

KARORI NORMAL SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

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13th June 2018 – Week 7



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2018 Term Dates

Term 2 Monday 30 April – Friday 6 July
Term 3 Monday 23 July – Friday 28 Sep
Term 4 Monday 15 Oct – Thursday 20 Dec

2018 TEAMS

Kowhai – Y1 (*Team Leader James Appleton*)
Rooms 1, 4, 5, 8 & 9

Pohutukawa – Y2/3 (*Team Leader Phil McIntosh*)
Rooms 6, 7, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16 & 17

Akakura – Y4 (*Team Leader Anita Patel*)
Rooms 14, 15, 18 & 21

Kahikatea – Y5/6 (*Team Leader David Wong*)
Rooms 19, 20, 24, 25, 26, 28 & 29

Totara – Y7/8 (*Team Leader Trish Blacktop*)
Rooms 22, 23, 23A, 33, 34 & 35

Important Dates

14 Jun	School Photos
14 Jun	WZ Cross Country Y4 - 8
19 Jun	IZ Cross Country Y4 – 8 pp 21/6
20 Jun	PTA Meeting 7.30pm
3 July	Team Kahikatea Celebration Assembly 11am – 11.50am
6 July	End of Term 2

Any additional or altered dates will be highlighted in yellow each week

Quick Reminders

14 Jun	School Photos
14 Jun	WZ Cross Country Y4 - 8

Welcome

Welcome to the following new pupils: Ali ABOUSTAIT.

From the Principal

Kia Ora Koutou

Last Thursday we held our Year 4 to Year 8 cross-country. The weather conditions were very cold and wet so only those children who chose to take part came down to Karori Park and ran. I was very impressed with the determination and resilience shown by all those who competed. There were some fantastic individual performances and I was extremely proud of the efforts of all those who took part in very difficult conditions.

A huge thank you to the event organisers Anita Patel, Margaret Presland and all those parents who came along and helped on the day. Thank you also to the many parents/caregivers who came along and supported on the day. If any of you have photos of the cross-country that you would be willing to share, I would be grateful if you could email them to me at ckelly@kns.school.nz.

Vis Tab – New Sign-In and Sign-Out Procedure

From tomorrow, Thursday 14 June, we will be using a new sign-in and sign-out procedure, replacing the current paper based system. There will be a tablet at the front counter in the school office and all visitors and children signing-in late and being signed-in or signed-out during the day will use this system.

- The tablet is touch-screen and is very user friendly and the office team will provide assistance if needed.
- All children's names and room numbers have been entered onto the system so as you start typing the name, you will be able to select your child's name from the list.

Paid Union Meeting for Teachers – Tuesday 19 June Reminder

As notified in last week's newsletter the NZEI, the primary teachers' union, has called a Paid Union Meeting on Tuesday 19 June, starting at 2.00pm at the ASB Sports Centre in Kilbirnie. The attendance of the majority of our teachers at the meeting will cause logistical problems here at KNS and we are seeking the assistance of parents/caregivers to help us manage this situation. The school will remain open however, because we are expecting to have only around 12 teachers available, we are hoping that parents/caregivers will be able to; collect their children, arrange for a nominated person to collect them or give permission for their children to walk home.

Please let us know using the google form below which option you are choosing for your child:

[PUM Tuesday 19 June Google Form](#)

Whakataukī o te wiki (Proverb of the Week)

– E kore te tangata e pakiri i runga i te wai marino – A person who remains in calm waters will never get strong

A thought to share with your children:

“Persistence and resilience only come from having been given the chance to work through difficult problems.” (Gever Tulley)

Ngā Mihi

Conrad Kelly
Principal

School News

One Dance Nationals Competition

Over Queen's Birthday Weekend Annabelle Bromley from Room 21 competed in the One Dance Nationals Competition. Annabelle danced in the Under 16s and Under 11s categories competing against girls almost twice her age. Annabelle was awarded 16 first place medals, a tremendous effort! Well done, Annabelle.

School Photos- Thursday 14th June

If you would like a photo of your child, you will need to complete an envelope for each child. If you would like a family photo taken of your children you need to complete a separate 'Family Photograph Order Envelope'. These are available from the school office. Please return envelope, complete with money, to the **school office by Wednesday 13th June**. Room 8 and any future new entrant classes will have their photos taken later in the year.

