

LINCOLN HEIGHTS SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Vision: Step By Step Together We Reach New Heights

ACTING PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Kia ora everyone

Shade structure update. We have met with the shade structure contractor and hope to receive costings for repairs before the end of September.

Spell-ATHON information went out to parents on 20th August. Your donation to support your child will go directly to the new playground being installed in the space between Rm 10 and the playgroup early Term 4.

The Art exhibition held in the hall last week was very successful. Unfortunately there was some confusion around visiting times. We will be working to ensure earlier notice of this school event. The best artworks will be sent to represent our school at the North West Auckland Art Exhibition later this term.

If you haven't visited our website and completed the Health and Physical Education Consultation survey we remind you that you can still do so. Results from the survey will be shared next term in the newsletter.

Thank you to our community for your ongoing support for our teaching staff. We appreciate your positive feedback. We will let you know how the negotiations are going and any events that may impact you as they come to hand via NZEI.

Ka Kite

Leisha Byrnes
ACTING PRINCIPAL

CELEBRATIONS

This fortnight our school is focusing on the Reach value of CELEBRATE. Our students are learning to celebrate their learning achievements and successes.



My Super Power

In my opinion you can stop, but at the end you sometimes fight them back. Self control is the best power. You can help the bully and you can respond and help them to be nice. When you react, you make the problem bigger. If you don't react to people you make it smaller.

By Messiah Lee

Some examples of our Art



Congratulations to our Netball Teams



- Kiwi 3: Round robin runner up - year 2/3 LHS Crystals
- Kiwi 3: Play off winners- year 2/3 LHS Crystals
- Kiwi 2: Round 1 runners up - year 3/4 LHS Ninjas
- Kiwi 1: Round 1 runners up - year 3/4 LHS Knights
- Kiwi 1: Round 2 winners - year 3/4 LHS Knights
- Year 5/6 grade C runners up - LHS Scorpions
- Year 5/6 grade B runners up - LHS 4 Life

Thank you so much to the coaches, managers and especially Kimberley Siaki for her awesome organisation.



TERM THREE 2018 DATES

Whole school assemblies are held in the hall on Fridays at 11.30am on even weeks of the term. All whanau are welcome to attend.

August

29th BOT meeting, 5pm, staffroom
30th Cupcake Day. \$2.00 each from Rm 1 at morning tea and lunchtime
31st Daffodil Day

September

4th Yr 7/8 Financial Literacy Day, Trusts Stadium
7th Spell-athon test day
10-14th PD Week, **School closes 2pm Monday to Friday**
Maori Language week
10th PTA meeting, 6.30pm, staffroom
17-21st Science Week Monday to Friday
26th Yr 7/8 boys & girls Volleyball, Massey High School
BOT meeting, 5.30pm, staffroom
All school library books must be returned to Library
28th **Last day of term two. School closes 3pm**
Whole school assembly, 11.30am. Parents welcome

TERM FOUR BEGINS MONDAY, 15TH OCTOBER AT 8.50AM

GENERAL NOTICES

- **Cupcake fundraiser.** Kahukura are raising money for off-site activities and will be selling delicious cupcakes for \$2.00 TOMORROW, Thursday 30th August from Rm 1 at morning tea and lunchtime.
- **Art Calendar orders** are now being taken for calendars, diaries, greeting cards, mouse and sketch pads displaying your child's artwork. They are reasonably priced and make great gifts for your families and friends. All orders must be to the office by Friday 14th September.
- **Daffodil Day Friday 31st August.** For a gold coin donation the office will have Daffodils for sale to pin on lapels.
- **Reminder that PD week is two weeks away, Monday 10th to Friday 14th September.** Our school will close at 2.00pm each day to allow for our teachers to attend professional development on-site. sKIDS will be available to assist with childcare. Please contact Manel and her team direct. Contact details can be found at the bottom of the page.
- **Entertainment books.** Last chance to purchase an Entertainment book from the school office for \$70.00. Surplus stock will be returned at the end of August. These books are full of discount vouchers for activities, dining and are valid outside of Auckland as well. Don't miss out, great savings to be made.
- **Do you have an under 5 child at home that will be starting school soon?** We are planning our New Entrant classes. If you have a pre-schooler that will be starting with us either later this year or next please let the office know the child's name and date of birth.
- **Website.** Do check out our website for school information and event dates on www.lincolnheights.school.nz. Important dates have been included for your information.
- **Facebook.** Don't forget to Like Us on Facebook: Lincoln Heights School Official and watch for alerts that are regularly posted.

PLAYGROUP

The Auckland Kindergarten Association operates a Playgroup in Room 7 (on the top field) for under 5s. Parents must be present to supervise their children. Playgroup operates Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursday mornings from 9.30am to 12.30pm. You can contact Coordinator Jordan by emailing lincolnheights@playgroups.org.nz or phoning the office during playgroup hours for more information.

BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL CARE

sKids Lincoln Heights in Rm 31 BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL CARE PROGRAMME from 7.00am to 8.30am and 3.00pm to 6.00pm Monday to Friday. sKIDS will be available during PD week 10th-14th September from 2.00pm. Contact Manel or Sam by phone 0800 187 000/021 922 521 or email at lincolnheights@skids.co.nz

Term Three Planner:

Week 1 Welcome Back
Week 2 Lego Challenge
Week 3 Colourful Unicorn
Week 4 Pompom Pets
Week 5 Marshmallow Names
Week 6 I Love You Dad!!
Week 7 Nature Inspired Crafts
Week 8 Maori Language Week
Week 9 Sports Week
Week 10 Kids Choice & Prize Giving

TERM THREE DAILY ACTIVITIES:

MONDAYS	Technology
TUESDAYS	sKids Active
WEDNESDAYS	FoodStorm cooking
THURSDAYS	Zumba
FRIDAYS	Fun Fridays