



“Give them wings so they may fly”

Crawshaw School Newsletter

Term Two, Week Three

17 May, 2018

Kia Ora Whanau,

We have had a busy few weeks with students at the Young Leaders Day, Pyjamas and Pies for Ronald McDonald House and Dingle Games during KiwiCan. All of these events have promoted positive communication, friendship and cooperation. Classes are also working on our value of Respect/ Whakautē by learning about polite words. All these form part of our Positive Behaviour 4 Learning (PB4L) Programme whereby we actively teach the behaviours we want to see. In the class and playground staff are always looking for role models of these behaviours to acknowledge with a Green Ticket. If your tamariki comes home and talks about getting a Green Ticket do celebrate with them as it means that they have been doing the right thing. It is through the positive behaviour that we can help our tamariki to be good citizens and eradicate bullying. Friday is Pink Shirt Day, the movement to stop bullying and spread kindness. Crawshaw supports this movement and if your tamariki would like to wear pink on Friday that would be great.

The Behaviour Survey that I talked about last week showed mixed results. While the majority of students, 73%, thought that behaviour had improved with PB4L there were still a small number of children feeling unsafe at school. We will now work with these children to see how we can support them.

Marble Season has been going really well with our tamariki showing responsibility and respect most of the time. Thank you for helping us by making sure that they have a

container for their marbles not just their school bag.

The Keeping Ourselves Safe Programme begins in all classes next week. There was an information hui today but if there are any other queries that you have please let the class teacher know.

A Teachers Paid Union Meeting will take place from 12.30pm on Monday 25th June. The growing teacher shortage is of particular concern and we are working on ways to enable as many teachers as possible to attend this meeting. More information soon.

A reminder to you all to please not park in the school bus stop. It is important that buses and minibuses have access to this in order to keep children safe.

You will notice the information in a separate box about Sistema Waikato. We are very lucky to be part of this programme and if you have students in Year 2 or 3 we encourage you to consider joining. It is filled on a first in basis with no entry criteria other than your commitment. See the office if you would like to express your interest.

Nga mihi
Jill Littlewood

From the Board of Trustees

Next meeting, 4.00pm, June 20th. At the meeting on Wednesday the Credit Card procedure was adopted and both 'The Relationship Between the Board and the Principal Policy' and the 'Copyright Procedures' were reviewed. Whaea Rubina Wheeler spoke to the board about a new initiative for children with behaviour challenges that RTLB Cluster 16 and the MOE are investigating. We will have more

Dates for your Calendar

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

May 18: Middle School Zoofari
June 8: North West Schools Winter Sports Day
June 14 5.00pm: EPro8 Y7/8 Competition
June 22: Class and Individual Photos
June 25: 1.00pm Teachers Paid Union Meeting
June 27/28 Learning Conferences
July 4, Hamilton Boys High Information Evening
July 4, 11.00am: Duffy Theatre- whanau welcome
July 26 5.30: Fraser High Information Evening



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.'

SPORTS

Netball

Thursday 17th May - Tonight

Crawshaw Vs Forest Lake

Time: 4.45pm

Monique Park

Saturday 19th May, 8.30am Court 7

Crawshaw Fusion Y7/8 Vs Te Rapa Raiders

Next Saturday

Saturday 26th May, 8.30am Court 7

Crawshaw Fusion Y7/8 Vs HSC

Football

Saturday 19th May

Western Utd Crawshaw Vipers 11

Vs

Ngahinapouri Sports Group 11th Grade Jets

Time: 9.30

Ngahinapouri School 2

information for you soon.

Assembly Awards and Being Good Books Week 3

Being a Learner

Elisaane Tukia, Anthony Barber, Neveah Snowden, Alize Malaquin Brown, Summer Roband, Harley Buckleigh McKay, Cylis Cash, Boston Teio

Being Respectful

Dahnaya Newton, Tuaine Tai Rakena-Wilson, Ali Mahmood, Akiriana Hunapo

Being Responsible

Jrusc Wilson, Deilajahn Smith, Ales Hong, Taniela Inisi

PB4L Awards

Charm Taitoko, Seth Neilsen, Lusion Wharehoka

Pies and Pyjamas

We raised over \$482.30 for Ronald McDonald House. Thank you so much for support this event.



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.