



Message from the Principal



Nga mihi nui, greetings everyone!

I would like to begin our final newsletter for the term and 2019 year, by thanking our wonderful Amberley Volunteer Fire Brigade who arrived so quickly yesterday to deal with our melting underfloor electric cabling next to Matai. They are heroes of our community and need to be recognised as such. Also a very big thank you to Anthony Parish who has replaced our faulty cable so efficiently and expertly! It was great to see that our regular full-school drills are working effectively and both staff and students responding as per required. I would like to remind you all that if you are picking up your child/ren early in the day, you must report to the school office so that Megan can update your child/ren's daily attendance within our electronic records to ensure the school is well aware of absentees, especially during emergencies.

We have recently experienced some very dangerous and unsafe practice in our community carpark with drop off and pick-up of students. If your child is being dropped off they must walk to the gate outside of Matai and walk next to the fence not behind cars as this is extremely dangerous! Only our bus children should use the gate on the southwest point of the school.

Last Tuesday night, our Year 8 leavers and their parents & whanau attended a very special gathering in Nikau. Ms Moeller shared the individual attributes & special traits with their respective whanau highlighting their positive qualities. Thank you to all of the families who attended and made the event so special. Your children were real stars on the night and they went on to behave with the maturity and respectfulness at the Lone Star for an evening meal, displaying our strong Broomfield values.

A very big thank you to all of our teaching and auxiliary staff who have worked tirelessly to help make a real difference to our students during the 2019 school year. Our end of year assessment results are absolutely fantastic! 92% of our students are working *at or above* their expected curriculum level in both Reading and Mathematics. 95% of our students are *at or above* the expected curriculum level in writing. I would also like to thank you, for supporting your child/ren and our teachers in achieving these amazing results, tino pai!

Thank you to the fantastic Broomfield School Board of Trustees for all their work and support over 2019.

We look forward to you joining us at our final assembly next Monday evening.

Wishing you and your families a safe and happy holiday break.

Andrew Kemp
Principal

2020 SCHOOL DATES

Term 1 – 3rd Feb to 9th April
Term 2 – 28th April to 3rd July
Term 3 – 20th July to 25th Sep
Term 4 – 12th Oct to 14th Dec

Highlight of the Fortnight

Yr 8 Leavers Dinner



BIRTHDAYS

Happy birthday to Fletcher, Emily, Katie, Taylor T, Madison B, Ellie, Adrian, Portia, Stella, Walter, Jordan, Hunter, Logan, Charlotte B, Joanne, James, Yasmin, Jack H-P, Mrs White, Mrs Gibson, Mr Kemp and Suzanne Vale who all have birthdays between today and our first newsletter of 2020. Wishing you all an amazing day on your birthday!



PRINCIPALS AWARDS

The following children received Principal's awards linked to the Broomfield values at our assembly held last Friday;

Achievement	~ Nikau Class ~ Hosea Reveley ~ Israel Tamati
Belonging	~ Hosea Reveley ~ Jack Matthews
Creativity	~ Hosea Reveley ~ Anna Croft
Self-Belief	~ Hosea Reveley

Congratulations to you all.

WHOLE SCHOOL ASSEMBLY

Our final assembly for the year will take place at 6pm on Monday 16th of December at school weather permitting. In the case of inclement weather, the assembly will be held at the Waipara Hall at 6pm.

SCHOOL PHOTOS

School photos will be sent home with your child on Monday afternoon

THE BEES NEWS

The BEES held their annual end of year event yesterday. This year's event was a free sausage sizzle, a chocolate fish and a swim at Amberley Swimming Pool. We do this every year as part of our belonging to say thank you to school families.

I'd like to thank The BEES Committee members so much for this year efforts. It has been a very busy year. We were able to donate an amazing \$26,000 to the school this year. This of course could not happen without our wonderful Broomfield School Whanau support; Staff,

Mums, Dads, Grandparents, Local Businesses etc Thank you all!

I'd like to thank Heidi Moeller so much for her time at Broomfield School. Heidi has been a very active member officially and non-officially of The BEES in my 6 years on the fundraising committee. On behalf of the committee, thank you so much Heidi for your support over the years and I wish you all the best in your new adventure. You will be missed.

I hope everyone has a safe, happy and healthy holiday. Enjoy the summer weather.

Bev Robertson



COMMUNITY NEWS

DENTAL CARE DURING SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

The Community Dental Service will be providing dental care for children enrolled with our service during the upcoming school holidays. The clinics will offer treatment and relief of pain sessions by appointment only. To make an appointment please call/email our Contact Centre which operates between the hours of 8am and 4.30pm, Monday to Friday throughout the year (closed from 25th December to 6th January).

