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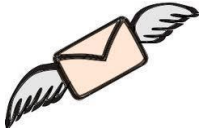
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That which is nurtured, blossoms and grows

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13th May 2015



Reminders and Updates Flyer

Week Four, Term Two 2015

Enrolments 2016

The Board of Trustees invites applications from parents who wish to enrol their children at Karaka School next year.

If you have children who you wish to enrol in 2016, or have friends, family or neighbours who have children they would like to enrol, please bring this notice to their attention. We would like to encourage you to enrol your children as soon as possible.

Fundraising for Nepal – Room 8

Currently Room 8 is co-ordinating two fundraising projects – both raising money for earthquake relief in Nepal. Jessica G. has painted a dramatic scene of the Himalayan Mountains which we are asking children to bring coins for to stick them on. The mountain scene will be on the floor in the office reception until this Friday for children to attach coins to. Jacob A. is co-ordinating a very lovely gift basket raffle. The tickets are \$1 each. Jacob will go round each class each morning selling tickets until Friday. The raffle will be drawn during Friday's assembly. All are welcome to purchase tickets. The raffle is on the counter at the office. We would like to thank Jacob's mum Ms McKandry and Mrs Monteith for donating the products that make up the hamper. We appreciate your kind help and support with our fundraising. We also thank Mrs Pater for wrapping up the gift basket so nicely for us.

Raffle tickets available at the office or we will come round to each class - \$1.00 per ticket
PRIZE is a fantastic gift basket that can be viewed in the office reception

WINNER!! drawn at this Fridays assembly

Coin Trail – Please come into the office and tape a coin or two (silver or gold) onto the mountain picture that Room 8 have painted

AG Day Meeting

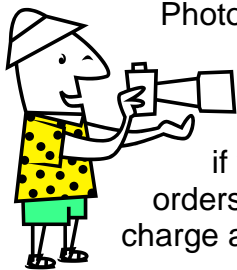
Yes, it's that time of year again. It's time to start thinking about our annual major fundraiser - Agricultural Day. **The first meeting for the Agricultural Day Committee and helpers is set for Tuesday 26th May, 7.00pm** in the staffroom. Please come along and hear what the day is all about. This is a major fundraising day for the school with the showing of animals, stalls, auctions, quick fire raffles etc. We would love to see some new faces, especially from the new families to the school. If you have some ideas, skills or contacts, don't be shy, please come along. If you have any queries please contact the school office on 2948166



Vomiting/Stomach Bugs

Please be reminded that your child is infectious while vomiting and diarrhoea last, and up to 48 hours after diarrhoea stops. The Ministry of Health advises that you should keep your child home until they are symptom free, with no further vomiting or diarrhoea, which could be up to 24-48 hours.

PhotoLife Class and Individual Photos



PhotoLife will be coming on Friday 29th May. They will be taking both class and individual photos all on the one day this time. We will be using the online ordering system again. After photo day, each child will receive a unique "shoot key code" so you can view and order the photos online. The office will also have some ordering envelopes if you are unable to do this online. There is a free delivery period of three weeks to place orders and photos will be sent to the school. If you miss this timeframe then there is a \$5.00 charge and it will be delivered to your home address.

PTA News

NEXT PTA MEETING

Wednesday 20th May – 7 pm
Karaka School Staffroom
ALL WELCOME TO ATTEND

Mark this date on your
calendar

**PTA Casino Night
mark your
calendars now!!
Sat 20th June**

REMINDER DATES

15	May	Assembly
18	May	BOT Meeting 7.00pm
18	May	ICAS Digital Technology
20	May	PTA Meeting 7.00pm
20	May	Otago Maths Problem Solving
21	May	National Young Leaders Day
26	May	Middle Team Trip – Botanic Gardens
26	May	AG Day Meeting 7pm - Staffroom
29	May	PhotoLife Photos – Portrait & Class
20	June	PTA fundraiser Casino Night. Details to follow



Community Notices

Norris Studios Concert 2015 brought to you by the Dance & Performing Arts Society Inc.

An amazing show featuring award winning choreography and dancers from our school.

Venue: Hawkins Theatre

Show Dates: Wed 20th, Thurs 21st & Friday 22nd at 7pm,

Saturday 23rd at 11.30am & 7.30pm

Sunday 24th May at 1pm



Tickets on sale daily from 3.30pm, Norris Studio 41B Elliot Street or Ph 021 210 7996.

Child (under 12) \$15, Student/ Senior Citizen \$18, Adult \$25

Learn the basics of simple robotics at some awesome workshops run by RoboClub to be held at:

Sir Edmund Hillary Library, Papakura 27 June, 4 July, and 11 July, 2pm - 4pm (\$35.00 for series)

Please make your booking for this event online at www.roboclub.co.nz and to find out more information contact Kevin at RoboClub on 022 0480 512 or contact Papakura Library 09 9782665

A large, oval-shaped graphic with a yellow top half and a black bottom half. The top half features the word "SCORE" in large, bold, black letters, with "WITH ASB SCHOOL BANKING" written in smaller white letters below it. To the right of the text is an illustration of a person's legs in white shorts and black shoes, appearing to be in motion. The bottom half of the graphic contains white text. At the top of this section, it says "Saving \$1 with ASB could score you a share of \$5,000." Below this, it explains that children registered for the ASB School Banking Programme can win \$10, \$20, or \$50 in fortnightly cash prizes. It then provides instructions on how to score with ASB School Banking, mentioning that it's easy to enter the prize draw by depositing at least \$1 into a registered Headstart account. The competition runs from Monday 20 April, 2015 to Sunday 12 July, 2015. Finally, it provides the website asb.co.nz/score for more details.

SCORE
WITH ASB SCHOOL BANKING

Saving \$1 with ASB could score you a share of \$5,000.
If your child is registered for the ASB School Banking Programme they have the chance to win \$10, \$20 or \$50 in fortnightly cash prizes to help encourage them to make regular savings.

How to Score with ASB School Banking.
It's easy. To enter the fortnightly prize draw, simply deposit at least \$1 into your registered Headstart account through your school's ASB School Banking Programme or electronically by entering 'score' in the reference section.
The competition runs from Monday 20 April, 2015 and closes on Sunday 12 July, 2015. The winners will also be presented with a certificate in recognition of their great attitude to saving. Help your kids start saving today.
For further details on the competition, how to open an account, or view competition and Personal Banking terms and conditions visit asb.co.nz/score or drop into your local ASB branch.

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