



# Karaka School

EMBRACING LEARNING. BUILDING RESILIENCE. ACHIEVING EXCELLENCE.

"Ka whangaia, ka tupu, ka puawai."

No. 28

21st October 2020

## Newsletter

## Principal's Note

Week 2, Term 4 2020

*Kia ora and welcome to this fortnight's newsletter.*

### CELEBRATING LEARNING & ACHIEVEMENT

Thank you everyone for your support of Pink Shirt Day! It was wonderful to see everyone come together in a sea of pink in support of a BullyFree NZ. We were so grateful to have been able to hold our 3rd Annual Pink Shirt

Breakfast. This is a great opportunity to educate and give a clear message about our expectations at our place of learning and aspirations for the whole of NZ! Thank you for your support!

We would also like to thank those who very generously made donations to this event:

- Drury Butcher
- Frenz Eggs
- Bakers Delight
- Soul Flowers
- Commercial Traders

The support of these businesses means that more funds were able to be raised and we are pleased to announce we will be donating \$790.00- a great result!



## Staff Changes

Miss Johnson is getting married! We can't wait to share with you some pics of Miss Johnson's upcoming wedding on 31st October. I'm sure you will join us in wishing her all the very best for the big day and many years of happiness ahead. Congratulations! Miss Johnson will return as Mrs Aupa'au.

At the end of 2020 Mrs Prangley and her family have made the decision to head back home to Tinopai to live. Mrs Prangley has been an important part of our school, having been actively involved in the PTA and Kapa Haka as well being a valued colleague. We shall certainly miss her huge personality and great sense of humour, however we wish the Prangley whanau all the very best as they return to their family in the north.

## Good News Call of the Week:

Congratulations to Isabella M who was our Good News Call of the Week! Isabella has been excelling in her learning and striving for personal excellence in all that she does. She has been noticed during learning time, sports time and even during kapa haka practices! What a star - we are so proud of you Isabella!!



**Nga mihi nui, Sarah Hynds**

**[sarahh@karaka.school.nz](mailto:sarahh@karaka.school.nz)**

## Lucky Book Club – Scholastic Orders

Issue 7 came home last week. All Scholastic orders are due in this Friday, 23rd October. The easiest way to order is on-line via the Loop orders ([mybookclub.scholastic.co.nz](http://mybookclub.scholastic.co.nz)). Otherwise please hand in the order form and correct payment to the office by Friday this week. Thanks

## End of Year Prize Giving— 14th December. Please return all trophies

It's that time of year again when we are getting ready for prize giving. If you received a trophy last year, it's now time to return them so we can get them engraved for this year's lucky recipients. Please return them clean and undamaged to the office as soon as possible. Thanks.

## Reminders

- Office hours are 8.15–3.00pm.
- Please report any absentees by the website, absentee line, email the office or teacher.
- We will still continue to do early pick up for juniors and their siblings at 2.35pm. Please make sure all learners are picked up on time at the end of the day.
- Tuesday 27th October is a Teacher Only Day.
- Have you let the school know if your child will not be returning next year? This information is vital for working out 2021 class placements.
- Have you paid all outstanding accounts e.g. bus, athletics, tech, camp?
- Hats are compulsory in Term 4 - we are a sun safe school.





# PTA News

## Uniform Shop

Due to Monday being Labour Day, the uniform shop will be opening for a short time on Wednesday 28th (8.15am—9.00am). Do you need a house shirt for athletics day? They will be available to purchase for \$20.00.

## David the Fotoman

Due to limited numbers, we are combining our “David the Fotoman” fundraiser with Karaka Playcentre on Sunday 15th November.

Please contact Diana on 027 487 729 or [dianalegae@hotmail.com](mailto:dianalegae@hotmail.com) for a time slot.

Thanks for your support!!

Any questions/fundraising ideas you can email us on [karaka.pta@gmail.com](mailto:karaka.pta@gmail.com).  
The Karaka School PTA account is **12-3031-0851231-00**  
To order a uniform please download the form from the website and email it to [uniformshop.karaka@gmail.com](mailto:uniformshop.karaka@gmail.com)

# fotoman



David is coming to  
Karaka Playcentre on  
Sunday 15th November



To book, please write your name  
on the sheet at Playcentre  
or phone Diana on 027 487 7298  
or email [dianalegae@hotmail.com](mailto:dianalegae@hotmail.com)



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We look forward to seeing you!



