



Please report absences by 9.00am on the morning of absence.  
Either phone 07 849 1565, text: 027 722 3608 or complete the website online form at  
[www.crawshaw.school.nz](http://www.crawshaw.school.nz)

**“Give them wings so they may fly”**

## **Crawshaw School Newsletter Term Four, Week One 18 October, 2018**

***Kia Ora Whanau,***

*I hope that you all enjoyed the break from the routines of school and that the children are rested and ready for a busy term of learning. We certainly have a lot planned with Grandparent's Day, Athletics, Production and of course all the usual day to day learning and assessment. We look forward to sharing the years learning at the Learning Conferences in December.*

*We welcomed a number of new children at the mihi whakatau on Monday and we have had several new students enrol since then. We would like to welcome you all to Crawshaw and hope that your time here will be happy and full of learning.*

*Our new Social Worker in Schools starts on Tuesday. Her name is Natalie Johns. If you were working with Jenny Clifford, Natalie will be in touch with you to introduce herself in the next few weeks.*

*Tomorrow is the Junior School Grandparents and Special People Day. We look forward to meeting everyone and know that they will be well entertained. The Junior Team have been working hard to get ready. Thank you to the parents/caregivers supporting this day by providing the shared morning tea.*

*A huge thank you to Bunnings, who over the holidays and this week have been supporting us by providing tools, materials and manpower to transform the garden area behind Rooms 12-16. Whaea Christine has been the liaison person for this. We now have secure fencing and 5 garden planter boxes, filled and almost ready to plant. We couldn't have done it without the support of Rizna from the Kahikatea Drive Branch. Thank you so much*



***A brimmed hat is compulsory for Term 4. Please make sure that your child has one so that they are not restricted to staying in the dome verandah areas at breaks. We have hats for sale \$4 each at the office.***

*If you have an email address registered with school you will have received an email to invite you to set up a **Free Family Zone account** to keep your tamariki safe online. If you did not receive one just pop in or phone or text us your email address and we will send another email later next term.*

*Nga mihi  
Jill Littlewood*

## **PB4L**

We wish to acknowledge the amazing generosity of our friends, Toy World Te Rapa, Eeny Meeny and The Warehouse Hamilton branch who have provided our students with some amazing prizes for our positive behaviour for learning programme. We are so fortunate to have these companies support our students in doing the right thing. Thank you all so very much for your generosity.



## Dates for your Calendar

See [www.crawshaw.school.nz](http://www.crawshaw.school.nz) for more details.

Oct 19, Junior School Grandparents Day  
Oct 29/30, Road Patrol Training  
Oct 30, Year 8 Immunisations  
Nov 1, BOT Meeting  
Nov 9, Crawshaw Athletics 8+ year olds  
Nov 15, Fraser Day  
Nov 16, Crawshaw Athletics Under 8s  
Nov 16, Team Photos  
Nov 28/29 School Production  
Dec 3 Hearing and Vision Testing  
Dec 5 /6, Learning Conferences  
Dec 7, Road Patrollers Fun Day  
Dec 18, 11.40am Award Assembly  
Dec 20, Last Day of school. 12.00pm Final Assembly

## Community Notices



The King and I is a wonderful show with great songs

No auditions, 4 practices & whole day 2nd December.

No words to learn!

Looking for children & adults any age to join us  
All money made goes to MUSIC MOVES ME TRUST -

We provide Music therapy for dementia patients  
Any queries -02108187218

**GIVE ATHLETICS A GO!**

Frankton Athletics and Harrier Club

Season begins 15 October 2018  
Monday nights, 5.30pm Bremworth Park

First 2 clubnights free  
Sprints, longer distance, long jump, high jump, discus and shot put and Get Set Go programme  
Check our website for details and to register [www.sporty.co.nz/franktonjuniors](http://www.sporty.co.nz/franktonjuniors)

**JOIN YOUR LOCAL CLUB**

As school heads back this week why not try mixing it up at school pick up?

Schools in Hamilton face the same re-occurring problems when it comes to the issues around their school gates. Congestion, poor parking and general bad driving behaviour seem to intensify out the front of school gates across Hamilton especially in the afternoons. The Council, and Police are committed to working with schools to improve safety and the Council has put infrastructure in place to make the areas as safe as possible, but we can't do it all on our own. We need your help!



Be a 3pm superhero, try alternative transport options:

- Park down the road or around the corner away from the busy school gate
- Walk, bike and scooter at least once or twice a week
- Carpool with families in your area.

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*First Credit Union provides a school banking service to all pupils at (your school name) School. Getting started is easy - just pick up an application pack from the school office, fill in the application form and return it to the school office. If your children are already doing school banking, remember that the school banking is collected on (day of the week) each week*

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