



FAIRFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parent / Caregiver,

Kia ora, Malo e lelei, Talofa,

A warm welcome to all our new students and families: Aaron, Pricilla, Aisea, Ayva, Timara, Lēger, Esmē, Kayden, Darlaine, Sage, Shari-Leigh, Cruze, Iraia, Kairo-Jay, Yasiin, Jahzeera, Finn, Compton and Armani-Rose. Welcome back to Leonardo, Lorenzo, Lavinia, Khaizar, Auriumstarr and Silververa.

STATIONERY

The due date for stationery to be paid has now passed. Invoices will be sent to those who have not yet paid for prompt action.



ABSENTEES

A big THANK YOU to everyone who is advising the school when students are absent. We have noticed a huge improvement with communication from home and this has meant less follow ups and home visits have been required. Ka pai whanau.

SCHOOL FINISHES AT 2:30PM

We thank everyone who is respecting our finish time of 2:30pm. Children must remain at school until the 2:30pm bell everyday unless there is a very good reason for them to be released. Any child leaving before 2:30pm must be signed out at the office.



KIDS ON BIKES PROGRAMME

Next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, our senior students have the opportunity to participate in the Kids on Bikes programme. This is a Hamilton City Council initiative focusing on building biking confidence and improving road safety skills. Senior students with roadworthy bikes are encouraged to bring their bikes and helmets to school on these days.

SENIOR TRIATHLON

Providing we are at Alert Level 1, our Senior Triathlon will take place next Friday 12th March. (Back up date is Thursday 18th March) More details will come home when the alert level drops.



WATERWORLD INTERSCHOOL FUN DAY

The Fairfield Swim Club is running a fun day at Waterworld for all our senior classes (Rooms 4,6,15,20 & 21) on Friday 19th March - Level 1 dependent. Our school will be joined by a few other local schools.

SENIOR SWIMMING SPORTS AT ST PAULS - MONDAY 22nd March

This is another event that is dependent on us being at Alert Level 1. More details to come home closer to the date.

PARENT DISCUSSIONS

Parent discussions are to be held on Tuesday 16th March 3:00pm - 6:00pm and Wednesday 17th March 3:00pm - 6:00pm. If you have internet access, please book online www.schoolinterviews.co.nz Use event code: **8au3n** No internet - No worries, simply phone the school office on 8556284 or txt 021502978 and the office staff will make appointments for you.

Like or follow us on Facebook

Facebook is now our school's preferred means of communicating notices and events. If you have not already done so, please find us on facebook by searching our user name @FFieldPrimary. This will ensure you keep up to date with what is happening at school.

Our Class Teachers also use facebook as their main contact with home.

Each classroom has a closed facebook page specifically for the parents/caregivers of students in their class.

HAVE YOU JOINED?

Instructions on how to join has been sent home. Please do not hesitate to ask if you need these instructions again.



BEACH ED 2021

I saw...kids screaming in excitement ready to hit the water, fat red crabs talking and walking around.

I heard... the giant huge waves coming to splash the legs of people, kids talking as loud as a booming speaker.

I smelt...the salty blue clear sea water like yummy food in my mouth.

I felt...like I was at an amusement park, but really I was at the beach.

By Faith Room 21



ENROLMENT AT FAIRFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL FOR NEW STUDENTS

The Fairfield Primary School Board of Trustees invites applications from parents who wish to enrol their children at Fairfield Primary School for the period:

3rd May – 9th July (Term 2 2021)

Enrolment at the school is governed by an Enrolment Scheme, details of which are available from the school office.

The Board has determined that a total of 8 places are likely to be available for **OUT OF ZONE** students in Years 1 – 4. The exact number of places in each year level will depend on the number of applications received from students who live within the school's enrolment zone. It is unlikely spaces will be available in Years 5 – 6 for Term 2.

Application forms are available from the school office.

The deadline for receipt of application for Out of Zone places is: 8th April 2021.

Parents who live within the home zone and who intend enrolling their child in Term 2 should notify the school office by 8th April to assist the school in planning appropriately for this period. All students in the home zone are entitled to enrol at the school. The ballot only affects students who live out of zone.

If the number of out of zone applications exceeds the number of places available in each year level, students will be selected by ballot. If a ballot for out of zone places is required, it will be held on 13th April 2021. Parents will be informed of the outcome of the ballot within three school days of the ballot being held.

Fairfield Primary School Board of Trustees

*You are invited to
attend a whanau hui*



WHEN: Thursday 25th March

WHERE: Fairfield Primary

TIME: 11:00am-12:15pm

We will be looking at ways to benefit our tamariki's education and would love any suggestions you may have.

Come along and share your ideas in a relaxed environment.

Kind regards

Anne Johnson
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