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Reminders & Updates Flyer

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1st August 2018

Week 2 Term Three 2018

CELEBRATING LEARNING & ACHIEVEMENT



Congratulations to **Reagan S** who was our Good News Call of the Week for week one. Reagan was nominated for showing initiative and our value of nurture by caring for our younger students during a wet Wednesday when our Intermediate students were offsite. Thanks Reagan for taking the lead and ensuring our little learners were safe and sound during the lunch break. So proud of you - a wonderful start to the term!

Don't forget to keep your phone handy on Friday - the next call could be to you!

Congratulations to **Jed O** who recently featured in an article promoting a new Yamaha 'Race Ready' YZ65 motorcross bike in the latest edition of the Dirt Rider Downunder magazine. It looks like you thoroughly enjoyed the experience Jed!

Next Friday we will be holding a powhiri to welcome all new students and their whanau into our fabulous learning community at **9.30am** in the school hall. We would love to see you there if you are able to make it.

Nga mihi nui, Sarah Hynds
Principal@karaka.school.nz

2019 Enrolments

We are beginning to plan ahead. Do you have a child or know of a child who will be enrolling at our school next year (In zone or out of zone). If so, it would be very much appreciated if you could let us know. Please email lynnef@karaka.school.nz with the details. Enrolment forms are available from our website or can be collected from the school office. Visits are welcomed too.



AIMs Academy Sponsorship Opportunity

Each year our Intermediate students have the opportunity to participate in the AIMs Games. This sporting tournament runs for an entire week and involves over 9300 intermediate students from around NZ and the Pacific. The costs associated with this event are significant and the students will be actively fundraising over the next two terms to try and reduce these. We are also seeking offers of sponsorship. If you are interested and in a position to help, the team would be incredibly grateful. All sponsors are named on the AIMs Academy sweatshirts and acknowledged in all newsletters and notices relating to AIMs. Please contact us directly if you would like to discuss this sponsorship opportunity further.

Sarah Hynds and Meagan Flett

Lucky Book Club – Scholastic Orders

All orders for Issue 5 are due in this Friday, 3rd August. The easiest way to order is on-line via the Loop orders (mybookclub.scholastic.co.nz). Otherwise please hand in the order form and payment to the office by Friday this week. Thanks.

Music Lessons in School

Guitar and ukulele lessons, Modern School of Music, Beginners to advanced.

To enquire or make a booking please phone Rachel Peters 021 02511752



AG DAY



22nd September 2018

- * **Ag Day Auction**—Please bring in items to the office. We also accept cash to purchase items for the auction. Any queries please contact Katrina 0275521604 or Sarah 0276341641.
- * **Franklin Vets Visit**—Jenny from Franklin Vets will be visiting us on Thursday 9th August at 2.00pm to talk to children about care and rearing of their animals. If you would like to listen to the talks, please feel free to come along. Also if you bring along your pet lamb or kid goat after school then she will do free ringing and vaxing.
- * **Entry Forms**—ALL children must have an entry form. These are due back **THIS FRIDAY 3RD AUGUST**.
- * **2017 Trophies**—Please return all 2017 trophies in a **clean and undamaged condition**. You get to keep the miniatures.
- * **Next Meeting**—Tuesday 14th August 7.00pm.

Another successful PTA meeting last week. If you ever want to know what is going on with the PTA, or you think you might want to join us, then don't hesitate to email and we can forward minutes, so that you know what we are up to. If you run a busy household and don't have time to attend meetings, but could contribute to the odd morning tea then we would greatly appreciate it. Any and all help is welcome.

Term 3 we will be having—David the Fotoman; a morning tea after the Powhiri next week AND hot dogs on the last day of term. A quieter term than usual as we like to put our energy into getting behind Karaka School's biggest fundraiser of the year AG DAY.

David 'The Fotoman' is coming to school on Sunday 26th August. David takes fantastic photo's. He has a great gift at getting everyone relaxed, smiling and looking their best. It is also a great idea to link them onto Ag Day diaries/ calendars etc and use as Christmas gifts.

Don't forget that you can order sushi for lunch on at Thursday. Just come to the lunchroom in the hall from 8.20am Thursday morning to place the order and the sushi will be delivered to your child's class at lunch time. Price list is available on the school website.

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David is coming to
Karaka School on
Sunday 26th August



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Patricia on 027 395 8887
or p.a.mckelvey@gmail.com



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Reminder Dates

3 August	Whanau Hui 9.00am, Assembly 1.45pm
9 August	Vet Talk 2.00pm
10 August	Powhiri 9.30am
14 August	Ag Day Meeting 7.00pm
17 August	Assembly 1.45pm
22 August	PTA Meeting 7.00pm
26 August	David the Fotoman (PTA)
22 September	Ag Day
19 October	Day in Lieu of Ag Day

Community Notices

Goats available

Oete Goat Farm will have goats available for Ag Day again this year. We have a return option for buck kids that may interest families who can not keep there animals after ag day. For full details and the how to care for them, please go to our Facebook page Oete goat farm.

PUKEKOHE RACEWAY KIDS OBSTACLE DUATHLON

Tuesday 25th September

Duathlon - Run, Bike & Obstacle Course Run

Compete individually or in 2-person team

Year 3 – 8 students

Enter online: www.bsgevents.co.nz



Year 5 & 6 kids Come and have a go at Waterpolo

Mountford Park Waterpolo Club are running a Year 5 & 6 school programme starting in August for 6 weeks on Saturday afternoons.

They will provide our team with structured skills session followed with games. No previous Waterpolo experience necessary but you must be able to swim.

If you are interested or have any questions please contact Trudi Goldsworthy, email: trudig72@gmail.com or phone: 021 772 003



Young at Art children's Term 3 ART ADVENTURES classes in all mediums are now available for children aged 5-16yrs, classes are grouped by age. This term we are also offering a DYNAMIC DRAWING short course (8yrs+) and our ARTY YARNS children's book course with award winning Illustrator Raymond McGrath (2 courses; tweens/Teens and also an Adult class). Art Adventures classes commence 2nd week of term. For more information or to book please check out: www.youngatart.co.nz, email: anna@youngatart.co.nz or ph. 021 161 6412

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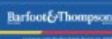
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