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Welcome to Week 3 / Term 3 - Monday 6th August 2018

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Oh my goodness - who is that inside the Bee Keepers suit?
Thanks Finley for showing that to us. You look cool!

Dreams are Free

Kia Ora whānau,

This years topic for our speech competition is 'Dreams are Free'. I have had the pleasure of roaming some of the rooms and talking with the children about their speeches and getting a first hand look at the topics they have chosen. What I can tell you is that there are going to be some great speeches this year.

When I heard about the topic it got me thinking. I started to ponder whether 'Dreams are Free' or not. I spoke to some of our tamariki about this as well. The conclusion I have drawn from my own wonderings and from my discussions with them is, yes - dreams are free, but to achieve the dream there will be a cost. This will come in the form of effort, time, sweat, failure, financial and hopefully success.

I love the fact that we are able to dream. In fact I remember the 2015 Cricket World Cup had a campaign running that was being lead by ANZ called Dream Big. So many of us were caught up in the ride that we were taken on in that campaign that I am sure we all Dreamed Big.

Our job as educators and parents is encourage our tamariki to dream - to dream big, to reach for the stars. Our challenge is to prepare and equip them with the skills that will allow them to achieve their dream. How exciting is that? I can't think of any better place to be than right here, where we are able to work with our children in helping them one day achieve their dream.



Ngā mihi nui
Darryn Ward

PRIDE CUP WINNERS

The winners for the PRIDE cups last week were:

Kowhai - Amelia Rothschild-Stewart
Rimu - Sophie Robinson
Manuka - Boaz Carr-Brooks
Kahikatea - Amelia Hutchison
Kauri - Katie Gilsenan
Totara - Sophie Ward Martin



Golden
gumboot
winner is...
Kauri

Giga's Quote of the Week!



A dream doesn't become reality through magic; it takes sweat, determination and hard work.

Colin Powell

BrainyQuote

School Closure Due to Strike Action

Please read carefully the notice below from Sabrina Ilett, Board of Trustees Chairperson:

Kia Ora koutou,

I am sure you are all aware of the recent developments in regards to the possibility of strike action from teachers.

All of our teachers at North Loburn are members of NZEI and the decision for them to strike for a full day on Wednesday 15th has been agreed. Therefore on behalf of the BOT, I am writing to inform you that we will be closing the school for instruction ALL DAY on the 15th August.

As a Board, we fully support our teachers.

Whilst the union are still in mediation with the Government, we will of course keep you updated with any progress or change.

*Kia Ora rawa atu
Many thanks,*

*Sabrina Ilett
BOT Chair*



IT'S TIME YOUR CHILDREN HAD THE EDUCATION THEY DESERVE

You send your children to school to help set them up for life. Yet, schools are facing a teacher shortage crisis, with a 40% drop in people training to be teachers; and a growing number of school-aged children. Schools are struggling to find enough staff to teach our children.

There is also a desperate need for more support for children with additional learning needs. There just aren't enough teachers to give your kids the education they deserve.

WHAT WE ARE CAMPAIGNING FOR?

- * More teachers – so your kids can get more attention
- * More resources/staff to support children with additional learning needs
- * A pay jolt to salaries for teachers to address the teacher shortage – so that your children will have a teacher in the future

SHOW YOUR SUPPORT!

Let your teachers know you support them and join in campaign activities at your local school.

School Photos

Don't forget that our school photos are being held on Tuesday this week. For 2018 we have made the decision to go with a different provider for our photos. We will be working with Heritage Photos this year. We are looking forward to working with them and seeing the end results. Please remember that if you would like sibling photos that you need to email the office by the 6th August. The list of the names will be collated and handed to the photographer first thing in the morning. These photos will be taken first.

Remembering Tyler Walker

Thank you very much to the families who have dropped off food for the Walker family over the past week. They really appreciated this kind offer. We would like to continue to support the Walker family in this way so if you are able to offer a meal or any baking that can be frozen, that would be much appreciated. Please drop it into the office and we will collect it in our school freezers and deliver to the family at the end of the week.

Tyler's book will remain in the office this week also, so if you would like to write a message in it please feel free to call in and do so. Thank you.

Year 3 and 4 Miniball

Last week all Year 3 and 4 parents were emailed information regarding miniball. If your child is interested in playing in a school team after school, please fill in the relevant online form by **Wed 8th August**.

For North Loburn School to be able to enter a team we need 8 players, plus a coach and a manager. If you did not receive this form please contact Anne Hughes anne.hughes@northloburn.school.nz



Beeswax Wraps

As part of our study on Bees we have all the children working to make Beeswax wraps. These are an enviro friendly resource that are great for wrapping food for lunch. We are asking all children to please bring a **gold coin** to school to help cover the cost of these wraps. The money can be given to your child's teacher.

No School Assembly 17th August

Please note there will be **NO school assembly on Friday 17th August** as our senior class will be making their Beeswax wraps on that afternoon.

