



# Term 3 Newsletter

Week 3

6<sup>th</sup> August 2019

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

Kia Orana parents and whanau,

This week is Cook Island Language Week – wish we could also have some Rarotonga sunshine as well!

Yesterday we were very luckily to have a great Cook Island drumming show here. Our children were magnificent as usual. Unfortunately our special guests got caught in Auckland traffic but we had a great time anyway.

On Friday 9<sup>th</sup> – children may come to school in mufti and display their own cultural costumes if they wish to.

Shirley Hardcastle



## KEY DATES -

### TERM 3

**5<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup> August**  
**COOK ISLAND LANGUAGE WEEK**

**6<sup>th</sup> August** – y5-6 Boys and Girls football

**12<sup>th</sup> August** Y7-8 Girls netball

**14<sup>th</sup> August** Y7-8 Boys netball

**16<sup>th</sup> August** – Assembly

**2<sup>nd</sup> September** Teacher Only day

**2-6 September**  
**TONGAN LANGUAGE WEEK**

**9-13 September**  
**MAORI LANGUAGE WEEK**

**4<sup>th</sup> September** – Girls basketball

**6<sup>th</sup> September** Boys basketball

**11<sup>th</sup> September** Y5-6 Boys and girls rugby

**27<sup>th</sup> September** – Assembly

## What Now

If you want to be part of the audience for this show - register online to at [www.whatnow.tv/bonus/audience](http://www.whatnow.tv/bonus/audience)

All are invited to register to be part of the audience for **this Sunday's (11<sup>th</sup> August)** live broadcast of What Now!

This is a **FREE** family fun event in your community!

## 2<sup>nd</sup> September – Teacher Only Day

On this day the school will be closed while teachers undertake some professional learning work in regard to improving our Writing and Reading programmes.

## SCHOOL TERMS 2019

4 February - 12 April

29 April – 5 July

22 July – 27 September

14 October – 18 December



Enrolling for Before School Care 7:30 am to 8:30 am (Mon- Fri)

After School Care 3pm to 6 pm

Fun filled activities in term 3 , including Sports , Art & Craft & Baking.

Winz subsidies are available for qualifying parents, if you are working , Studying (study link) , sickness benefit or you are a **solo Parent**.

**Please txt/call Ferdilin on 0210356547 or email us at [purity@skids.co.nz](mailto:purity@skids.co.nz)**

## Furniture

We still have a number of tables and chairs that have been replaced. If you would like some — please call at the office or see Rob, our caretaker.

## MEASLES

In the holidays there was an increased number of people contracting this disease

• Measles is a serious disease and symptoms include a high fever, runny nose, cough and sore red eyes, followed by a rash starting behind the ears and spreading to the body a few days later. One in 10 people with measles need hospital treatment and the most serious cases can result in deafness or swelling of the brain.

• If you are concerned that your child may be showing signs of this serious illness, **please keep them home from school and call your doctor or Healthline on 0800 611 116**. It's important to call first because measles is highly infectious and could infect others in the waiting room.

• Students showing signs of illness should also be kept home from activities involving large groups of people such as school camps, sports events and performance festivals. For information about what to look for and how to protect your child and/or yourself, please visit:

[www.arphs.health.nz/public-health-topics/disease-and-illness/measles/](http://www.arphs.health.nz/public-health-topics/disease-and-illness/measles/)

## Police number 105

NZ Police recently launched a new non emergency number, 105. We've done this to make it easier to get hold of us in the event of non-urgent situations or 'Things which have Already Happened', which don't require Police assistance immediately. You can call us on 105 for all non emergencies, or you can go online at [105.police.govt.nz](http://105.police.govt.nz) to report things like:

- Lost property
- Theft for a public place or car
- Intentional property damage
- Or to get an update or add info to a previous report

In the event of an emergency, always call 111 - Things that are Happening Now.

Ngā mihi

New Zealand Police



