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FRIDAY 2ND SEPTEMBER - SAUSAGE SIZZLE

WELCOME

It was fantastic to see a huge number of our kids out and about enjoying our new bikes last week. They arrived on Thursday and look fantastic. The first major go with the bikes will be during our Clubs Week towards the end of term.

A warm welcome to Addison, Kylah and Maddison who have started in Te Tipu this week and to Izzy who has rejoined us. It's great to have you all here - enjoy yourselves.



VERY IMPORTANT NOTICE: PAID UNION MEETING

The school has been advised by the NZEI Te Riu Roa that it is holding a Paid Union Meeting for teachers at 1.30, on Wednesday 14th September. Accordingly, almost all of the school's staff will be unavailable after 1.00 pm on that date. NZEI is the union that represents primary teachers, primary principals and support staff. Under the Employment Relations Act, paid union meetings are a legal entitlement to discuss union business. The meetings, involving both Primary (NZEI) and Secondary (PPTA) sector employees, are focused on informing and seeking feedback on the Government's current funding review – i.e. the review of everything about how schools are staffed or resourced. This review has widespread implications for all school operations, potentially for generations to come. I encourage you to either keep your child at home or make some other arrangements for the duration of the meeting. However, if you are unable to arrange childcare or another arrangement, we will have a limited number of staff to supervise your child. Normal school programmes will end at 1pm on Wednesday 14th September to enable staff to attend the paid union meeting. A note will come home shortly asking whether you are able to arrange childcare so we have an idea of numbers remaining at school. We apologise for any potential disruption to you and your child's routine on the day of the meeting. Thank you for your cooperation and assistance.

SCHOOL WILL FINISH AT 1PM ON WEDNESDAY 14TH SEPTEMBER FOR A PAID UNION MEETING

CLUBS

Be sure to ask your child over the coming weeks what club they have chosen for the end of term. There is a huge number on offer and will be a massive amount of fun.



Kia ora kia tahi, kia tahi kia ora

Check out our website - www.lyttonstreet.school.nz

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Thursday 25th August 2016



SPORTING REPRESENTATIVES

As the winter sports season is nearing an end it has been fantastic to see so many of our students involved in sports teams. This has huge benefits for them by promoting health, self esteem, team work and competition to name a few. To celebrate our students' success we'd like to acknowledge those who have taken the next step and been selected for representative honours - let us know if we have missed anyone.

<p>Feilding U11 Rugby Reps Jordan Williamson Korban Vartha Jack Siegal Hosea Vao Kaleb Hancock Drewe Coss-Te Awe Awe Zavier Snook</p>	<p>Feilding U9 Rugby Reps Lincoln Lees Noah Inu Drew Carter Ofa Vao Kase Vartha Kyle England Michael Neha</p>	<p>Feilding U8 Rugby Reps Isaac Hallett Brooklyn Riwai Harlem Wahanui-Temaari Aiden Curtis Lachie Hawker</p>
<p>Manawatu U11 Soccer Reps Rian Aldridge</p>	<p>TeKawa U11 Rugby Reps Jared Booth</p>	<p>Feilding U10 Rugby Reps Jackson Begley</p>

MONDAY NIGHT HOCKEY

Well done to all the students who have been involved in the Monday night hockey competition. Feedback has been positive and it has been brilliant to see so many students trying out a sport that is completely new to them. The organisers are happy with the way it has gone and are looking at expanding it into a longer season next time. A huge thank you to the parents who managed our teams - Anthony Thomas, Mel Brown, Kylie Redwood and Dwayne Burrell.

UP AND COMING...

- Thursday 25th August - Little Dog Barking Company Theatre
- Friday 2nd September - Sausage Sizzle
- School closes for the afternoon of Wednesday 14th September.
- Monday 19th - Thursday 22nd September - Clubs
- Tuesday 25th October - Nathan Mikaere-Wallis presentation

4-6 years
 1st - Room 15 30 certificates
 2nd - Room 14 20 certificates
 3rd - room 18 18 certificates

1-3 years
 1st - Room 6
 2nd - Room 17
 3rd - Room 12

GOLD
 Hunter Taylor - Room 12
 Sharaia Toko - Room 21
 Chloe Puklowski - Room 4
 Shayla Funnell - Room 18
 Tyler Povey - Room 18
 Toatahi Edwards - Room 14
 Escalade Tainui - Room 14

SILVER: 30
 BRONZE: 193



health & safety at work

NATHAN MIKAERE-WALLIS

Reminder that on Tuesday 25 October, we are offering our parent community the chance to spend an evening listening to a presentation by acclaimed neuroscience presenter, Nathan Mikaere-Wallis (see photo below) - 'Save the Date'.



MELBOURNE - 8 staff are heading to Melbourne on the 1st and 2nd September to attend a Walker Learning Conference. This will be terrific for them - more information to follow.

SAFETY ON THE INTERNET

Technology (iPads, Chromebooks & MacBooks) are integrated into your child's daily classroom programmes. These devices are connected to the internet so it is essential that all our students are aware of how to utilise them safely. Teachers are regularly reinforcing the rules we have in place here at school. Here are some basic tips to keep safe at home.

- Talk with your children and discuss family rules around the use of the internet
- Keep the computer in a family living area so you can monitor the screen
- Ensure you always check what your child is downloading
- Keep an eye on your credit card
- Install and maintain anti-virus software
- Apply content filters, if available, that shield young children from inappropriate content

This is not an exhaustive list but it aims to offer some hints and tips for internet safety at home.