Scholastic Book Club Issue 4, 2018 - due Wednesday 20th June 2018

No need to fill out the forms, **please do not return anything to the school**. You can download the app for your phone via Apple App Store or go to mybookclub.scholastic.co.nz. The cut-off date to order this issue is **Wednesday 20th May 2018**. Any queries email Julie Smart jsmart@scholastic.co.nz.

School Road Patrols

Each week we will publish the names of the two children who will be on road patrol duties for the week. Please check and ensure you know when you are on duty. This is very important. Any queries contact Andrea Peetz – apeetz@kns.school.nz.

Thursday 14 June

Friday 15 June

Monday 18 June

Tuesday 19 June

Wednesday 20 June

Sophie F R35 & Ellie C R33

Luka O R23 & Harry D R23

Millie T R23A & Susannah R23A

Tom C R34 & Shaked R23A

Callum C R33 & Manu NC R33

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FREE Dental Checks! Karori Normal School

The Bee Healthy Dental Mobile will be at your school from Monday 23 July to Friday 28 September 2018. Once seen, your child will be given a letter that will inform you of what happens next. This will be either:

- Your child requires no further appointments this year.
- Your child needs an appointment at your local Dental Hub Clinic for further care.
- Please contact us to change this appointment if required.
- Please search your child's school bag!

Your local Hub clinic is:

Selby Hub
175 A Adelaide Road
Newtown

To update your contact details or check if your child is enrolled please call our Selby Hub Clinic on **806 2801** Monday to Thursday 8.00 to 4.30pm.

To enrol your child phone **0800 826583 option 1** or to enrol online on visit www.beehealthy.org.nz

Sports News

KNS Cross Country

What an amazing morning we had down at cross country on Thursday. The weather definitely wasn't on our side, however this did not deter the students at all, but instead increased the excitement factor for the morning.

It was great to see a number of students opt into running on the day and also to see all the students prepared with warm jackets and changes of clothes.

A HUGE congratulations goes out to ALL the students who ran today, they gave it their all and never gave up and they all deserve recognition for this. The results from today are below. The top 6 boys and girls from each year level will progress through to the Western Zone Cross Country on Thursday 14th June.

To the parent helpers both on the bbq and marshalling the course, thank you, thank you thank you. You all braved the weather conditions to help provide an opportunity for all the students today and we are extremely grateful for your help and support.

Thank you also to all the parents and families that came along and supported the students throughout the day.

Thank you once again and congratulations again to all the students who participated today.

Thank you

KNS Cross Country Results 2018

Year 4 Boys			Year 4 Girls	
Name	Room	Place	Name	Room
Sam C	15	1	Sophie B	14
Zac D	14	2	Eliza A	21
Ted K	14	3	Millie C	15
Alex B	14	4	Emilia H	14
Gus L Q	15	5	Anna M	18
Oliver C	15	6	Abigail McK	14
James B	14	7	Ciara W	14
Ted H	14	8	Nina T	21

Jethro E	15	9	Violet L	14
Ethan A	14	10	Paige T	14

Year 5 Boys			Year 5 Girls	
Name	Room	Place	Name	Room
Liam B	24	1	Eva K	19
Hudson T	25	2	Paige J	25
Ben McE	29	3	Ava E	20
Silas C	28	4	Sylvie L	20
Bruno B	19	5	Lily C	25
Hugo P	28	6	Millie S	28
Nicholas J	19	7	Amara P	29
Ben W	25	8	Natalie G	20
Aidan B	26	9	Stella F	26
Alex S	25	10	Lucia C	28

Year 6 Boys			Year 6 Girls	
Name	Room	Place	Name	Room
Joe M	29	1	Giselle K	20
Oli H	19	2	Belle S	24
Adam B	20	3	Emily C	26
Oscar Q	29	4	Emily H	26
James E	28	5	Jessica C	28
Jacob G	28	6	Caitlin B	25
Harry K	28	7	Sienna M	24
Charlie L	28	8	Arabella A	25
Lincoln O'C	19	9	Gaby H	24
Michael T	28	10	Isabelle G	20

Year 7 Boys			Year 7 Girls	
Name	Room	Place	Name	Room
Alex G	23a	1	Catherine S	33
Tom Mck	34	2	Emma B	23
Zack B	35	3	Ella C	33