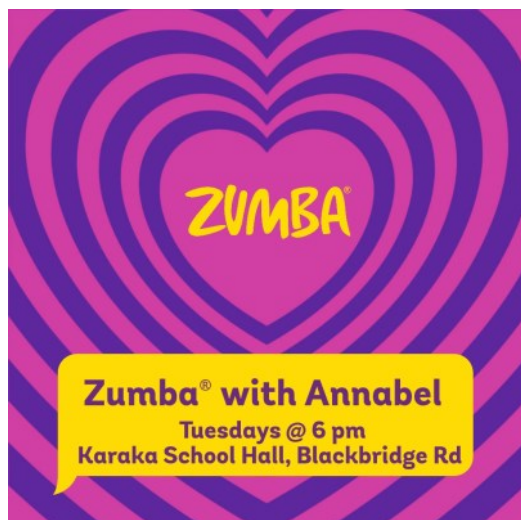
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# Reminder Dates

<b>26 October</b>	Labour Day
<b>27 October</b>	Teacher Only Day— <b>NO SCHOOL</b>
<b>28 October</b>	Powhiri and Whanau Hui
<b>30 October</b>	School Athletics Day (save day Monday 2nd Nov if wet)
<b>15 December</b>	Term 4 ends <b>12.00</b>
<b>1 Feb 2021</b>	Uniform Shop open 10.00am—1.00pm
<b>2 Feb 2021</b>	Term 1 starts, Uniform Shop open 8.15-9.00am

## Community Notices



### Halloween Disco!!

For all ages

\$2 Entry Fee

At 6pm - 8pm on 30th October.

At the Patumahoe Rugby Club.

Food, Drinks, Glow Sticks etc, are available for purchase.

Supervised by Rotary Members.



Fundraising for StarJam!

# KAS KIDS AFTER SCHOOL

## Teacher Only Day!!

Karaka School will be closed on 27th October  
for a Teacher Only Day

Kids After School are offering full day care  
for your child/ren at our programme based at  
Karaka School.

**8am - 3pm**

**Extra hours available from**

**7am - 8am and 3pm - 6pm**

We have something for everyone!!!

Games, Arts & Crafts, Baking

If you do require care, then please contact  
the office on 236 4078 or go online to our  
booking system, click book now and select  
"Special Day".

WINZ Subsidies accepted for eligible families

## BLU cRU Kids Camps

Yamaha Motor New Zealand is excited to announce that through our partnership with Josh Coppins Racing we will be delivering kids camps for children and their families across New Zealand from October this year.

The camps are for children 14 years and under plus their families.

Come along with any brand of bike and camp track-side for two full days of riding adventure.

Glen Murray 20-22nd  
November

To register your interest go to  
[www.yamaha-motor.co.nz](http://www.yamaha-motor.co.nz) and  
search "kids camp"



## Auditions for Auckland Girls Choir

Girls aged 10 to 17 are eligible to audition. For more information about the auditions process please refer to -

Web : <https://www.akgirlschoir.co.nz/auditions>

Email: [agcinfo@akgirlschoir.co.nz](mailto:agcinfo@akgirlschoir.co.nz) or [laurajanethomson@gmail.com](mailto:laurajanethomson@gmail.com)

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## ARTZONSHOW

SCHOOL HOLIDAY PERFORMING ARTS WORKSHOP



**Be part of our Performing Arts Workshops in the School Holidays!**

This is a fun yet educational week for students aged 5 - 15 years.  
Students participate in a range of performing arts classes, concluding the week with a performance!



09 294 7129  
027 210 0736

[WWW.ARTZONSHOW.CO.NZ](http://WWW.ARTZONSHOW.CO.NZ)  
[HAYLEY@ARTZONSHOW.CO.NZ](mailto:HAYLEY@ARTZONSHOW.CO.NZ)

**WEDDINGS - BIRTHDAYS  
OR ANY SPECIAL OCCASIONS**

**SUNDAY MARKETS**



**DINNER THEATRE** - Check website for dates

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