



Te Anau School - Te Kura o Te Anau

Week 9 Term 3

Thursday 19 September 2019

www.teanau.school.nz admin@teanau.school.nz

Kake ake i te tiketiketanga o te Taumata

Ph. 03 249 7131

Climbing Our Way To The Top!

Bank A/c 03 1749 0005473 00

(No Eftpos Available)



Principal Pen

Dear Parents, Caregivers and Whanau,

It has been a positive week all round reflecting on a very successful School Fair. Making \$21,168.60 was a mind boggling feat.

A special thanks needs to go out to Kiri Bell, Jackie Knowles, Leona McCracken, Wendy den Hertog, Bernie McAtear and Nicola Cowan. These ladies made up the PTA organising committee for the Fair. This group has met every Wednesday for the last eight weeks making sure everything was perfect. The hours were worth it! From the whole community, thank you!

Beyond the money, the community gathering and the all round great day, the best part of it all was the children's learning. The children have used the Fair as a project to learn about financial literacy, something that can be so easily missed in the curriculum. The Fair was an authentic learning experience above all else.

The children went through the process of setting up a business (a stall). They looked at what could make money at a fair by exploring other fairs and events they had been to. They then looked at income and expenses, made budgets and planned out what they needed to do to make a profit. These life skills will help them throughout their lives.

Once again thank you to everyone involved in our Fair, it was an outstanding success!

Nga mihi nui,
Grant Excell
Principal

School News



Friday Sausages - only \$2 each !!!!

Orders must be made in the school library before 9am

Please support our Year 6 Dunedin camp fundraiser!

School Gates

Please remember to keep these shut at all times during school hours.

Lost Property

Please come and check this out before it disappears to new owners.

Assembly Certificates

Congratulations to the following children who will be receiving a certificate at assembly this week at the Event Centre 2pm:

Room 1 -	Daniel Donovan, Libby Fox, Teagan Kelly
Room 2 -	Jodi Denley, Lila Ledgard, Aani Tapper
Room 3 -	Jonty Jones, Zane Wallace
Room 4 -	Eli John, Ronan Cunningham
Room 5 -	Josephine Chartres, Sililo Fialele
Room 6 -	Lucas Sutherland, Yiyi Zhu, Fergus Holland
Room 7 -	Jake Harden, Lakita Scott
Room 8 -	Brydie Dennis, Oscar Gray
Room 9 -	Josh Porteous, Naye De Boer
Room 10 -	Ella Rautenbach, Casey Malan, April Priestley
Room 11 -	Josh Newton, Catherine Spiers
Room 12 -	Chloe Harden

Room 10 - Conservation Week

This week in New Zealand it is Conservation Week/Te Wiki Tiaki Ao Turoa. In fact, it is the 50th Conservation Week New Zealand has had. Room 10 did their part yesterday by cleaning up the streets surrounding Te Anau Primary School. We were really shocked to find many cigarette butts, bottles and rubbish. The rubbish bag was so heavy afterwards. Some interesting finds were hedge clippers and a \$5 note. The class has decided to create posters to encourage people to dispose of their rubbish properly.



Room 10 - Conservation Week!

Whole School House Challenge - Book Character Dress Up Day!

A 'Book Character Dress Up Day' will be held on Monday 23 September as a house challenge. We want all children to come to school dressed as a character from a book. Try your best to find a dress up: Be creative! House Points will be awarded if you can name your character and what book they are in. Any questions, see Ms Bell.

PTA News

pta@teanau.school.nz PTA Bank A/c 02-0965-0003152-000

PTA Meal for Ten Raffle Results

Thanks to everyone who supported our recent PTA Meal for Ten Fundraiser. We sold most of the tickets and made approximately \$3200 for our school travel fund. A special thank you to **The Fat Duck** for donating a \$200 meal voucher for our second prize and to **Karen Priestley** for donating a voucher for a beautiful double layer cake for our third prize. **1st Prize went to Suna Zhu 2nd Prize went to Vicki Shayler 3rd Prize went to Kiri Klein** Well done **Lilly Barclay** from Room 7 for selling the most tickets.

Community News

Free Parenting Place Evening Talks

Raising happy, confident and resilient children - 7.30 Tuesday, 17 September at the Lakeside Presbyterian Church. Tools for engaging cooperation - 7.30pm Wednesday, 18 September at the Lakeside Presbyterian Church.

Marakura Yacht Club's Learn to Sail

For 9yrs and above. Starts Monday nights at 5pm from 21 Oct. For registrations or more information please contact Bronwyn Smith 027 418 2226.

Fiordland Kindergarten - 10 Years of Nature Discovery & 100 Years of Kindergarten

A family/whanau community event to celebrate 10 years of Nature Discovery and 100 years of Kindergarten on Friday 20 September at 'The Shed' Ivon Wilson Park at 4pm. Come and see how our forest is growing, cook some damper on the fire. Reminisce about your time, find your favourite haunt. Help us eat the celebration cake!

School Calendar 2019

19 September	Poppet Clothing 1pm-3.15pm
19 September	Transition to School Meeting 3.15pm
20 September	School Assembly Event Centre 2pm
23 September	House Challenge - Book Character Dress Up Day
28 September	Term 3 - Ends
14 October	Term 4 - First Day
28 October	Labour Day - School Closed
30 October	BoT Meeting 7pm
1 November	Pet Day - Mararoa School
1 November	School Assembly 2pm Event Centre
6 November	School Photos
22 November	School Assembly 2pm Event Centre
25-29 November	Year 6 Dunedin Camp
28-29 November	Year 5 Marae Trip
2 December	Year 6 Fiordland College Familiarisation
3 December	BoT Meeting
4 December	Deano - Author Show
12 December	Year 5 & 6 Dine and Dance
13 December	School Assembly - 2pm Event Centre
19 December	Year 6 Graduation & End of School Year 2019