

Te Pānui o Te Kura o Te Uku 22/18

26 Hongongoi 2018

Tēnā koutou e te whānau o Te Uku

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

Welcome back everyone. The weather is improving, my feet are more firmly under the table and I am looking forward to an exciting term ahead with everyone.

I am now in a position to share the teaching arrangements for the Y7/8 class for the remainder of the year. Lee Clarkson's last day of teaching will be at the end of Week 3 on Friday 10th August. I am pleased to announce Ali Butcher will commence teaching the Y7/8 class the following week, on Monday 13th August. Ali has a wealth of teaching experience across a range of age groups, both here in New Zealand and most recently in Australia. She is experienced in all curriculum areas, holds a Masters of Applied Linguistics, and has a passion and strength for incorporating various aspects of IT in education. Ali also has a myriad of interests outside of school that include sports and flying; however, I will leave it to her to share more about herself when she starts.

Ali will be joining us for our powhiri this Friday 27 July, so we can welcome her to Te Uku School alongside our new students. I look forward to seeing those of you who are able to join us for this special occasion, tomorrow at 9am.

Yours sincerely

Pip Mears

Principal

Early Before School Drop-Offs

We have noticed the number of children arriving at school early, is on the increase again. Unless a prior arrangement has been made, students are not to be dropped off at school before 8.30am. The exception to this rule applies to the small group of children who travel to Te Uku School on the Ohautira bus.

This time in the morning, is essential preparation time for our teachers, and does not leave them available to supervise children in and around the playground. Your understanding is very much appreciated.

2018 Book Fair – Calling for Volunteers

Whaea Catherine is on the lookout for parent volunteers to assist with the Book Fair. The Book Fair is open during the school interviews, so we need volunteers to help us out from school closing until 5.30pm on Wednesday 1st August, and until 7.30pm on Thursday 2nd August. Any time you can spare would be most appreciated!

Parent/Teacher Interviews – 2nd week Term 3

We encourage you to take the opportunity to meet with your child's teacher to discuss their learning progress and to set goals for the remaining two terms. The interview time is for 15 minutes.

Interview Dates: Wednesday 1st August (3:30 to 5:15PM)
 Thursday 2nd August (3:30 to 5:15PM)
 Thursday 2nd August (6.00 to 7:45PM)

Booking an Interview: Visit www.schoolinterviews.co.nz, enter the Event Code **ynny**. Press **GO**. Fill in your name and child's name (if you enter your email you will receive a confirmation email). Select your teacher and then select your time.

You can ring the Office (8255815) to book an interview if you are unable to do this online



Term Three Events:

Powhiri: Friday 27th July, 9.00am

Reports Due Home: Tuesday 31st July

Parent/Teacher Interviews: Wednesday 1st August and Thursday 2nd August

Next School Assembly: Thursday 2nd August, 9.15am

Next Board Meeting: Tuesday 14th August, 6:30pm

Potential NZEI Principals and Teachers Industrial Action: Wednesday 15th August (details to follow)

Te Uku School Disco: Friday 17th August 5.00pm – 6.30pm

Kids Clay Classes
Fun, creative play with clay
WINTER MAGIC



Term 3, 2018

July 30 to September 17 | 3.30-5pm | Mondays
July 31 to September 18 | 3.30-5pm | Tuesdays
August 2 to September 20 | 3.30-5pm | Thursdays

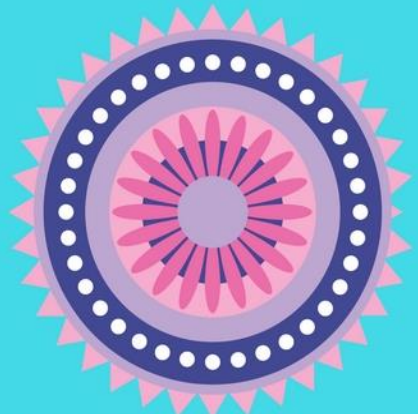
6 - 12 years old | Bookings essential
\$80 per child | \$70 for additional siblings
Includes materials and firing

Raglan Old School Arts Centre | 825 0023 | janine@raglanartscentre.co.nz



TE UKU YOGA GROUP

Mondays, 7-8.30pm
Te Uku School Hall



Yoga Based Exercises for all Levels
\$5 Koha to Te Uku School PTA

Lead by Irene from Circus Aotearoa
and Stephanie from SpiritRides
Join our FB GROUP

SKATE PARTY
this theme is your favourite
HOLLYWOOD STAR
Saturday 28th July 2018
7pm - 9pm

\$5 ENTRY INCLUDING SKATE HIRE
\$3 AMERICAN HOTDOGS
LIGHT REFRESHMENTS AVAILABLE
CASH ONLY - NO EFT-POS

HAMILTON
ROLLER SKATING CLUB
Speed
DIVISION

FUNRAISING FOR OUR SKATERS TO ATTEND
NATIONALS IN JANUARY 2019

LOCATION: MELVILLE SKATE RINK
BADER ST, HAMILTON
CONTACT US THRU FACEBOOK FOR ANY ENQUIRIES

NEW RIDERS 

REGISTER by 15th August & complete in September
GO INTO DRAW TO WIN SOME BMX GEAR helmets, gloves...

give it a Go!

Minogue Park, Moore Street, Forest Lake, Hamilton

FREE to REGISTER FOR OUR SEPTEMBER SUNDAY FUN CLUB DAYS
SUNDAY's 2nd, 9th, 16th & 23rd September 10am - 12pm
REGISTER HERE: <http://www.hamiltonbmx.co.nz/joining-bmx/new-riders-register-for-sunday-fun-club-days/>

HAMILTON BMX CLUB



Learn about BMX
Gain bike skills
Become confident on your bike & our track
For all AGES - on balance & pedal bikes
Enjoy BMX a family sport
Become part of our Wednesday Club Nights
Open Day 26th August 2018 11am - 1pm



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Waingaro School Trivia Night

on Friday 24th August 2018
at Te Akau Waingaro Complex (Te Akau Rd)
7pm Start, doors & bar open from 6.00pm
TEAMS OF 6, \$15 per person (purchase tickets at the door)
Light Supper provided & Spot Prizes throughout the night
Please register your table by Friday 17th August
by calling Lisette Wilson 07 8254970
or Fiona Sherlock 07 8254766
or email fiona@sherlockfamily.org
or Check out "Waingaro School Trivia Night" on Facebook