Ben D	35	4	Charlotte G	33
William B	22	5	Anna T	23a
Oliver G	35	6	Zara B	23
Mattias B	35	7	Georgia P	34
Thomas S	22	8	Millie M	23
James Q	34	9	Demeeka C	34
Jack D	23a	10	Sophie R	34

Year 8 Boys			Year 8 Girls	
Name	Room	Place	Name	Room
Josh C	22	1	Helena E	23a
Nathan S	35	2	Rachel B	23
Theo S	23a	3	Sabine K	35
Jacob O'D	23a	4	Emily W	34
Manu N C	33	5	Grace A	23a
Shaked B S	23a	6	Katie B	34
Luca P	35	7	Ruth M	22
Alex G	23a	8	Zoe H	35
Zeke W	35	9	Jessica H	23a
Daniel G R	22	10	Annie J	23

Western Zone Cross Country

Good luck to the following students who will be representing KNS at the Western Zone Cross Country at Karori Park on Thursday 14th June.

Anna M	William B	Sylvie L	Jacob O'D	Eva K	Josh C
Ava E	Ben D	Catherine S	Shaked B S	Oliver G	Zac D
Lily C	Millie S	Nathan S	Sophie B	Zack B	Gus L Q
Abigail McK	Oli H	Ben McE	Jacob G	Hudson T	Rachel B
Ted K	Paige J	Oscar Q	Silas C	Emily C	Zara B
Millie C	Caitlin B	Adam B	Emily H	Sam C	Joe M
Eliza A	Bruno B	Anna T	Tom McK	Giselle K	Charlotte G
Grace A	Sabine K	Liam B	Emilia H	James E	Ella C
Jessica C	Katie B	Oliver C	Hugo P	Alex B	Manu N C
Alex G	Theo S	Belle S	Emily W	Emma B	Helena E

Margaret Presland
Sports Administrator
Karori Normal School

Miniball (basketball) for Year 5/6 girls

Is your daughter in year 5 or year 6? Would she like to play miniball (basketball) starting next term?

Miniball is a pre-cursor to Basketball (slightly different rules) and it is run at the Karori Rec centre on Tuesday afternoons.

The girls will play in a league against other schools, playing against year 5/6 boys and girls.

Games are 30 minutes long and the time will change each week. The game time will be anytime from 3.30pm to 5.30pm on a Tuesday.

You don't need to have experience to join, because you learn as you play.

We need 2 more players to join our teams (first come first served).

For more information please contact Anna Bryers 021 02641259 bryersnz@gmail.com (Zoë's mum)

KNS Rimu Netball Quiz Fundraiser

The parents of the KNS Rimu Netball team are holding a quiz fundraiser on Saturday 30 June in aid of sending the team to the AIMS Games in September. Teams of 8 will compete for 1st, 2nd and 3rd prizes. Tickets are \$35 per person and include a lovely savoury and sweet food platter. There will be raffles, silent auctions and a cash bar with EFTPOS available.

Its going to be a great night with guaranteed fun and hilarity.

Email knsrimu@gmail.com for tickets letting us know if you want a full table of 8 or if you would like us to put you into a team. The quiz will be at the Karori Bridge Club with the doors opening at 6:30pm and the quiz kicking off at 7:00pm. We really appreciate your support.

PTA News

The old Entertainment Books have now expired

Get your new 2018/2019 book today!

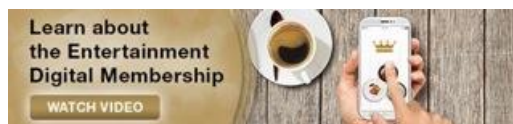
The 2017 | 2018 Entertainment Memberships expired on 1 June 2018. Please continue supporting our fundraising by purchasing the 2018 | 2019 Entertainment Membership from us today. Hundreds of great value offers are ready for your enjoyment, while also helping our fundraising! Click on this link to order:

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For more info contact : entertainmentbookkns@gmail.com or 04 4762400

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

Gala News



Gardening Stall: The gala garden stall members are about to start work and we need empty six pack plant containers. If you have any please contact Abbie at abbiemilburn@yahoo.co.uk for the address to deliver to. We are always keen for new members - no gardening experience required! Please let Abbie know if you are interested in helping out a little or a lot.



