

Tena koutou e te whanau o Te Uku

Building Project Information Evening – Thursday 19th November, 6:30 to 7:30PM, Te Uku School Hall

The Board of Trustees would like to invite parents/caregivers to an information evening on Thursday 19th November at which we will share an update of the classroom modernisation project. During this evening we will provide details about the time-line for the project and the approved building concept plans. We will share how students and teachers will be grouped as well as how learning programmes will be run in the new environments. We will provide ‘child-care’ in the multi-purpose room. Following the discussion, a light supper will be provided.

We will be answering your questions from the recent Community Questionnaire. We welcome any further questions you may have. These can be emailed to rachela@teuku.school.nz.

Kapa Haka Festival held at Raglan Area School

“Lost for words” was Shelley-Moana’s response to our group’s kapa haka performance on Friday!! Like all of us who had the privilege to attend, Shelley-Moana was extremely proud of our group. They utilised the whole space as they were asked, they managed all of the change in formation exceptionally well and they sang from the bottom of their hearts. We would like to acknowledge and thank Shelly-Moana for tutoring our children so well; we really enjoy having her working in our school. Photos taken by Leanne Roughton can now be seen on our website.



Year 7 and 8 Information Evening

Thanks to everyone who came along last Thursday evening, we were really thrilled with the turn out! As you will have read above, the Board is offering a more comprehensive information evening about the physical building development as well as organisational and teaching plans. You may like to join us again to find out more details.

Reminder: Tabloids Day – Friday 30th October

On Friday our school will be hosting the annual Western Cluster Junior Tabloids day. All children in Rooms 1, 2, 3 and 4 will be participating in a range of fun activities which are being led by the Year 7 and 8 students. Also, our Year 5 and 6 students will be team leaders for the over 400 children from our local schools that will be here on the day. Tabloids start at 10.00 am with a short break for lunch and should be finished by 1.00 pm. All parents/caregivers are welcome to come and watch and support during the day. Parking will be available in the paddock next to the school. If raining the event will be cancelled by 8.15 am. A big thank you to the fundraising committee who have organised very yummy food that all children have been able to pre-order for their lunch on the day.

Important Dates for Term 4

- WEEK 3:** Tabloids Day – Friday 30th October at TUS
- WEEK 5:** Te Uku School Athletics – date to be confirmed
- WEEK 7:** Interschool Athletics – Friday 27th November
- WEEK 10:** End of Year Assembly – Rooms 1 to 4, Monday 14th December, 9:15 to 10:30AM; Rooms 6 to 8, Monday 14th December, 6:30 to 7:45PM, Te Uku School Hall. **Please note**, this year we have decided to run the end of year assembly both in the morning and in the evening. We know that the hall gets very crowded so to help alleviate this, we are trying this approach. Families of junior children can attend in the evening if they prefer.

Nga mihi ki a koutou, Rachel Allan

Abacus Fundraising Calendars

Calendar order forms were sent home with children to order Abacus calendars, greeting cards diaries, notebooks and new to this year, mouse pads. We have samples of these products in the school office if you would like to see what they look like. The art work used to decorate the front of the products is created at school by your child. Great ideas for Christmas! You also have an option of sending in a digital photo that you would like to use. The prices this year are; Art Calendars \$13.00, Photo Calendars \$14.00, Cards (pkt of 8) \$14.00, A5 Diaries \$18.00, Notepads \$ 14.00, Mouse Pads \$16. This is also a fundraising initiative for our school. Please return your form to the office (1 form per child) with your payment. Please return your orders to the office by **Friday 30 October** at the latest.

Bus Fees

Fees are now due for Term 4. Please make these payments by **Friday 6 November** at the latest.
Remember to always keep us informed of your children's bus plans. Always call in if plans have changed.

Here is a reminder of the costs:

Raglan Buses: 1 st child	\$150.00 per term
2 nd child	\$100.00 per term
3 rd or 4 th child	No cost
Casual users	\$2.00



Waitetuna Bus: \$50.00

Our Account Number for internet payments is 03 1558 000954300 reference your child's name.

Free Ear Clinic Service for Children

The ear clinic will be at Raglan Area School from 9:30am to 2:00pm on Tuesday 3 November. Glue ear assessment and management, wax/foreign body – removal, grommet check, treatment of discharging ears. For enquiries regarding this service call 07 838 3565

Round the Bridges 2015

Round the Bridges is happening on Sunday 15th November in Hamilton. Te Uku School has set up a team entry into the 2km kids challenge. We invite you to enter your child/ren into our team on the Round the Bridges website <http://www.roundthebridges.co.nz/>.

Once you are in the website click on **Enter Online**. When entering details please use your child's name and DOB otherwise the 2km option will not come up. When you get to **entry details** you will need to click **yes** for '**are you a member of a team?**' and then scroll through and click on Te Uku School. The password is **teukuschool**. The cost for the event per child is \$7.

Your child will be provided with a Te Uku School t-shirt to wear for the event. Mrs Ryks and Mrs Turilli will provide support with training and on the day. You will be expected to transport your child to and from the event.

If you have any questions please email Oli or Bev. olir@teuku.school.nz bevt@teuku.school.nz

There will be no **Muaythai Martial Arts** next Tuesday 3rd November as Ethan will be in Australia.

Classes will resume again on Tuesday 10th November.

Due Back at School

Abacus calendar order forms – Friday 30th October

Bus fees are due – Friday 6 November

Forthcoming Events

Interschool Tabloids Day – Friday 30th October, at Te Uku School for Years 1 to 4 children

School Assembly – Thursday 5th November, 9:15AM, hosted by Rooms 1 and 2

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LUNCHBOX RECIPES

SANDWICHES

Great energy to learn and play!

Keep sandwiches exciting with interesting fillings!

- peanut butter and banana
- grated apple and cinnamon
- mashed egg and lettuce

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LUNCHBOX RECIPES

MINI FRITTATAS

Try these hot or cold!

100g chopped tomatoes	2 cloves crushed garlic
1 chopped onion	4 eggs
410g canned corn kernels	1/3 C milk
	1/3 C grated Edam cheese

Divide vegetables evenly across muffin tins. Pour whisked milk and eggs over vegetables. Top with cheese and bake at 180°C for 10 minutes.

Adapted from healthyfoodguide.co.nz

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