

TE UKU SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Te Pānui o Te Kura o Te Uku 30/16

22 Mahuru 2016

Tēnā koutou e te whānau o Te Uku

Raglan Girls and Boys Agricultural Days

We have 22 children entered into our Raglan and Te Uku School Agricultural Day being held on Thursday 13th October. We hope that all of the children will also enter into the Group Day (interschool event) being held here on Saturday 15th October. Families are very welcome to attend both days, it is a special time seeing children working alongside their pets.

Kapa Haka Festival

This year a group of senior students will be going to Horotiu School to participate in the kapa haka festival. This is being held on Friday 21st October. Early next term we will be requesting help with transport. In the meantime, the group has been practising regularly supported by Shelley-Moana and the teachers.

Tabloids Day

Every year Te Uku School hosts the inter-school Tabloids Day. This is being held on Friday 28th October, starting at 9:30AM. Seven other schools take part in this event: Raglan Area, Te Mata, Waitetuna, Rotokauri, Te Kowhai, Whatawhata and Horotiu. The event is for Years 1 to 4 students who compete in a rotation of physical activities which are led by our seniors.

Project Energize Report

Today Melissa from has been here working with all of the children, in groups, to play golf. Please look at the adverts at the end of the newsletter promoting after school golf and the holiday programme.

Discovery 4 Waingaro Marae Noho



The Hangi

Through the steam we could see the boys piling the soil on top of the sacks. One by one, they did a slow red carpet walk through the swirling vapour. Jay Jay was the star attraction. Kipp had been waiting all year to be able to help with the hangi, but found that he would have to wait until he was in Year 8. And the girls? They got to wash what seemed like acres of dishes while the boys happily leaned on their shovels.

Written by Jay Jay, Cassidy, Gracie, Jade

School Holidays

We hope everyone has a relaxing break; as you will have read we have quite a few events happening to start the term. We will let you know more details about the opening of classrooms in our first newsletter after the holidays. Thanks to everyone who has supported school events and fundraising activities over the last few months. See you all back on Monday 10th October.

Ngā mihi ki a koutou,

Rachel Allan

Tamariki Touch for Year 3 - Year 8

We are delighted to announce that Tamariki Touch is starting on 28th October and will run through to 9th December (7 weeks). These touch games will be held at the Raglan Rugby Grounds on Fridays with the first round starting at 4pm. Teams and individuals can register. More info about how to register and costs coming soon. Start getting a team together. Teams can be boys only, girls only, or mixed and any ages (from Y3 - Y8).

Regards Jacqui Forbes

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Forthcoming Events

Last day of Term 3 – Friday 23rd September

First day of Term 4 – Monday 10th October

Te Uku Agricultural Day - Thursday 13th October

Group Day at Te Uku School - Saturday 15th October

Kapa Haka Festival - Friday 21st October

Tabloids Day - Friday 28th October

Flipt

Surfside Church is running their FLIPT programme for primary school age children for a second this year. This is a fun programme with games, craft and some values based teaching via DVD. The children will also receive a healthy snack on arrival. It will run once a week on a Wednesday afternoon for 5 weeks starting week 2 term 4 Wednesday 19th October until Wednesday 16th November. Start time is 3.00pm and finishing at 4.20pm when parents may collect their children. It is to be run at the Surfside Church facility at Te Uku. Parents are invited to give a Koha towards the cost of running the programme and the craft their children will bring home when they drop off or pick their children up.

Children will be supervised walking across the paddock from the school when school finishes. Only those children who have registered with the school office or Surfside Church will be brought across so the school knows who are not going on buses that day. There will be a van available to drop children to homes in Raglan after the programme. Please register with us if you require this service. Also if your child requires a booster seat please make one available. If need be you can co-ordinate getting these to us by contacting us using the numbers below.

Any enquiries to Surfside Church office on 8255199 or email info@surfside.co.nz or the FLIPT Coordinator, Janet Peart on 8255855, email janet.peart@surfside.co.nz or txt 021 1040245.

Whaingaroa Whanau Health Workshop

9.00 - 3.00 Saturday 01 October Koha Entry Old School Arts Centre \$20 Pledge Tickets from the Herbal Dispensary as space as limited (cash only). Fully refunded on arrival to workshop. Bring a plate for a shared lunch More info on Facebook

'Whaingaroa Whanau Health Workshop' event or contact Kelly 021 0484 059 Speakers Janis Beet Homeopath Bronwyn Lowe Medical Herbalist Emma Galloway Real Food Cooking Ngaronoa Renata Rongoā Dr Jennifer Hughes Local GP Come and listen to different practitioners explore preventative health measures, acute medicine, and introductions to more indepth workshops. A wonderful opportunity to meet practioners and look into our local medicine cabinet. Building a network for our communities and empowering them in the health of their families



KELLY SPORTS HOLIDAY PROGRAMME SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER 2016

Our fantastic programme is full of exciting games, sports and art & craft activities that will guarantee your children have fun in a safe environment. OSCAR/WINZ Approved

Te Totara School, Southwell School and Hamilton Girls High School
7.40am – 6.00pm

Bankwood School and Leamington School, Cambridge
8am – 6pm



SpiritRides

Spring Holiday Program

Monday, 3rd - Thursday 6th October
9.30-3.00pm
\$60/day or \$220/ 4 days

Our focus is on **Vaulting**, but you will also learn all about:

- Horse and pony care, feeding, communication and leading.
- Fun games and horse facts.
- Vaulting Fun (gymnastics on horseback).
- Pony Picnic and Farm Walk.

All in a fun and safe environment with experienced, caring staff and well schooled and friendly horses and ponies.

For children aged 5-14.
No experience needed!

Small numbers, so please book early! Please bring: Drink bottle and lunchbox, enclosed shoes, rain jacket We go ahead in any weather!



021-577117 or waitetuna@hotmail.com
www.spiritrides.website

Raglan Golf Club

AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMME



When: Wednesday's 4pm-5pm
Dates: Oct 19, 26 Nov 2, 9, 16, 23
Venue: Raglan Golf Club



Ages 7 and up
Cost \$30 (for all 6 weeks)
Equipment and resources provided

To register contact Theo
Email - raglangc@gmail.com
Phone - 07 825 8483

RAGLAN

HOLIDAY PROGRAMME



Where: Raglan Golf Club
When: October 5th, 10am-2pm
Cost: \$5



Ages 7 - 17 years

ACTIVITIES WILL INCLUDE:

- Mini Putt
- Golf Skills
- Traditional Games & MORE

To register contact Theo
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