CODE READER

If you have a QR Reader on your phone check out the picture below. This will take you straight to our school website. Our website has loads of photos and all our recent newsletters, plus much much more.

## FEILDING PLAY CENTRE

Feilding Playcentre offers flexible sessions Monday to Friday, from birth - 6 years; 20 hours free ECE and WINZ subsidies are available. Trial visits are welcome. Low fees, from \$25 per term. 254a Kimbolton Road, 3 2 3 6 1 0 0, [www.feildingplaycentre.org.nz](http://www.feildingplaycentre.org.nz)



## THE AMAZING RACE FAMILY



A FUNDRAISER FOR SHANE JANSEN, NZ IRONMAN WHO HAS BEEN CHOSEN TO REPRESENT NZ, 50-54 YRAGE GROUP IN CHICAGO, USA IN SEPTEMBER 2015

DURING SCHOOL HOLIDAYS—SATURDAY 11TH JULY 2015

9AM—12PM

FIRST PITSTOP AT HALCOMBE PRIMARY SCHOOL  
MONTEITH STREET, HALCOMBE

\$5 PER PERSON  
SPOT PRIZES  
AND LUNCH  
PROVIDED

- BRING A TEAM, VEHICLE, CELL PHONE AND SENSE OF ADVENTURE!
- CHALLENGES SUIT ALL AGES
- AN UMBRELLA IF WET!

REGISTRATION IS ESSENTIAL  
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