

# Te Anau School

Te Kura o Te Anau  
Kake ake i te tiketiketanga o te Taumata  
Climbing Our Way To The Top!!  
Term 2 Week 11 2020



## Principal's Pen

Dear Parents, Caregivers and Whanau,

Our Board of Trustees is currently looking at writing our next strategic plan for the next 3 to 5 years. This is an important time to set the direction of our school.

We will be gathering information from a range of sources including students, staff and teachers. We will also be surveying employers, ex students and iwi.

On Sunday evening I will be sending out a survey to parents. Please fill this out to have your say. There will also be paper copies available at the school office and during our parent teacher interviews on Monday and Tuesday. We will also have devices set up here at school to complete the survey.

Thank you in advance for your input. It really does help us set the direction of our school.

On another note, uniform standards at school which are normally excellent have been getting a bit relaxed. On the opposite side of this page there are some points to remember about our school uniform.

Nga mihi nui,  
Grant Excell  
Principal

## Welcome

Libby Sutherland turned 5 and started school this week in Room 12 with Mrs Hansen and Mrs Harden. Welcome to our school Libby!!



## School News

### School Hours

9am – 3pm

**Interval:** 10.55am – 11.15am

**Lunch:** 12.45pm – 1.40pm

**Office Hours:** 8.30am to 4pm



## School Uniform Reminders

Please remember:

**No Hoodies** - School polar fleeces only to be worn

**Hair Dye** - No hair dye at school

**Tights & Thermals** - These should be plain dark blue, green or black

**Earrings** - Studs only

**Headbands & Bows** - Should be small and simple

### School Interviews

Please make sure you have booked your interviews. These are being held on Monday 29 June and Tuesday 30 June.

Log on to:

<https://www.schoolinterviews.co.nz/code?code=dmqxc>

Enter our unique school code: **dmqxc**

Enter your details such as name, email address, children's name(s), class teacher(s).

The website will guide you through the rest of the process. Once your bookings have been made you will receive a confirmation email immediately.

**Note:** Room 12 children have their own New Entrant interviews within the first six weeks of school.

### Sickness

A huge thank you to those who have kept your children at home. We have a lot of coughs and colds at present. Your child must stay at home until fully recovered from any illnesses or we shall be sending them home again. This includes sniffles, colds, sore throats, sore tums etc.

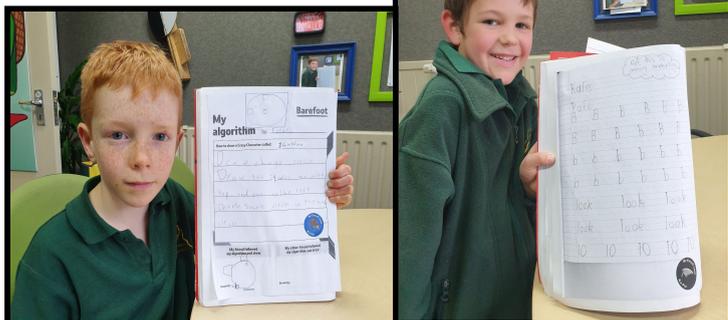


### Wapiti Bakery Lunches/Sausages

We may not have any sausages tomorrow but don't forget you can order a lunch from Wapiti Bakery! These are available every Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Sausage Fridays will resume next term!!!

Mr Excell has had a stream of visitors to the office this week with their amazing work. Here is Peter Clow and Rafe Woods showing their writing!



### School Holiday Programme

Register today for the School Holiday programme at Te Anau Library – Everything Socks! Kids will craft their very own sock puppet or sock plushie. If there is time a puppet show may even break out! BYO a washed sock and an adult if you are 6 years old or under. Ph 0800 732 542 or call at Te Anau Library to book a place.

### Lake Te Anau Community Clean Up - DoC

Join us at the Te Anau Marina for a lakeshore clean-up, both above and below the surface! On Tuesday the 7th of July we'll meet at the marina and walk the shore to collect any rubbish we find. While we're at it, certified divers will clean-up what lies beneath the surface. Fiordland College students will be on site with an underwater rover they built last year to provide the opportunity for those not diving to see beneath the surface too.

Come along to lend a hand and to learn about the freshwater world that surrounds our town.

Timing: 10 AM - 3 PM with a lunch BBQ in the middle.

Weather postponement date: 14th July 2020.

## School Term Calendar 2020

26 June	Young Leaders Conference at School
29 June	Parent Teacher Interviews 3 - 7pm
30 June	Parent Teacher Interviews 3 - 5pm
3 July	Mufti Day
3 July	House Tug of War
3 July	Term 2 Ends
20 July	Term 3 Starts
25 Sep	Term 3 Ends
12 Oct	Term 4 Starts
15 Dec	Term 4 Ends

## Community Info

### Fiordland Swim Club AGM

The Fiordland Swim club will be having their AGM on Monday 20th July. This will be at 7.30pm in the Te Anau Primary School staff room. All welcome.

We are looking for a new secretary, as Debbie Taylor has handed in her resignation from the club committee. Please if you are interested, email the club ([fiordswim@gmail.com](mailto:fiordswim@gmail.com)) and come along to the AGM. We can not run the club without one.

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9am- 3pm (Children must not be at school before 8.30am)

**Morning Tea:** 11.00am-11.15am **Lunch:** 12.45pm - 1.45pm **Office Hours:** 8.30am - 4pm

### Contact Details & Bank Account Information

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