

KARORI NORMAL SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

Donald Street, Karori

Newsletter No. 27 – Term 3
2nd September 2020 – Week 7



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2020 Term Dates

Term 3 Monday 20 Jul – Friday 25 Sept

Teacher Only Day – Friday 21 August

Term 4 Monday 12 Oct – Wednesday 16 Dec

Teacher Only Day – Friday 13 November

2021 Term Dates

Term 1 Thursday 4 Feb – Friday 16 Apr

Term 2 Monday 3 May – Friday 9 Jul

Term 3 Monday 26 Jul – Friday 1 Oct

Term 4 Monday 18 Oct – Thursday 16 Dec

2020 TEAMS

Rōpū Kōwhai – Y1 (Team Leader Lisa Hadfield)
Rooms 6, 7, 9, 10, 12 & 13

Rōpū Mānuka – Y2 (Team Leader Pam Carr)
Rooms 14, 15, 16 & 17

Rōpū Pōhutukawa – Y3 (Team Leader Phil McIntosh)
Rooms 1, 2, 4 & 5

Rōpū Akakura – Y4 (Team Leader Fiona Campbell)
Rooms 22, 23 & 23A

Rōpū Kahikatea – Y5/6 (Team Leader David Wong & Anne-Marie Richardson)
Rooms 18, 19, 20, 21, 33, 34 & 35

Rōpū Totara – Y7/8 (Team Leader Trish Blacktop & Laura Brennan)

Important Dates

Sep 8 Reg Cross Country pp 10 Sep

Sep 8 WZ Hockey pp 10 Sep

Sep 9 Year 3 ASB Sports Trip

Sep 9 BOT Meeting 6.30pm

Sep 17 IZ Swimming

Sep 22 Te Rā Ahurea

Sep 24 Inter Reg Cross Country

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

Welcome

Welcome to the following new pupils: Minh Nguyen and Jireh Lee.

From the Principal

Tēna koutou te whānau

Yesterday was the first day of Spring however, today it feels like Winter is still trying to hang on. It's been great to see the children taking advantage of the increased playground space created by the demolition of the Old Administration Block. At the moment we're also staggering our breaktimes to enable more physical distancing while we remain at Alert Level 2. This means that only two teams are outside at the same time at breaktimes, this is also creating more space for the children.

You may have noticed that we have an Emergency Defibrillator, located near the Donald St entrance to the Administration Block. Should you ever need to use the defibrillator, dial 111, to get the pin number to enable you to open the storage box. Many thanks to those organisations who have supported and sponsored the distribution of defibrillators throughout the greater Wellington Area.

Huge congratulations to Eve and Zoe Ensor, who organised a bake sale on Donald St a couple of weeks ago. The girls raised \$86 which has been donated to the SPCA. It's great to see our children taking action to support the SPCA.

As always if you have any concerns or need support please contact one of the Senior Leadership Team:

- Conrad Kelly ckelly@kns.school.nz
- Andrea Peetz apeetz@kns.school.nz
- James Appleton jappleton@kns.school.nz

Just a reminder that while everyone is onsite at Alert Level 2, we must adhere to key health measures including:

- Good hand hygiene and cough and sneeze etiquette
- Staying away if sick
- Keeping the appropriate physical distance from others
- Cleaning and disinfecting our high touch surfaces daily
- Displaying QR code posters at our entrances and encouraging all of our community to download the NZ COVID Tracer App and use it if they come onsite
- Keeping a visitor register for anyone who cannot use the app and for other visitors who come onsite for a period of time.

2021 Term Dates

Please find below the Term Dates for 2021, these have been agreed with other local schools.

- Term 1: Thursday 4 February – Friday 16 April
- Term 2: Monday 3 May – Friday 9 July
- Term 3: Monday 26 July – Friday 01 October
- Term 4: Monday 18 October – Thursday 16 December

Whakataukī o te wiki (Proverb of the Week)

He iti hau marangai e tū te pāhokahoka Just like a rainbow after the storm, success follows failure.

A thought to share with your children:

“Do not judge me by my successes, judge me by how many times I fell down and got back up again.” (Nelson Mandela)

Ngā Mihi

Conrad, Andrea and James

School News

Scholastic Book Club - due Thursday 3rd September 2020, 3pm

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 **Thursday 3rd September 2020, 3pm**. Any queries email Julie Smart jsmart@scholastic.co.nz.

Onesie Day

This Friday, 4th September, KNS will be celebrating Onesie Day.

We have organised to fundraise for the Wellington Free Ambulance by asking students to wear a onesie (or other dress-up) to school on Friday and bring along a gold coin donation.

We would appreciate your support and we are looking forward to seeing some colourful and fun onesies around school on Friday.

