

TE UKU SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Te Pānui o Te Kura o Te Uku 37/17

24 Whiringa-ā-rangi 2017

Tēnā koutou e te whānau o Te Uku

School Athletics

Our school's athletics day is being held on Tuesday 28th November, starting at 9:15AM. Come along and enjoy the morning with us!! The event usually finishes at 11:00AM, at which time we will have morning tea.

Round the Bridges

Congratulations to all of the children who completed the RTB last Sunday; we heard fantastic feedback about your proud representation of Te Uku School. Well done!! A reminder to bring back the school t-shirts asap, thanks!

Bus Behaviour

This week we received a letter of concern from Go Bus about children's behaviour on the bus. On Tuesday afternoon, a new driver and a Go Bus assistant (Hayley) experienced children shouting, screaming, standing up and changing seats, being boisterous and play-fighting and being disrespectful to each other and adults. In my discussion with Go Bus, we think it is timely to introduce a Code of Conduct system for each child using the bus. We plan on sending home the Code of Conduct on Monday; please discuss it with your child/ren then both of you will need to sign it. Go Bus will keep these on record. The Bus Monitors will record names of children not following the expectations, and if required, the Go Bus 'consequences' will be put in place. We are explaining this new system carefully to all of the bus children; they understand that this is in place for safety reasons.

Break-in

In the early hours of Wednesday morning, we unfortunately had some people break-in to Discovery Three and steal some Chromebooks. The follow-up from the police has been excellent, we are feeling hopeful the culprits will be caught. All of the children were notified and reassured that we are doing everything we can to solve the crime. Please contact the police if you hear anything that might be linked to this event.

Swimming

Jenny Bruce is helping us get the pool ready for swimming, thanks Jenny!! It is time for the children to get their swimming gear ready; hopefully, the pool will be ready later next week or the following.

Syndicate Days Out

Both the senior and junior syndicates are planning a day out as an end of year celebration. You will receive more details from the teachers soon.

Nga mihi ki a koutou,

Rachel Allan

Term Four Events

Te Uku School Athletics Day – Tuesday 28th November
Board of Trustees Meeting – Tuesday 28th November, 6:30PM
School Reports sent home – Thursday 7th December
School Assembly – Thursday 7th December, 9:15AM
Interschool Athletics Day – Friday 8th December
End of Year Assembly – **Junior Discovery** – Tuesday 12th December, 9:15 to 10:30AM, Te Uku School Hall
End of Year Assembly – **Senior Discovery** – Tuesday 12th December, 6:30 to 7:45PM, Te Uku School Hall
Farewell Assembly for Lisa Wheeler, Alison Hewett and Victoria Cooper – 2:00PM, Wednesday 13th December
Last day of Term Four: Thursday 14th December
First Day of Term One, 2018: Tuesday 30th January

SUPER SUMMER SALADS

DRESS FOR SUCCESS

Dress your salad with this creamy homemade dressing:

- 2 Tbsp. Greek yoghurt
- 2 Tbsp. oil
- 1 tsp. vinegar
- garlic - crushed
- black pepper

Mix Greek yoghurt, olive oil and vinegar, stirring to combine. Add garlic and pepper to taste.

Tip:
A healthy lower fat option instead of mayonnaise!

Fresh Veggie

Developed by Sport Waikato 2017

SpiritRides

SUMMER HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

8TH - 10TH JANUARY, JUNIORS (5-10)
22-24TH JANUARY, SENIORS (10-17)
9AM-3PM \$50/DAY

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RAGLAN - NEW ZEALAND

MINI PUTT

Raglan Golf Club Colouring Competition

We are promoting the Mini Putt activity located at the Raglan Golf Club on Te Hutewai Road Raglan. Phone 825 8483.

Mini Putt open every day 11am to 7pm excluding Tuesdays.

Costs: Adult \$5.00 and \$2.50 per child. Club house is open with drinks and food available for sale.

This is a good safe and beautiful location for a day out or for a child's birthday party or family reunion etc. Simply contact the golf club office for more information or to book the venue.

The colouring competition is free for all children to enter and the prizes are \$30.00 first prize and \$15.00 second prize plus free family mini putt vouchers. Prizes for each age group.

Sean Mills will oversee the judging of the competition. Judging to be held in the Ray White Office Bow Street Raglan on Saturday 2nd December. Winners contacted by Sunday 3rd December 2017.

Thanks to Sean Mills 027 562 4699 licensee Salesperson. Raglan Real Estate Ltd Licensed (REA 2008) for his sponsorship of this competition and Ray White Raglan for use of their office and staff.



Hamilton BMX Club

Reminder we run our club nights on Wednesday's from 5.15pm, racing @ 6pm
New riders please ensure you are fully covered - long pants, long sleeve top, covered shoes.
Hope to see you at the track.



Edventure Summer Camps.

WIN A SURFBOARD!!!

We have three great camps coming up these summer holidays.

8-13 yr olds, OSCAR available, Free pick up/drop off.

BOOK NOW and you could win a surfboard!

www.edventure.co.nz

- Edventure Surf Camp, Jan 15-19
- Edventure Summer Camp Jan 22-26
- Edventure Great Outdoors Camp Jan 29 - Feb 2



The Summer Holidays are almost here!!

Check out our active and fun filled Holiday Programme at our five fantastic venues:

Hamilton Girls' High, Southwell, Te Totara, Bankwood and Leamington Schools

We are OSCAR/WINZ Approved



Programme and bookings www.kellysports.co.nz

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Raglan Theatre Academy present
Charlie and the Chocolate Factory
Saturday 25th November 1pm & 7pm
Sunday 26th November 1pm.
Presale tickets available
from raglantheatreacademy@gmail.com

Te Uku Yoga Group

We meet every Monday 7-8.30pm at the School Hall.

The Group is currently being lead by Irene Goed from Circus Aotearoa and Waitetuna Circus Classes and Stephanie Kennedy from SpiritRides and SpiritRides Equine Yoga. Both have a vast knowledge of exercise, training and body work and have been practising yoga for 8 years and been leading a local Group for two years.

We are excited to be offering an affordable and low key/relaxed way to get people in the area motivated to discover yoga with yoga based exercises. All proceeds go to Te Uku School- \$5 koha/class. Children from 9 years welcome but must join in!



Last meeting 2017 Monday, 4th December
Starting again Monday. 29th January 2018.