I would like to acknowledge the great number of parents that attended the school assembly last week. It is lovely be able to celebrate our students each week at these assemblies and to see the support we get from our parents through their attendance.

Teacher Only Day

A reminder that **Friday 24th August is a Teacher Only Day**. The staff will be spending the day working on developing a new writing rubric for use with our students. This is an important tool for helping our students understand their next steps in writing.

Kapa Haka Festival

This event will include a showcase of cultural performances, visual art exhibition and wearable art pageant. This is a wonderful opportunity for our tamariki to experience and perform at the Horncastle Arena.

For those of you who have Year 4 to 8 children attending this festival on 6th September below are a few reminders:

When: Thursday 6th September

Where: Horncastle Arena, Christchurch

Who : Year 4 to 8 pupils who have opted to take part in this festival

Time: We will expect our performers to be there by 5.40pm. They will need to be ready to go back stage by 5.50pm. Concert start time is 6.45pm. Others will need to be seated by 6.30pm.

Tickets: If your child is performing they will **not** need a ticket. If you ordered tickets through the school these will be issued in Week 4. Those who did will be seated together. We are the second school to perform on the night. Once our children have finished their item they will be seated reasonably near you in specially allocated seats. **If you did not order tickets through the school, and wish to do so, these will now need to be ordered direct through ticketek.**

<http://premier.ticketek.co.nz/shows/show.aspx?sh=CULTURAL18>

More information will be sent out closer to the time.

Rehearsal: All the pupils who are involved will be attending a rehearsal on the 6th September. We will be using a bus to take them to the arena on Thursday morning. You will be charged \$8.50 for this. Please expect this on your account. Pupils will be given the option of going home at lunchtime so they are fresh for the evening performance.

If you have any further queries please contact Anne Hughes.



Mini Toy and Book Sale

Tara Bassett is running a mini toy and book sale at school on Thursday lunchtime. Please bring some loose change to school to purchase something. All proceeds from the sale will be going to the SPCA.

Uniform Sale - \$1

The rack of \$1 uniforms that were being sold on Friday after the assembly is going to remain in the hall until the end of the week. The uniforms on this rack are now available for free until the end of the week. Those that remain at the end of the week will then be donated to a worthy cause.

I would like to thank the Home & School group for arranging this sale of uniforms for us.

Garden to Table

We are running Garden to Table for the first time in Term 3 this year, which means we can get our vegetable seeds ready for spring planting. Last week Rimu enjoyed sowing seeds and will watch them germinate in their classroom.

We would welcome any donated seeds and seedlings, as well as large plastic trays for putting our seed pots and punnets on.

Young Gardener of the Year 2018 *(Repeated from last week)*

If your child loves getting their hands dirty, nurturing plants and enjoying the fruit of their hard work, they should enter the Young Gardener of the Year 2018 competition.

You will need to answer questions that let the judges know what you love about gardening, what you're proud of and what the best thing you have ever grown is.

If this is something your young gardener would be interested in entering, please let Mrs Webb know and she'll get you an entry form.

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*An injury waiver may require a signature on
purchase of the card.*

Bus Safety and Parking

Recently I received an email from the Ministry of Education Transport Advisor asking all schools to remind their parents of the legal speed limit when passing school buses. The limit is 20km/hr at any time you are passing a school bus.

I would also like to remind our families about parking at the front of the school. If you are dropping children off and leaving your vehicle then please park closest to the fence. If you are simply dropping off and not leaving your vehicle please use the outside lane. I would also like to remind you that parking across the road is illegal as they are yellow lines. Your support in parking safely is appreciated.

Pita Pit Lunches - Thursdays

Don't forget that we are still offering the Pita Pit lunches on a Thursday. These can be purchased through the Lunch Online system.

<https://www.lunchonline.co.nz/>

We have been getting good numbers of orders so thanks for taking part. All orders need to be made by 9am on the Thursday of each week.



School Open Day

We are planning an **Open Day on Thursday 23rd August**. This will be an opportunity for us to share and celebrate our learning with our community. More details on the actual format of this event will be shared with you in the next newsletter. Please pop this date aside.



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Orders and payment must be in by Friday 17th August 2018. Please fill in the form below and return to Loburn School, 73 Hodgsons Road, Loburn R.D.2 Rangiora 7472.

Please make cheques payable to Loburn School.

