



NORTH LOBURN SCHOOL WEEKLY NEWS

Vision: To nurture well-rounded citizens of the future with a lifelong passion for learning.

Good luck to all of those children presenting their speeches in class this week.



Welcome to Week 5 / Term 3 2017 - Monday 21st August

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Practice makes perfect - well done to all our performers. You were great.

A Real Sense of Pride

In watching the Kapa Haka performance on Friday night I could not help but feel a huge sense of pride for every one of the children on stage. This was a massive undertaking from everyone involved, but even more so for our students who were stepping out into the unknown.

For many of these children, putting their hand up to give this a go was a massive step out of their comfort zone. I am sure they are now feeling proud of themselves for they certainly did not look out of place on the stage. They were a very tight group - efficient and confident. A lot of the credit for this has to go to Maaka, Norm and Michelle who have been training our children throughout the year. The fact that both Maaka and Norm were involved in a number of the performances is testament to how lucky we are to have them working with our children.

Of course, for an activity like this there are always many people who are working behind the scenes to get the children ready. To everyone who had been involved in this event - thank you. Thank you for the support, thank you for the time you have given, thank you for the skills you have shared.



Our school vision talks about nurturing well-rounded citizens of the future. Activities such as the cultural festival are all a key player to us being able to deliver this vision. Our children will benefit from having been part of such an event. I am sure we are now all looking forward to next year's festival.

Ngā mihi nui, *Darryn Ward*

PRIDE CUP WINNERS

The winners for the PRIDE cups last week were:

Kowhai - Aleah Edwards
Rimu - Lily Tooley
Manuka - Bria Malone
Kahikatea - Ben Whittaker
Kauri - Gibson Burt
Totara - Regi Upston



Well done to
Kahikatea -
last week's
winner

Giga's Quote of the week!



Don't say
"There's still time"
or
"Maybe next time"
Because there's also
the concept of
"It's too late"

Izzy - Trip to the Ambulance Station

On Friday 11th August, Sam and Izzy went to the Ambulance Station in Rangiora. We met two Ambulance Officers - Sean and Jack. We were excited to find out that Sean is Connor and Taylor Lester's Dad! We sat in the ambulance and had our hearts and oxygen checked. We went on the stretcher and saw the flashing lights. They gave us a big first aid kit that looks like an ambulance for school.

They also gave us lego ambulances.

Thank you Sean and Jack
for showing us around and
telling us what you do.
We had a great time.



Daffodil Day - Friday 25th Mufti Day

Hello Everyone,

On Friday 25th August it is daffodil day which raises awareness for all those who are affected by Cancer. I am organising a special mufti day where everyone has to wear something yellow and give a good coin donation. Each child will get a sticker or you can give a little bit extra for a daffodil. I will also run an optional colouring competition. Did you know that \$50 raised helps families get counselling and \$100 goes towards helping schools be SunSmart. This is really important to me and everyone at North Loburn as we support Mrs Connelly.

Arohanui
Lucy Ilett



North Loburn School - Ashley Fun Run

Only 14 days until the North Loburn School Ashley Fun Run is here. The event on 3rd September will be upon us before we know it.

But before we can sound the start horn we **need you!!**



We are still looking for help with the event and for as many people as possible to register and give it a go. If you have not registered then please do so. Get on the phone and ask your friends to join you.

This is a wonderful fundraiser for our school so please come along and support our school.

There are still a number of areas where help is needed. These include:

- more volunteers including senior students who could be at the 2km and 5km turn around points or at the finish line helping.
- a few parents to assist with car parking, or on the gate parents or helping in the registration tent. These people can still do the Fun Run.
- The BBQ will be running and some helpers would be appreciated here.
- **Spot Prizes are required for the runners.** These can be dropped into the school
- Entries -we need entries. **Please spread the word and get your friends and families together.**

In regards to the SPOT PRIZES - we would really appreciate each family donating an item. There is a box in the staff room where these can be handed in.