Ngā mihi,

The Year 7/8 Charities Team

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 – apectz@kns.school.nz.

Thursday 3 Sep

Friday 4 Sep

Monday 7 Sep

Tuesday 8 Sep

Wednesday 9 Sep

Ella H Rm 29 & Rhiannon S Rm 28

Paige T & Tara W Rm 35

Sophie B & Xanthe M Rm 35

Santiago LT & Nicholas W Rm 21

Nicolas S & Noa NC Rm 29

Sports News

Inter Zone Cross Country Results

Congratulations to the following students that competed in the inter zone cross country last week. KNS is so proud of all your effort. It was great to see the determination out there even with the last minute changes to the event due to Level 2 restrictions.

Emile P	Year 4	Flynn B	Year 5/6	Adam B	Year 7/8
Isla D	Year 4	Lucia F	Year 5/6	Liam B	Year 7/8
Jasper C	Year 4	Sam C	Year 5/6	Silas C	Year 7/8

Ryan C	Year 4	Lucy R	Year 5/6	James E	Year 7/8
Wilder C	Year 4	Caitlin F	Year 5/6	Giselle K	Year 7/8
Charlie K	Year 4	Cassia W	Year 5/6	Pita GR	Year 7/8
Mila B	Year 4	Alex B	Year 5/6	Joe M	Year 7/8
Rayne OD	Year 4	Henry E	Year 5/6	Oscar Q	Year 7/8
		Ollie C	Year 5/6	David R	Year 7/8
		Adelaide P	Year 5/6	Ben M	Year 7/8
		Millie C	Year 5/6		
		Vinnie M	Year 5/6		
		Alexander M	Year 5/6		
		Ben W	Year 5/6		
		Eliza A	Year 5/6		
		Sophie B	Year 5/6		

PSW Invitational Cross Country Race

Congratulations to the following students who placed in the top 10 at the inter zone cross country. KNS is very proud of you all. Good luck to the children below who will be attending the Primary Sport Wellington Invitational Cross Country Race for Year 5-8. A special congratulations to our Year 4 Boys Charlie K and Emile P who finished in the top 10 at inter zone cross country but unfortunately won't be able to compete at Regionals this year due to the restrictions at Level 2 again changing the format for these races.

Sophie B	Ben M
Giselle K	Liam B
Henry E	Joe M
Flynn B	Adam B
Sam C	James E

The PSW invitational cross country race for Year 5-8 will be held on **Tuesday 8th September**, pp Thursday 10th September at Grenada North Park. A friendly reminder to the families involved that the entry form for these races needs to be completed by Friday 4th September.

KNS Sports Shirts

Please return any KNS sports tops to the office in Tui Block. There is a blue washing basket the shirts can be returned to. We need these shirts ASAP.

UPCOMING DATES

Outlined below are the upcoming Term 3 Western Zone event dates to be aware of. In the meantime if you have any questions please contact apatel@kns.school.nz.

TERM 3				
	EVENT	DATE	PP DATE	VENUE
REGIONAL	Cross Country	8 September	10 September	Grenada North Park
WGNT & KAPI MANA PRIMARY & INTERMEDIATE SCHOOLS TOURNAMENT	Tennis- Girls	15th September	18 September	Renouf Tennis Centre
WGNT & KAPI MANA PRIMARY & INTERMEDIATE SCHOOLS TOURNAMENT	Tennis- Boys	16 September	17 September	Renouf Tennis Centre
INTER-REGIONAL	Cross Country	24 September		Harcourt Park

Mrs Anita Patel
Sports Administrator

Gala News

3D Style

- Made with 2 contrasting layers of tight weave 100% cotton fabric
- Ear loops are adjustable and are soft stretchy jersey cotton fabric - comfy on your ears

* Non medical grade. No removable filters



Sizes

- Small - young child
- Medium - child
- Large - adult / teenager
- X Large - large adults

Pricing

- 1 Single = \$15
- Mixed Bundles
- 3 for \$40
- 4 for \$53
- 5 for \$65
- 6 for \$78
- 8 for \$100
- 10 for \$120

Fabrics

- Adults - Patterns / Plain Darks / or Mixture
- Children - Girls / Boys / Neutral



Handmade Face Masks Available to Order Now!



Handmade by KNS Gala Craft Team

Mixed Bundles -When ordering please specify:

1. Number and sizes of masks required
2. General fabric style required (not specific fabrics sorry). Please choose:
 - For Adults - Patterns / Plain Darks /or Mixture
 - For children - Girl / Boy / or Neutral

Find us on Facebook to order @Handmade in Karori (www.facebook.com/handmadeinkarori)



KNS will be running an adult's and children's clothes pop-up in due course.

