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“Give them wings so they may fly”

Crawshaw School Newsletter

Term One, Week Four

1 March, 2018

Kia Ora Whanau,

It was great to see so many whanau members learning the waiata and actions for Te Rā Whakamaumahara Torutekau Tau last Thursday. There is another practice tonight at 5.15. See you there. And, don't forget to register. Registration Forms are available on the school website, www.crawshaw.school.nz, fourth tab on the left. We have nearly 150 registered already so it will be a fantastic day.

By all accounts the Junior School Picnic was a great success. Thanks to the teachers for all the organisation and to the parents who attended to meet teachers and see their tamariki in a different setting.

Bookings for Goal Setting Conferences are rolling in. Thank you. We are really looking forward to hearing what you want for your children this year. The booking form for the Goal Setting Learning Conferences on Wednesday 7th and Thursday 8th March is also available on the school website. www.crawshaw.school.nz. Look for the tab on the left hand side.

There was some confusion about the NZEI paid union meetings for teachers, as to whether school would be closed. We are working with teachers to attend different meetings so that we can cater for classes with some doubling up for the meeting time. We will not need to close at all. Thank you for your support.

The year 7 and 8 teachers are busy preparing for camp the week after Easter. Some of you have already begun payments which is great. Please see the school office if you would like to do so.

Nga mihi
Jill Littlewood



Kiwi Can

Our theme for this term is
Positive Relationships

It has been a great start to the year with ..
The senior classes have been amazing and receptive to our new style of KIWI CAN just for them ..

We attempted 'spoken word' and found a few poets in the making .. just AMAZING!!!
Upcoming Kiwi Can project: DINGLE GAMES A fun filled event coming up next term. It is all about positive relationships ..

Kiwi Can Leaders,

Whaea Niata & Matua Terry
Visit the facebook page
Graeme Dingle Foundation Waikato

From the Board of Trustees

The BOT meet last week and have now ratified the 2018 Charter, Annual Plan and Targets
<https://goo.gl/JV3We5>



We have 3 target groups this year; Y6/7/8 maths, Y2-8 Maori boys writing and Y1-3 reading. We will tracking achievement of these groups throughout the year.

We would like to welcome Pou Te Rongomau to the board as a selected Parent Representative. We are looking for another board member. If you are interested in being selected please contact Ioana Manu, our BoT Chair, ioana.manu@crawshaw.school.nz, to find out what is involved.

Next meeting, 4.00pm, 28 March. We will be reviewing the following policies: Board Roles and Responsibilities, Trustees Code of Behaviour and discussing our next Education Office Review.

Galaxy Touch Tournament

Last Friday our year 5/6 mixed touch team went to the Galaxy Touch Tournament held at Swarbrick Park. We had a rough start to the day and we lost 2 games and had one draw. We all pulled together and after an amazing run away try by Jubilee Kokiri in our final pool game, we made the bowl semi final. We won our semi 7-1. It was finals time and the last 4 games had been played back to back - we were tired and hungry. We made our way to the finals field and gave it our best shot. We won! 6-2. We played 7 games in total. All of our players played amazing all day but a special mention has to go to the girls for their fabulous try scoring skills, oh and I suppose the boys too.



Na Jubilee Kokiri R5
Leearnah Edmonds R5
Boston Teio R5

Attention all Girls! Come to Girls' Brigade for fun, fellowship, crafts and more. All girls from 5 years of age are welcome, 14th Hamilton Girls' Brigade meets on Thursdays from 6 to 7.30pm at Scots Presbyterian Church, [32 Vardon Road, Hamilton](#). For more information please contact Kerry on 854 6964 or visit www.girlsbrigade.nz

Dates for your Calendar

See www.crawshaw.school.nz for more details.

Thurs 1 March: 5.15pm Whanau Practice of 30th waiata

Fri 2 March: Senior Maurakau,

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Mon 5 March; Y7/8 Immunisation Talks with our Public Health Nurse, Vicky Henry.

Tue 6 March, 9.00-9.30. Jump Jam with Brett Fairweather. Whanau welcome.

Wed 7 and Thurs 8 March Goal Setting Learning Conferences- Parents/Students/Teachers-**Note school closes at 2.00pm on Wed 7**

Thurs 9 March: 5.15 Optional whanau practice for 30th Celebration.

Thue 13 March: 5.15pm Whanau Practice of 30th waiata. (Note the change of date from 15th and earlier time)

Wed March 21: 5.00pm Senior Camp Meeting

Fri 23 March: 5.15 Optional whanau practice for 30th Celebration.

Tues 27 March: Teachers Paid Union Meetings.

Thurs 29 March: 5.15-7.00pm Whanau Practice of 30th waiata. **Te Rā Whakamaumahara Torutekau**

Tau registrations close. (Register at www.crawshaw.school.nz)

Fri 30 March: Good Friday, **No School**

Mon 2 April: Easter Monday, **No School**

Tuesday 3 April: EASTER TUESDAY, NO SCHOOL
4-6 April: Senior Camp

Fri 6 April: 5.15pm Optional Whanau Practice of 30th waiata (Note change of date and time)

10 April: Y7/8 Immunisations

Tues 10 April: 5.15pm Whanau Practice of 30th waiata

Wed 11 April: 11.40am Attendance and PB4L Assembly

Thurs 12 April: 5.15pm Last Whanau Practice of 30th waiata

Fri 13 April, Crawshaw 30th Birthday Celebration- Te Rā Whakamaumahara Torutekau Tau

- 5.00am Dawn Service
- 1.00pm Open Day
- 6.00pm Powhiri and entertainment

Community Notices

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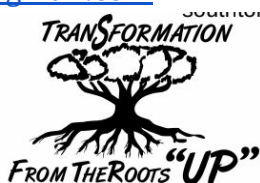
Garden Working-Bee

9am-12pm Saturday 17 March

Please wear covered shoes, steel caps if you have them. You may also want to bring a drink bottle, hat, sunnies or poncho if its raining, high vest, garden gloves, garden clipper and secateurs, and your friends and whanau. The main task of the day will be clearing out the invasive ivy that lines both sides of the fence and other general duties

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