The following Dental Clinics will be open during these school holidays:

- Woolston Clinic, 11 Hopkins Street, Woolston
- Hillmorton Clinic, Hillmorton Hospital, Sylvan Street,
- Ashburton Clinic, 38 Elizabeth Street, Ashburton

The clinics will offer appointments between 8.45am and 3.00pm for school-age and preschool children requiring treatment.

If your child has dental pain as a result of an accident please contact your dentist in the first instance.

To book an appointment at one of our clinics please: **call 0800 846 983**

Or email commdental@cdhb.health.nz

AMBERLEY FARMERS MARKET

School Holiday Fun!!

Cherry Stone Spitting Competition

January, Saturday 4th

Senior (15+), Junior (8-14), Whipper Snapper (4-7)

For the whole family. Get practicing (outside!!) over Christmas.

Baking Competition January, Saturday 11th

Your baked goodie must use at least 3 market ingredients.

The possibilities are endless!!

Bring your baking to the market by 10am for judging. Prizes!!

Picnic on the Grass

January, Saturday 18th

For \$20 you will receive vouchers to spend at market stalls.

3x \$2: 2x \$3: 1x \$4: 1x \$5

Stalls will have goodies for you to put together a delicious market picnic.

Bring a basket & a blanket!!

Game Day January, Saturday 25th

Giant noughts & crosses, quoits, puzzles, colourku, jenga..Keep an eye on our Facebook page for more details.

www.amberleyfarmersmarket.org.nz

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2019 TERM 4 CALENDAR

	Mon 14 th October	Tue 15 th October	Wed 16 th October	Thu 17 th October	Fri 18 th October
1	Term Four Starts	Writer's Club	EnviroSchools Camp – Arthurs Pass		
			Pita Pit School of Rock Te Reo Lessons	Newsletter National Shake Out Day	Nikau Tiromoana Track Walk
	Mon 21 st October	Tue 22 nd October	Wed 23 rd October	Thu 24 th October	Fri 25 th October
	Rangiora High CEM Testing				
2		Writer's Club	4yr old program School of Rock Te Reo Lessons		9am Assembly Nikau Mt Grey Track Walk
3	Mon 28 th October	Tue 29 th October	Wed 30 th October	Thu 31 st October	Fri 1 st November
	Labour Day	Writers Club Choir RHS Yr 8 Orientation Day BOT Meeting	Pita Pit School of Rock Te Reo Lessons	Newsletter Small School Athletics	Pet Day  HPV vaccinations Scholastic Book Orders due back at school
4	Mon 4 th November	Tue 5 th November	Wed 6 th November	Thu 7 th November	Fri 8 th November
	COL TOD	Writers Club Choir	4yr old program School of Rock Te Reo Lessons Music Festival Rehearsal and Performance	pp Small School Athletics Nikau Leithfield – Amberley Walk	9am Assembly ARA visit Yr 7/8
5	Mon 11 th November	Tue 12 th November	Wed 13 th November	Thu 14 th November	Fri 15 th November
	Kowai Athletics Parent consultation for new building Nikau camp parent meeting	pp Pet Day Writers Club pp Kowai Athletics	Pita Pit School of Rock Te Reo Lessons Junior Athletics	Teacher Only Day	Canterbury Anniversary
6	Mon 18 th November	Tue 19 th November	Wed 20 th November	Thu 21 st November	Fri 22 nd November
		Writers Club	4yr old program School of Rock Te Reo Lessons Kowai Sports Spectacular		9am Assembly
7	Mon 25 th November	Tue 26 th November	Wed 27 th November	Thu 28 th November	Fri 29 th November
	Nikau Abel Tasman Camp – Peter Mitchell Acting Principal				
		Writers Club	Pita Pit School of Rock Te Reo Lessons	Newsletter	
8	Mon 2 nd December	Tue 3 rd December	Wed 4 th December	Thu 5 th December	Fri 6 th December
	BOT Meeting	Writers Club	School of Rock Te Reo Lessons		9am Assembly
9	Mon 9 th December	Tue 10 th December	Wed 11 th December	Thu 12 th December	Fri 13 th December
		Writers Club	Pita Pit School of Rock Te Reo Lessons	Newsletter BEES EOY event	Hanmer Springs Trip
10	Mon 16 th December	Tue 17 th December			
	End of Year Assembly Reports home	Last day of Term 4 			

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