If you have some great quality used clothes, shoes, bags, accessories (the quality/style that people would pay for) please drop them off in the school office foyer OR adults on the door step of 40 Chamberlain Road OR childrens 31 Kano Street (open the sliding gate and leave by the door of)

(No ripped, soiled, tired or damaged items please.)

PTA News

Disco sadly cancelled

Kia ora koutou, the KNS PTA is very sad to let you know that our school disco won't be going ahead this year due to the continuation of Level 2 and the lack of certainty about when that might end. Your kids will be as disappointed as we are so hug them very tight!

If you would like your child's ticket fee refunded into your Kindo account for use on a future purchase, please email kns.pta@gmail.com by **Wednesday 2 September** setting out your child's name and room number.

Alternatively, if it is possible for you, please consider donating your ticket price to KNS for use on extra resources for our kids. This would be greatly appreciated, particularly given the cancellation of many of this year's other key fundraising efforts, including the gala. You do not need to do anything to make this happen. If we do not hear from you by Wednesday 2 September, we will donate your ticket to KNS.

A big thanks to MC Cam, DJ Max, Ani Prasad, Metro Lighting, Karori New World and all our fantastic parent volunteers for your continuing support of the disco. We are looking forward to running it in 2021 when, with any luck, nothing will get in the way of Karori's most epic beach party ;)

Thea Wallace and the KNS PTA

Upcoming events



LUNCH IS ON US!

STAFF APPRECIATION DAY

To show our KNS staff how much we appreciate them, parents are providing them with morning tea and lunch on **Friday 18 September**.

Please sign up to bring food or help with playground or kitchen duty at:

<http://https://www.slottr.com/sheets/18253808>

Click on the link under this poster.

Please sign up here:
<https://www.slottr.com/sheets/18253808>

Fundraisers



RAFFLE FUNDRAISER

Buy your ticket to go into the draw to win!

1st Prize
Signed
PHOENIX
FC 2020
Jersey

2nd Prize
Cap, Key ring,
Flag & Tote Bag



COST: 1 ticket \$5
PRIZE DRAWN: Friday 4th September 2020
Buy your tickets online at Kindo
(<https://shop.tgcl.co.nz/shop/>)
KNS receive all proceeds from this raffle



Karori Normal School WINE FUNDRAISER

Karori Normal School's Parent Teacher Association is fundraising to buy a range of learning resources for the school. Funds raised will help with the teachers' wishlist to help bring out the best in our tamariki.

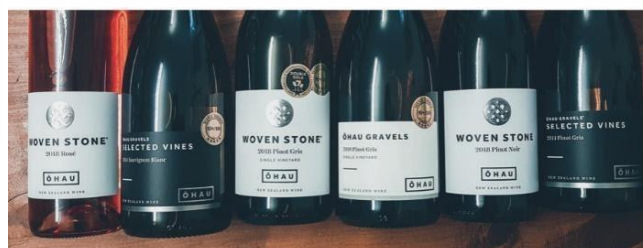
Ohau Wines is helping us raise money through the sale of their award-winning wines. For every six-pack purchased online, Ohau Wines will donate \$10 to the PTA.

As a supporter, you will receive a discount on your order and free delivery within New Zealand!

Follow these four simple steps:

- 1.) Visit the Shop page at www.ohauwines.co.nz.
- 2.) Make your wine selection and proceed to check out.
- 3.) Enter the promotional code word below, before proceeding to payment.
- 4.) Receive wine, and enjoy!

DISCOUNT CODE WORD: **KNS2020**



Yummy Fruit Stickers

Thank you to everyone who has been collecting yummy stickers off their fruit. When your sticker sheets are full, please return them to the school office. We will be collecting until **mid-September**. The School Office has spare collection sheets for the "New Variety" and regular apple stickers. You can also print them from <https://www.yummyfruit.co.nz/schools/>

If you have just joined KNS, this is a great fundraiser where we can trade yummy stickers in for new sports equipment from DG Sport. Last year KNS earned over \$2200 worth of new gear from our sticker collecting, so it is well worth doing. Let's see if we can top that this year!

You can buy "Yummy" apples at New World, Pak'n Save, Four Square and some Countdown stores, and put the "Yummy" stickers or bag labels on a collection sheet. Collect either cut-out labels from the bags, or stickers on individual fruit. If you buy 'Ambrosia', 'Sweet Tango' or 'Lemonade' apples, you can use the "New Variety" sticker sheets and get **double** points. Happy munching!

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Together we can make a difference.



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\$24 towards our fundraising goal
That's \$14 + an extra \$10^

Purchase a **1 year Multi City Membership** for **\$119.99** and our fundraiser receives...

\$44 towards our fundraising goal
That's \$24 + an extra \$20^

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\$66 towards our fundraising goal
That's \$46 + an extra \$20^



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