Leabank Primary School



HE AKONGA MUTUNGA KORE

Newsletter for 1st February 2019

Dr Pickering Avenue, Manurewa, Auckland School Telephone: 267 6939 – School Fax: 267 3053 www.leabank.school.nz Greetings, Tena koutou, Kia orana, Talofa Lava, Fakalofa Lahi Atu, Malo e Lelei, Namaste, Hola, Ni hao, Xin chao

Dear Parents/Caregivers

Leabank Primary School Calendar 2019

Term		Start date		End Date		
Term 1	Wednesday	30th January	Friday	12th April	11 weeks	104 ½ days
Term 2	Monday	29th April	Friday	5th July	10 weeks	98 ½ days
Term 3	Monday	22nd July	Friday	27th September	10 weeks	100 ½ days
Term 4	Monday	14th October	Friday	13th December	9 weeks	88 ½ days

A total of 390 - 1/2 days for the 2019 school year

WELCOME BACK

Welcome back to all returning students. We hope you had a happy, fun filled and safe holiday. We would also like to extend a warm welcome to all new students and families at Leabank Primary. We hope you enjoy your learning journey with us. We are very excited to see everyone back, feeling refreshed and ready to learn.





Waitangi Public Holiday

A friendly reminder that school is **CLOSED on Wednesday 6th February to observe Waitangi Day.** Students are expected to attend school on Monday and Tuesday. School will commence as usual on Thursday.

Swimming

A reminder to all parents that swimming is compulsory for all students as it is part of our school curriculum. The importance for learning to swim and survive in the water is paramount. Please ensure your child bring appropriate swimwear to school on their allocated swimming days. If for some reason your child is unwell and cannot participate in the swimming lesson, your



child is required to bring a signed and dated note to explain the reason for not participating in swimming. We would appreciate your efforts and cooperation in this area.

Stationery and School Fees

Stationery and Fees lists were sent home with children yesterday. This can be paid at the school office. Once purchased, your child's stationery will be delivered directly to their class. Students are expected to have their stationery by week 3 term.



Thank you to all those parents who have already bought their children's stationery packs and paid their school fees.

Updating Caregiver Details



Just a friendly reminder that if you have changed phone numbers or have moved address over the school holidays, please remember to contact the school office and update your details. Please also check that your child's emergency contacts are up to date and inform the school of any changes to phone numbers. It is really important that we have up to date contact details should we need to contact you regarding your child or for an emergency.

Senior School Fundraiser

Senior School will be having a sausage sizzle next Friday 8th February. We will start to take pre-orders Monday. Sausages are \$2.00





Second Hand Uniform

We have a limited number of second hand uniform available at the community centre. All items cost \$5.00 and can be paid for at the school office. All student must wear full school uniform to school.

Parents, if you have unwanted school uniforms that your child no longer use, please donate them to the school. Funds from donated uniforms go towards purchasing sugar, margarine and spreads for the Breakfast club at school.

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". You can 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

R W Maddren Principal

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FREE DONATIONS

Come along to the Leabank Community Centre and help yourself to the donations of clothes, shoes etc.

FAMILY LAW FREE WORKSHOP

when Saturday 9th February 2019 2pm — 4pm

WHERE

Meeting Room, Level 1
Manukau Library
3 Osterley Way, Manukau

PRESENTER

Susanna Susara Kruger Professional McKenzie Friend Author of FAMILY LAW AND I www.kruger4u.xyz

FOR SEPARATING OR SEPARATED PARENTS

NO BOOKING REQUIRED

Just show up

BRING

Pen & paper

ACTS

Domestic Violence Care of Children Relationship Property Family Proceedings

QUESTIONS

And answers

PURPOSE

Separation $\mathbf{Education}^{\mathsf{TM}}$

