



“Give them wings so they may fly”

Crawshaw School Newsletter

Term Two, Week One

3 May, 2018

Kia Ora Whanau,

Thank you so much for supporting our 30th Celebration. We had a great response and the day went off really well. I'm sure that you will join me in thanking all the school staff and students and REAL staff and all the whanau volunteers who put in hours of work behind the scenes to make the day a success. We have had some lovely compliments about the day including this one:

“What a wonderful 30th to celebrate Crawshaw School's achievements! I really appreciated the care and thoughtful aspects of the day's events, which were, at times, very emotional for me and for others. A huge thank you to staff, whanau and the Board of Trustees.”

A big welcome to our new staff and students and their whanau. We welcome Whaea Suzanne who is teaching Room 3 this term, and students from all over the country; Dunedin, Whangarei, Kawerau, Rotorua and some from other schools in Hamilton. We hope that they will have a long successful learning journey with us.

School Values

The beginning of term is a good time for us to remind our tamariki of the school values.

Be Respectful / Whakaute
Be Responsible / Takohanga
Be a Learner / Ako

You may notice the new flags at the gate to remind us of these each day. Sadly, one needs fixing, but all three will be there very soon. Your tamariki may talk to you about getting Green Tickets. These tickets recognise student who are showing the values and we put the tickets in a draw at Assembly each fortnight for prizes. It would be helpful for your child's learning and development if you could talk about the values and what they look like to reinforce them at home.

We welcome Whaea Belinda, the Life Ed Educator to Crawshaw. The Life Education Mobile Classroom

is at Crawshaw for 2 weeks teaching various aspects of Health Education to reinforce class programmes. The juniors are focussing on the Big Questions: “Where can I go for help?” and the middle and seniors on “Where does our food come from?” We are very lucky that Waikato Sunrise Rotary sponsor us for the Life Education Programme so we are able to offer this at no cost to families.

Nga mihi
Jill Littlewood

From the Board of Trustees

Next meeting, 4.00pm, 16 May. The principal will be reporting on the Feb Standardised Assessment Results, Sistema, He Waka Eke Noa, our Community of Learning, and the Annual Report will be presented. All welcome.

Assembly Awards and Being Good Books Week 1

Being a Learner

*Tohi Kokiri, Titan Inia-Og, Te Koha Whare,
Maiden Koti, Ayden Carmichael, Hunter
Runga, Vanessa Ballantine*

Being Respectful

*Te Heke Kihī-Rei, Arsh Grewal,
Justina Tuarekara, Dominic Heretama*

Being Responsible

*James Neilsen, Amber-Rose McGillan,
Kerenjoy Anablon
Leeroy Rua, Kerenjoy Anablon, Room 7*

Pies and Pyjama's

Next Friday 11th of May we will be fundraising for Ronald McDonald House. Children can wear Pyjamas, dressing gowns and slippers to school for the day. They will need to bring a gold coin. We will also be having Pies and a sweet treat for lunch, \$4 each.

All money will be going to Ronald McDonald House.

Crawshaw School Daily Toothbrushing Program:

After a successful trial at the end of last year Colgate has approved to continue this throughout the whole school. All classes will be brushing teeth first thing in the morning. The intent is to teach all children the importance of regular tooth-brushing and encourage them to continue this as a lifetime habit.

If you do NOT wish your child to be involved in this please let the school office know.

Dates for your Calendar

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

May 8, 10.00am: Sacred Heart Girls College Open Day.
May 9, 2.30pm: Keeping Ourselves Safe Parent/whanau meeting
May 11: Ronald McDonald House Fundraiser
May 16, 4.00pm: Board of Trustees meeting
May 18: Middle School Zoofari
June 14 5.00pm: EPro8 Y7/8 Competition
June 22: Class and Individual Photos
July 4, Hamilton Boys High Information Evening

Hoodies are still for sale at the school office. **\$40.** These are nice and cosy for the winter weather and we do have sizes that will fit our middle or senior students.



Sistema Waikato: 2018 Enrolments Open!

Sistema Waikato is a free musical social development programme for children to learn and explore orchestral music and instruments. We are holding a fun, interactive information session for Year 2 and 3 children from 11:40am - 12:40pm on Tuesday the 29th of May in the Crawshaw School Hall. There will be choir games and 'whisper' violins, as we give children a chance to see what the Sistema music programme is all about. Parents are welcome to attend this session to enrol their children in the programme and ask any questions they may have. Contact programme manager Kendall McEwen at sistemawaikato@gmail.com if you have any questions.

SPORTS NUTRITION

EAT LIKE AN ATHLETE EVERY DAY!

It is important to eat healthy and well-balanced meals and snacks all the time, not just when we play sport.

Include the four food groups and drink plenty of water!

This will help to keep our bodies healthy, strong and ready for action all year round.



Developed by Sport Waikato 2018

Saturday morning music classes

Enrolments are now open for Term Two 2018 at the Waikato Community School of Music (formerly Hamilton Community Centre of Music). The first session is on [Saturday 5th May](#). The centre caters for all ages (3 to retired) and ability levels, offering group-format music tuition in a range of instruments. Fees range from \$39 to \$95 per term, depending on age and instrument. The enrolment fee for an instrument class includes participation in as many of our ensembles as you wish, at no additional charge.

Class times are between 8am and 1:00pm on Saturday mornings during primary school terms. The centre is located on the University of Waikato campus in Hillcrest.

Contact us via our website <http://www.hccm.ac.nz/> or on 07 838 4611



The Skool Loop App

'Dear school families, as you may be aware the Crawshaw School App (The Skool Loop App) has had a number of updates in recent days.

This is to ensure your experience of the Crawshaw School App is smooth and seamless.

When you next open the school app there is a prompt which asks you to tap on the link to take you to the new and updated version of the Skool Loop app.

Please click on this link and download the new version of the Skool Loop App. Choose our region and school and the app will automatically stay on the Crawshaw school app.

Once this has been done please delete the old version of the Skool Loop App off your phone.'