



Te Anau School

Te Kura o Te Anau

Kake ake i te tiketiketanga o te Taumata

Climbing Our Way To The Top!!

Term 1 Week 2 2021



Principal's Pen

Dear Parents, Caregivers and Whanau,

We are all settled back into school and classroom programs are getting up and running. Teachers are looking forward to catching up with you all on Monday and Tuesday at our Parent Teacher Interviews.

Some of you may be aware that next Saturday 27 February is the Te Anau Basin Trail Ride which is being held at Te Anau Downs Station. This is an annual event but is the first time it is being held at this wonderful location.

This year our PTA is lucky enough to be one of the groups the trail ride is supporting. This will be a great fundraiser that will directly benefit the tamariki of Te Anau School.

To support this event we need to supply 15 people to help out on the day. This will mainly be cooking a BBQ and marshalling on the course. The event is run between 8am and 4pm but our helpers can work in shifts. If you are able to help, flick me an email gexcell@teanau.school.nz call in or give us a phone call. Small shifts or large, we would love for you to help. By helping you will directly be making the lives of your children better.

The PTA helps out in lots of ways around our school. They have purchased wonderful resources and help fund most of our school trips. Looking around the school you can see many of their contributions. These include basketball hoops, tennis court fencing, class games and huge amounts of sporting equipment. The PTA is an integral part of our school.

The PTA have their AGM coming up on March 25 at 7pm. New members are always welcome.

I look forward to seeing many of you at interviews next week and at the Trial Ride next Saturday.

Nga mihi nui,

Grant Excell

School News

Assembly Certificates

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

Room 1 - Benjamin Midhun, Riley Wilson, Lucas Sutherland
Room 2 - Simonne Paikea, Seth Prentice, Tarn Bell
Room 3 - Sam Killeen, Carter Sandilands, Eli John
Room 4 - Fletcher Scott, Ethan Murdoch
Room 5 - Abbey Hemi, Rosila Tofia
Room 6 - Indi Gray, Eli Wright-Davies
Room 7 - Shane Kelly, Iradessa Ansell
Room 8 - Ranveer Singh, Terynn Dowling
Room 9 - Josephine Chartres, Logan Porteous
Room 10 - Vienna Carter, Elijah Ross, Rosie O'Connor
Room 12 - Hunter Geerlings, Holly Hunter

Basin Athletics - Friday 26th Feb (update)

See the attached notice (to your email) as well as rotation of events for both seniors and juniors. Note: There is a slight change to the Junior Athletics with the two 5yr old GIRL groups and one 5yr old BOY group (it was the other way around).

Please label all items to school. This includes clothing, drink bottles, lunch boxes etc.

Poppet Clothing

Poppet Clothing will be at our school on Wednesday 31 March outside the office from 1pm to 3.15pm. Mobile Eftpos will be available.



Wapiti Bakery Lunch Orders

Watch this space! Menus are coming soon.

School Hours

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

10.55am – 11.15am – Interval

12.45pm – 1.40pm – Lunch

Office Hours are 8.30am to 4pm Email:

admin@teanau.school.nz

Friday Sausages \$2.00 !!!!

Please bring your \$2 coin to the school library before 9am.

To avoid queues, please give exact money.

Please support our Year 6 Dunedin camp fundraiser!

PTA Fundraiser - CLOTHING LABELS

Sick of your child's clothing and equipment going missing?

'Stuck on you' makes a variety of labels that can be used on lunch boxes, containers and clothing. There are sticker varieties and 'iron on'. These can be fully personalised with pictures as well as names. There are lots of designs to choose from - to suit all ages. Have a browse on their website: <https://www.stuckonyou.nz/> If you order and add our school code, then the pta get a small percentage. The start of a new year is a good time to organise this! The school's code is: TEANAUSCHOOLPTA Thanks.

**Do you recognise any of these shoes?
Please pick up from the lost property box.**



School Term Calendar 2021

19 February	Whole School Assembly 2pm Event Centre - Rm 10
22-23 February	Parent Teacher Interviews
23 February	800m Running 9/10 years 2.30pm
24 February	1500m Running 10 years 2.30pm
26 February	Basin Athletics
1 March	Postponement Day for Basin Athletics
1-2 March	Senior Brod Bay Camp - Room 1
2-3 March	Senior Brod Bay Camp - Room 2
3-4 March	Senior Brod Bay Camp - Room 3
2-8 March	Life Education Bus
9 March	Borland Lodge - Juniors
10 March	Postponement Borland Lodge - Juniors
10 March	Northern Athletics
11 March	Postponement Northern Athletics
12 March	Basin Swimming Sports
19 March	Middle Team Monkey Island Trip
19 March	Whole School Assembly 2pm Event Centre - Rm 1
24-25 March	John Parsons
25 March	PTA AGM 7pm
26 March	Northern Swimming
31 March	Transition to School Meeting
31 March	Poppet Van 1.00pm-3.15pm
9 April	Whole School Assembly 2pm Event Centre - Rm 6
16 April	Last Day of Term 1
3 May	Term 2 Starts
17 December	Last Day of School Year

Community Items

SOUTHLAND CRICKET

This term they are struggling for registrations for superstar and girls smash competition starting this Friday.

Unfortunately they will struggle to support this programme with the current numbers.

If your son or daughter is wanting to play cricket this term, please ensure their registration is completed as a matter of urgency.

Registrations are required by all players including those who played in term 4 2020.

You can register at this link below, <https://registrations.crichq.com/register/278834>

They will be running cricket this Friday, but any

School Hours

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 (No Eftpos)

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