



Term 4 Newsletter

Week 8

4th December, 2018

Kia ora, Talofa lava, Malo e lelei, Kia orana, Faka alofa lati ahu, Bula, Namaste, Ni Hao and Hello to everyone

Today was a huge test for the new roof over the administration area. I'm glad we haven't yet paid the bill as we had three leaks that showed there was a bit more work to do.

The storm was so bad we were not surprised some families kept their children home until it had passed. However, we think the weather will be fine later today so we hope you can still come along to Fiafia night...TONIGHT!!!

Shirley Hardcastle

KEY DATES -Term 4

4th December
Sports Assembly 1.30pm

4th December
Fiafia night 6.30pm start

5th December
Y3-4 shared lunch

6th December
Y5-6 Fun Day

7th December
Junior fun day

10/11 December
Parent Conferences

13 December 1.00pm
Academic and Y8
Graduation Assembly

Y8 Graduation dinner
5.30pm

14th December
Y1-4 Assembly 9.30
Last day- **12.30 close**

Fia Fia night 4th December 6.30pm -8.00pm
Our students will be showcasing many of their talents

Kapa Haka group
Dance
Samoan group and more

Everyone welcome

SPORTS NEWS

Y7/8 Athletics

Congratulations to our Year 7 boys Relay Team who came 1st in the Auckland Championships and to Denayla Tavui who came 1st in the Shot-Put and Gabriel Shepherd who came 2nd in the Discus.

Y5/6 Athletics

Well done to our Primary Athletes. Viscount came 3rd on the day competing against all other schools in our Otahuhu/Mangere Zone.

Parent conferences

A letter has been sent home for Parent Interviews on either Monday 10th December or Tuesday 11th December from **2pm** on. Please make sure you make a time with your child's teacher and get the end of year report.
Please note the school will close at **1.30pm** on these days.

You will receive a new report form this time. This is based on you feedback on the report forms we had before. We hope you find them useful.

REPORTS WILL COME HOME ON WEDNESDAY 12TH DECEMBER

(if not collected at Parent Conferences)

SCHOOL TERMS 2019

4 February - 12 April
29 April – 5 July
22 July – 27 September
14 October – 18 December

50th Jubilee of Viscount School

Saturday 23rd February

We asked students to design a poster – one of which will be used in our flyers to advertise the event.

50th
Jubilee

Winners of the poster competition will be announced next week and prizes given out at our Assemblies next week.

You can go to Facebook and search Viscount School 50th Jubilee and / or go to the school website www.viscount.school.nz and click on

to find out what is planned so far.

Do you know of any stall holders who may want to come along and sell food on the day? Please let us know.

Also we need to hear about famous ex-pupils and staff so we can send them a personal invitation. Contact is on admoi@viscount.school.nz

SKIDS HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

SKIDS provide a great holiday programme starting on the 14th of January and running until the 4th of February, 2019

School Mobile

The school has developed an app you can download. This app gives you the option to read newsletters and school notices on your phone. This is free.

Go to the App store or to Google Play – search for schoolappsnz – and then Viscount School.

You will also be able to let us know about absences and gain other information. We will be able to contact you in emergencies as well. This app was originally developed because of the Christchurch earthquakes when schools realised they didn't have a way to let parents know their children were safe in an emergency.

You will still be able to get notices and messages on the website or get a paper copy.