Baby and Toddler Stall 2018: Trainee Convenors Required 2018 will be Suez and Sacha's last year managing the baby and toddler stall at the KNS Gala. We would love to pass on our knowledge (and banana boxes) to one or two people who are keen to take over. The idea is that these people will work closely with us this year so that we can show them the systems that we have in place to make the sorting and setting up as easy as possible. This is a great opportunity for someone to see how things are done. We have already committed elsewhere for 2019 so will not be available to help out then.

Please email Sacha on sachabenbow@hotmail.co.uk or Suzanne on suezplum@hotmail.com if you are interested.

Community News

Due to the huge increase in Community News we have decided to only post local news

Leaders for Education scheme - I am proud to support Karori Normal School under the Leaders for Education scheme. If you or someone you know is thinking of selling your home, arrange for a free, no obligation appraisal from Martin Binks. If you sell your home with me I will make a donation of \$250 to the school. This is only available from Martin Binks at Ray White in Karori. I can be reached by e-mail at martin.binks@raywhite.com, and Ph: 022 066 3170 or 04 212 3170. Martin Binks, Licensed Real Estate Salesperson, REAA 2008, Ray White Karori

Make and Take your own Bag! Karori Boomerang Bags want to help you get prepared for Plastic Free July with a free pop-in bag making session. Come along and choose from our wonderful range of recycled fabric for your bag and straps, and one of our volunteers will assist you to make your very own bag to take home. It will be a fun day of laughter and chatter and lots of bag making.

Saturday 23rd June 10am – 4pm at the Karori Arts and Crafts Centre

For more information about Boomerang Bags and our commitment to tackling plastic pollution visit us on Facebook: Karori Boomerang Bags or come along, meet some of the team and have a chat.

Campbell Kindergarten Fundraising Movie Night - Campbell Kindergarten are holding a movie night on Thursday July 26 at Penthouse Cinema to raise money for its garden project. Get some friends together & come see Mamma Mia 2 with pre-movie treats & a chance to win fantastic spot prizes! Contact Harriet d.harriet@gmail.com for tickets (\$25).

Karori Arts and Crafts Centre School Holiday Programme - Art Classes

We have some fun and creative children’s art classes running through the school holidays to keep your kids entertained. Classes are \$40 for a half day or \$70 full day (discounts per members or 3+ days. We have Fantasy Art (10am-12.30pm July 10th) and Watercolour doodling (1pm – 4pm July 10th), Wacky Painted Sculpture (9.30am – 12.30pm or 4pm July 16th), Pop Art (9.30am – 12.30pm or 4pm July 17th) and Wild Abstract Colour- Mixed Media Painting (9.30am – 12.30pm or 4pm July 19th). Ages 6-14 years and strictly limited to 12 children per class so get in quick! Places are filling up fast.

Share your views on the needs of young families with Plunket

Plunket would like to hear your views on the needs of young families in Karori to help plan its future community services. Community services are the things Plunket does in addition to its nursing service, for example parenting education, coffee groups, and crèche or playgroup services. All community members are invited to share their views and ideas by either attending a local workshop session (below) or completing a five minute [online survey](#) (live 11-25 June). Plunket will report back to the Karori community in early August.

Karori Community Centre	Thursday 14 June	10.30 – 11.30 am 7.30 – 8.30 pm
	Monday 18 June	7.30 – 8.30 pm
	Tuesday 19 June	1.00 – 2.00PM
Karori West School, Staff Room	Tues 19 June	7.30 – 8.30 PM

More information: visit [Plunket’s website](#) or the Karori Plunket Facebook page



PRIDE LANDS FUN HOLIDAY ADVENTURES

WINTER HOLIDAYS AT OTARI SCHOOL AND BERHAMPORE SCHOOL

Dates: July 9th – 20th 2018 from 7.00am-7pm daily.

Fees: Daily \$81/cub per session or \$148 for two or more siblings per session; Weekly: \$239 per cub/week or \$449 for two or more siblings/week.

Discounts/Funding Available: Wild Card (15%) off across all our services and MSD approval providing WINZ Subsidies for eligible families.

Social Development: Interactive Activities and NO TV or Video Games
Kai Cubs Cooking and Life Skills Programme designed to teach our children how to prepare Healthy Breakfast, Lunch and Afternoon Teas.

Qualified 1st Aid Trained Activities Coordinators

One-on-One Care: Available for cub(s) if extra support is needed.

SHUTTLE SERVICES (with booster seats) AVAILABLE

Please contact us: 0800 PRIDE 4 U Or Register online: www.pridelands.org.nz or
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