

Leabank Primary School



HE AKONGA MUTUNGA KORE

Newsletter for 2nd November 2018

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Greetings, Tena koutou, Kia orana, Talofa Lava, Fakalofa Lahi Atu, Malo e Lelei,
Namaste, Hola, Ni hao, Xin chao

Dear Parents/Caregivers

Room 16 Art Murals

Check out these cool murals room 16 made out of bottle caps!



100% Attendance for this week

Best class attendance award goes to Room 15 with 92.86%

Students selected with 100% attendance award for this week are:

Atonina Mapu Room 6

Charles-Marlon Heka Room 13

Lyquarnyah George Room 22

100%



Sausages, Drinks and Ice Block Fundraiser

The Senior School are holding a Fundraiser for Athletics Day. Sausages are \$2, ice blocks and drinks will be \$1.50. You can pre-order these through your class teacher from Monday 5th November.

The Uniform Shoppe

Our school uniform supplier "The Uniform Shoppe" has moved to a new premises in Manukau, next door (on the right) to Krispy Kreme, 2 Ronwood Avenue, Manukau and the existing store in Manurewa has closed its doors permanently.

Address: [2 Ronwood Avenue, Manukau, Auckland 2104](#)

Landmark - beside Krispy Kreme

Contact No. 09 267 6063 / 09 299 8412

Timings- Monday to Friday 8: 30am- 5: 00pm & Saturday 9:00am- 1:00pm

Walking Wednesdays

Make sure you're walking to school every Wednesday between 8.20am-8.45 am to collect your walking ticket. Parents can help too! You can make sure your child is dropped off away from school and they walk the rest of the way and also make sure your child uses the crossing when walking to school.

Give your ticket to your teacher to hold on to so you and your class can go into the draw to win class and individual prizes!

Upcoming Events for Term 4

6th November our softball team will be put to the test in the Inter-school Softball competition.



8th November Athletics Day. (Saveday Friday 9th November)



16th November Caught Being Good Assembly will be held in the school hall.



7th December we bid our Year 6 students farewell and wish them all the best of luck at the Year 6 Prizegiving Assembly.

14th December LAST DAY OF THE TERM!
School will finish at 2.55pm



Leabank School App

We have launched a school app! You can download this onto your apple or android device by visiting the school website, scroll to the bottom of the home page and click the "Download the LEABANK SCHOOL Mobile App"



We will be using this device to send out instant notifications about school activities. You can also use this app to update your details, report an absence, catch up with weekly newsletters/photos and follow any other updates that will be uploaded to the app.

Yours sincerely

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Principal

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FREE Community Digital Course for TERM 4

\$50 fee is for the purchase of a refurbished Laptop.

Starts 23 November. 9.30am-1.30pm

3 Friday sessions only. Ends 7th December.

[Sign up in the Leabank Community Centre, contact Julie 02102937189] [Sign up in the Leabank



IT'S TIME YOUR CHILDREN HAD THE EDUCATION THEY DESERVE

Schools are facing a teacher shortage crisis, with a 40% drop in people training to be teachers; and a growing number of school-aged children. In term three, 50% of schools reported that they did not have enough teachers. Schools are struggling to attract teaching staff, and that problem looks set to worsen.

There is also a desperate need for more support for children with additional learning needs.

Yet, the Government has a bumper surplus of \$5.5 billion, more than enough to fix the issues in primary education (\$0.9b).

WHAT WE ARE CAMPAIGNING FOR?

- * **More teachers – so your kids can get more attention**
- * **More resources/staff to support children with additional learning needs**
- * **A pay jolt to salaries for teachers to address the teacher shortage – so that your children will have a teacher in the future.**

SHOW YOUR SUPPORT!

Let your teachers know you support them and join in campaign activities at your local school. Find out more at <https://campaigns.nzei.org.nz/time>