



Te Anau School - Te Kura o Te Anau

Week 8 Term 1

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Kake ake i te tiketiketanga o te Taumata

Climbing Our Way To The Top!

(No Eftpos Available)



Principal's Pen

Dear Parents, Caregivers and Whanau

This week we have sent out our annual donation requests for the year. This has been set at the same level as the last few years, \$75 for an individual student with a maximum of \$130 for a family.

Each year the Board of Trustees discuss the level of donations and whether it is appropriate to ask for them. At a time when the BoT has lofty goals around the development of the school we have decided that we still need to ask for the donation. At the end of the day every cent counts and the donation does allow us to offer extra opportunities at our school.

These extra opportunities include but are not limited to, having our library open at lunchtimes, teacher aides working with a range of students, extra sports equipment, vibrant classrooms and an enviro area to be proud of. These donations really do make a difference to our tamariki/children everyday.

Two years ago when the new government was formed they offered an extra \$150 per student to schools who didn't ask for donation. This offer still hasn't come to fruition.

We thank you all for your continued support.

Nga mihi nui

Grant Excell

Welcome to Te Anau and Our School!

Sililo Fialele has moved to Te Anau and joins Mrs McGlade's class in Room 5. Welcome to Te Anau School Sililo!

Te Anau School's Policies and Procedures

Our policies and procedures can be viewed at any time through our school website. www.teanau.school.nz Click on 'Policies and Procedures' and enter the following username and password. Username: teanau Password: climbing

This term we are reviewing, School Swimming Pool, Alcohol/Drugs and Other Harmful Substances, Legislation and Administration Policy. Click on [current review](#) to view and give feedback.

School News

Measles

There have been two confirmed cases of Measles in the Otago/Southland region, so far. Please ensure you follow the advice of all health professionals - make sure your child is fully vaccinated. The early symptoms mirror those of influenza.

School Hours

9am – 3pm (**children must not be at school before 8.30am**)

11.00am – 11.15am – Interval

12.45pm – 1.45pm – Lunch

Office Hours are 8.30am to 4pm Email: admin@teanau.school.nz

School Pool Closed

Our school pool closed last week. Please return your keys as soon as possible to receive your \$10 cash bond.

Sausages

These are available again this week for \$2 and must be ordered **BEFORE** 9am in the school library.



Lost Property

This is found below the food warmer and is currently overflowing with many un-named items. Please label everything that your child brings to school. Thank you.

School Accounts

These were sent home with your child/ren this week. Please pay all stationery as soon as possible. School donations are voluntary but we do appreciate any payments received. Any enquiries to accounts@teanau.school.nz Thank you.

Pick Up/Drop Offs Before and After School

Please note it is an offence to pick up, drop off and park your vehicle behind the staff car park at any time. It is also an offence to use the bus stop for any reason between the hours of 8.30am-9.30am and 2.30pm-3.30pm.

Southland Primary School Athletics AWD

Patrice McMurtrie will be competing in the Southland Primary School Athletics this year as an Athlete With Disability competitor. Good luck Patrice!



Board of Trustee Members

- Steve Hoskin (Chairman)
- Kelly Clow
- Rachel Williams
- Kymm Scott
- Andy Dennis
- Mark Hunter (Teacher Rep)
- Grant Excell (Principal)

Healthy Eating

Cauliflower Fritters With Tasty Yoghurt Sauce

These cauliflower fritters will become a family favourite - and a tasty way to get vegetables into kids. Serve warm with our tasty yoghurt sauce. Also good for lunch boxes and snacks.

Ingredients: 1/2 a cauliflower, chopped into small pieces, 1/2 cup frozen peas or corn (optional), 1/2 cup flour, 1 teaspoon cumin, 1 teaspoon coriander, 1/2 teaspoon turmeric, 2 eggs, oil spray for cooking, 1/2 cup natural yoghurt, 1 clove crushed garlic, 2 tablespoons fresh coriander or mint, chopped.

Method: Bring a large pot of water to the boil. Add the cauliflower and boil for 5 minutes.

Add the frozen vegetables (if using) and boil for another 5 minutes. Drain the vegetables and mash lightly with a fork. In a large bowl mix together the flour, cumin, coriander and turmeric. Whisk in the eggs and vegetables. If batter is too wet, add a little more flour. Heat non-stick fry pan over a medium heat. Spray pan with a little oil. Spoon mixture into pan to form fritters (about two tablespoons per fritter). Cook fritters until golden brown on both sides and cooked through. To make the sauce, mix together the natural yoghurt, garlic and fresh coriander or mint.



Community News

Two Upcoming Parenting Nights Presented By Parenting Place NZ

Tweens to Teens with Christian Gallen. Get the insights that you need to help your child to positively navigate the changes of adolescence. Young people live in a world of change that includes, changing thoughts, changing feelings, changing connections and changing bodies. This is a time to reinforce the foundation that your relationships with your child are built on. We offer insight into your young person's world as well as practical tips to help guide them on their journey. Tuesday, 9th April, Lakeside Presbyterian Church, 112 Te Anau Terrace, Te Anau.

Tricky Teens with Christian Gallen. A practical session where you'll pick up a range of strategies to strengthen your relationship with your teenager and increase your confidence and effectiveness as a parent of a teen. Wednesday, 10th April, Lakeside Presbyterian Church, 112 Te Anau Terrace, Te Anau.

On Both Nights 7.15pm – Doors open, 7.30pm – 9.00pm – Presentation \$5.00 koha, light refreshments provided. Please RSVP to Lakeside Presbyterian Church. For further information please contact lakesidechurch@xtra.co.nz or phone 03 249 7174.

Term 2 Netball In Te Anau

There will be netball next term for Year 1-4's on a Saturday morning 9-10am. Please register your interest by texting me (if you haven't already via Facebook Pages). If there are any parents out there willing to coach/co-coach Year 3&4's and help coach Year 1&2's please also message me 027 365 4456. Also any Year 5&6 players not travelling to Winton every Saturday, there will be a session on Thursday afternoons 3:30-4:30pm. Term 2, depending on numbers, again please register your interest. Thanks, Tarn Willans, Netball Fiordland President.

Kids Restore the Kepler/Te Anau Library

Kids Restore the Kepler and Southland District Council / Te Anau Library have partnered to bring the award-winning grassroots restoration project to the heart of the community. Kids aged 5 plus are invited to attend this Friday's Te Anau Library craft session involving Kids Restore the Kepler, nature craft and an exciting project the local children can kick start. The idea is to celebrate and share the kids' knowledge of the Kepler area and their amazing skills and to embark on audacious creative travelling projects linking the libraries and communities in Southland and beyond. **When:** Friday 29th March at Te Anau Public Library, from 3:30 to 4:30pm. Bring your creativity and enthusiasm and remember: imagination has no limits! Regular sessions will then start in Term 2 and dates will be advertised via school newsletters and KRTK & Southland District Libraries Facebook pages. For more information about this new programme, please contact: Alessandra Menegatti (KRTK): alessandra.m@fiordlandconservationtrust.org.nz or Raewyn Patton (SDC): Raewyn.Patton@southlanddc.govt.nz

School Calendar 2019

28 March	PTA AGM - School Staffroom 3.15pm - All Welcome
28 March	Enviro Hui
30 March	Southland Athletics
5 April	Mufti Day - Super Heroes - Local St Johns
5 April	School Assembly Event Centre 2pm (Room 9 sharing)
7 April	Southland Swimming
12 April	Term 1 Ends
29 April	Term 2 Starts
19 Dec	End of School Year 2019