Rearing your chicks

1. Before your chicks arrive make sure that you have somewhere to rear them. This must be clean, dry, warm, free from draughts and safe from animals (ferrets, cats and dogs).
2. The optimum temperature is 35°C reducing this by two to three degrees each week. At six weeks your chicks can do without artificial heat.
3. Heat can be provided by an infra-red light (lamb rearing light) or by an ordinary light bulb of 25 to 40 watts suspended 20 to 30 centimetres above the chickens.
4. The chickens let you know how they are feeling by their behaviour. If they huddle together or/and cheep loudly they are too cold.
5. Food- "Chick Pex" available from the Rangiora New World supermarket in 2 kg bags or from The Feed Shack, Newnham Street, Rangiora. They will eat approximately 1 kg per chicken before they go on to "Grower Pellets" at 6 to 8 weeks.
6. Water- the chicks need a fresh supply of water available to them at all times. It should not be too cold. Make sure they know how to get a drink by gently dipping their beaks in the water when they first arrive.
7. It is best to have food and water available at all times. Self-feeding hoppers can be made from an inverted tin or plastic bottle with a hole low on the side, in a dish or cut down ice-cream container.
8. In the past we have been advised by the hatchery to keep the chickens in the dark for the first 12-24 hours to allow their eyes to mature. Keeping them in a cardboard box in the hot-water cupboard is suitable, but it is very important that they are kept warm enough at this stage. If your cupboard is not warm enough (35°C) put them straight under the warming light.
9. The chicks need to be kept warm day and night for approximately four weeks. At this stage they can be put outside on warm days as long as they are safe from cats and dogs. They will need to be put back under their light/heater at night. At 6 weeks they can be left outside night and day with protection from cold, rain, and animals (ferrets, cats and dogs). Straw and hay can keep them warm for the first few nights, or at this stage you may need to teach them to perch by lifting them up on to perches at dusk.

DAY OLD CHICKS

I would like to order _____ pullet chickens @ \$4.60per bird = \$ _____

I would like to order _____ pullet chickens @ \$5.75per bird = \$ _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Numbers: (Home) _____

(Mobile) _____

Email address: _____

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North Loburn School - Calendar for August / September

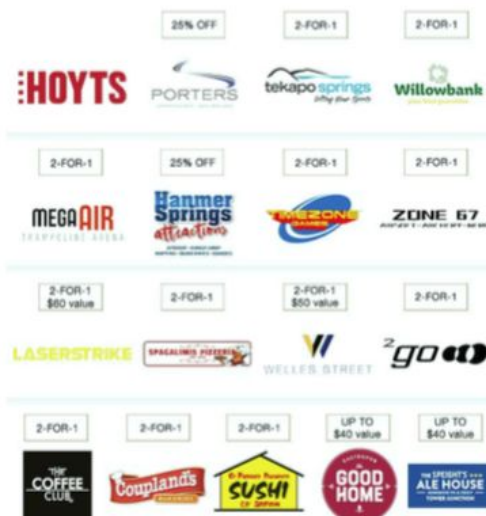
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
6 / 8 Kapa Haka Y2-6 swimming	7 / 8 School photos Band 12:30 BOT meeting	8/8 Year 7 and 8 tech	9/8	10/8 Enviro leaders
13/8 Kapa Haka Y2-6 swimming	14/8 Beeswax visitor Band 12:30 ICAS maths	15/8 Proposed Strike Day Year 7 and 8 tech Sports coaches	16/8 GTT Kah	17/8 Beeswax visitor
20/8 Kapa Haka Y2-6 swimming	21/8 Band 12:30	22/8 Year 7 and 8 tech Canta Maths Y7/8 ChCh	23/8 Proposed School Open Day - a celebration of learning (More info to come)	24/8 TEACHER ONLY DAY
27/8 Kapa Haka Y2-6 swimming	28/8 Y4-8 in class speech finals	29/8 ODT current events quiz Y7-8 tech Sports coaches Y4-8 in class speech finals	30/8 GTT Manuka	31/8 Junior in class speeches Enviro schools
3/9 Kapa Haka Y2-6 swimming	4/9 Y4-8 speech finals	5/9 Y0-3 Speech showcase 9am Year 7 and 8 Tech	6/9 Kapa Haka rehearsal 8-11:45 Kapa Haka Performance 6:45 - 9	7/9 Enviro schools



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Cardholder's Name: _____ Signature: _____

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Emily Ilett - I am 14 years old. Ex NLS student, now available for local babysitting. Please call or text me on 027 3927111. Thank you.

Callum Burgess. 16yrs old in September. Very reliable, trustworthy responsible young man. Have younger siblings of my own so come with plenty of experience. Ex NLS student. Can do long or short hours, day or night. Capable cook, happy playing games or reading bedtime stories, anything that is required. Available after school. Phone 312 8485 or text 027 2255123.

Mucking Out

Do you need a hand or a break from mucking out your horse's paddock? Call **Emma Yardley**, I'm 15 years old, wanting part time work to support my fur friends. A loyal, trustworthy and conscientious worker with a love/passion for animals, especially horses. Currently home-schooled and volunteer at Mini Ha Ha Horse Haven. Transport available. Contact cell 021 2022929 or home 312 8245.

Chinese Children's Songs and Dance Lessons

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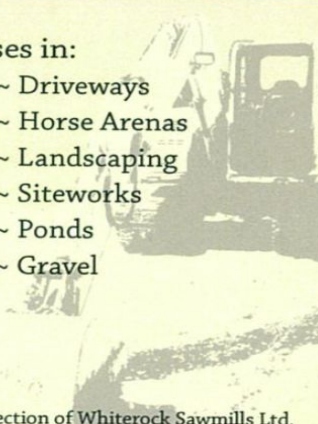
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