For more information on this event you can visit the school webpage and go to the Events Info tab under What's on, or go to <https://hikingnewzealand.com/north-loburn-fun-run/>

NORTH LOBURN SCHOOL

ASHLEY FOREST FUN RUN & WALK

2km, 5km or 10km Run/Walk
& 21km Run

3RD 10am start
SUNDAY
2017 SEPTEMBER

Cost \$25/adult, \$10/child
(\$50 family concession available)

Entries received on the day add \$10/person

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www.northloburn.school.nz



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Home & School

Reusable Bags

All school fundraising for the reusable bags are now due in, thanks to all who helped and contributed. A massive thank you to Victoria who has spent many hours organising this fundraiser.

Hot Lunches

Next Friday will be the last of the hot lunches for this year. A big thank you to Tanya Huffadine for all her work in organising and also thank you to all parent helpers who came along to help out.

From the Principal

On behalf of the school, I would like to acknowledge the effort that has gone into fundraising this year by the Home & School group. We are extremely fortunate to have a very dedicated and creative group of parents who are working hard to provide extra funds for our school. The money they raise each year is instrumental in helping us provide the resources and the learning programmes that we do at the moment. Many thanks to all of the Home & School members for the endless hours of extra work that you put in.



Garden to Table

We have kindly been donated some fruit trees for our Orchard - an Apple Tree from Garden to Table and a Black Boy Peach and a Quince tree from Loburn School. These will be a great addition to our garden and we look forward to seeing them grow and bearing us some fruit.

A big thank you to some of our school helpers and particularly the senior pupils, Jayden, Tom, Ranger and Liam for digging the holes and planting them in the ground.

Rachel Walters



Production Update

Time is certainly racing along with our production. The classes are all at various stages with their own scripts. I have had the pleasure of reading these and they are certainly very good.

YET

Our leads have been working on their lines and practising together. The stage has been erected over the weekend. A very big thank you to Garrick Ilett, Jake Hassall and Andrew Stewart for their work in doing this.

Tickets for the production will be on sale from Week 7. They will be \$5 per ticket for the evening performances and a gold coin donation for the matinee. The dates for performances are 19, 20 and 21 of September.

We are all very excited about bringing the production to you and seeing lots of faces in the audience. More information about the tickets will come out soon.

Kowhai Second Hand Toy Sale - Thank you

Thank you to those people who supported our second hand toy sale. We raised over \$55 which will be used to purchase some new toys for our sandpit.



As you know we end each day with 20 minutes of Jump Jam in the hall. With the colder weather being around this has been a great way to warm up and finish our day. We have a large group of children who are the leaders for Jump Jam. It is great seeing the enthusiasm they show in helping the rest of the school perfect their moves.

If you are looking for something to do just before school ends please come along and join us. We are always happy to see parents jamming along with us.

Our HAPPY jump jam team have been working hard on perfecting their routine as they work up to performing at the Nationals in Auckland in October. This group are very talented and are coming along very well under the watchful eye of Miriam McCaleb.

Again, we have a great group of parents who are supporting this event by organising costumes, transport and fundraising. Thank you again for your support.

North Loburn School - Calendar for August / September

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
21/8 Kapa Haka Y2-6 swimming	22/8 Y7/8 tech (new programme - full day)	23/8 Y7/8 tech (new programme -half day) Cantamaths	24/8	25/8 Friday Assembly Scholastic Bookclub Due Daffodil Day
28/8 Kapa Haka Y2-6 swimming	29/8 Y7/8 tech (new programme - full day)	30/8 Y7/8 tech (new programme -half day) Current events quiz	31/8 Y4-8 speech 1-3	1/9 Friday Assembly
4 / 9 Kapa Haka Y2-6 swimming	5/9	6/9	7/9	8/9 Quad School Speeches
11/9 Kapa Haka Y2-6 swimming	12/9	13/9 Sports Boys	14/9	15/9 Basketball starts
18/9 Kapa Haka Y2-6 swimming	19/9 Production Matinee	20/9 Production Evening	21/9 Production Evening	22/9 Basketball
25/9 Kapa Haka Y2-6 swimming	26/9	27/9 Sports Boys	28/9 Kapa Haka	29/9 Basketball

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Days: Wednesday and Saturday

Ages: 2 years and up

Where: North Loburn School Hall

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