# Leabank Primary School



HE AKONGA MUTUNGA KORE

Newsletter

for

18th September 2020

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Greetings, Tena koutou, Kia Orana, Talofa Lava, Fakalofa Lahi Atu, Hola, Namaste Malo e Lelei, Ni hao, Xin Chao, As-salamu Alaykum

Dear Parents/Caregivers

Week 9 - Term 3

# TE WIKI O TE REO MAORI

For Te Wiki o te Reo Maori, we focussed on learning phrases that we could say to each other. We learnt a different phrase every morning from the school Daily Bulletin.



Here are some phrases we learnt:

Kei te pehea koe? - How are you? (Reply: Kei te pai au/ahau - I am fine)

He tino pai to mahi! - You've done a good job!

Kei runga noa atu koe! - What a clever child you are!

Ahakoa he iti he pounamu - Despite being small you are of great value

Kia pai to wiki mutunga - Have a good weekend.

### LAST DAY OF TERM 3

The last day of Term 3 is next Friday 25<sup>th</sup> September. We will be finishing at the normal time 2:55pm. Term 4 starts on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> October and goes through to Wednesday 16th December.



# **LOST SNEAKERS**



It is almost the end of Term 3 and we still have a pair of Puma sneakers at the school office since the beginning of week 3 this term. These were left behind in the Middle School area. If you think these are your child's please come to the office let us know the size, colour and describe them to us so we can return these to the rightful owner.

#### SAFE PARKING

There has been an increase in the number of parents stopping in front of the gate to drop off or collect their children and use the front gate area as a turning point. The congestion this creates is a hazard and safety issue waiting for an accident to happen. Please do the right thing and keep all of our students safe.



<u>DO NOT</u> stop or park in front of the gate to drop or collect your children. <u>DO NOT</u> use this area as a turning point. Find a safe area to turn your vehicle around. <u>DO NOT</u> call your children to run across the road to your vehicle, encourage your children to use the pedestrian crossing.

# SKIDS SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

SKIDS School Holiday programmes are safe, loads of fun and jam-packed with a variety of activities. There are a lot of fun things planned for the up and coming school holidays such as a trip to the movies, arts and crafts activities, a trip to Treasure Island Mini-Golf, a Pirate themed day and many more fun activities planned.

Register at <u>www.sKids.co.nz</u>
For more information, call 02108178012 or email <u>palwinder@skids.co.nz</u>

# **CHILDREN TURNING 5**

If you have a child turning 5 and have not already enrolled them, please come to the school office to collect an enrolment form. You have the option of completing the forms at school or take it home, complete it and return forms to us.



Please ensure you bring a copy of the **child's birth certificate** or **passport** and **plunket book** or updated **immunisation records**.

Parents who have enrolled their child who is turning 5, are invited to bring them to school for three pre-school visits three weeks prior to their 5th birthday to become familiar with their new class. Pre-school visits are held on a Friday morning between 10 am and 12 noon. Please make arrangements with the school office before your first visit so our New Entrant Teacher is ready to welcome you.

# **UPCOMING EVENTS FOR TERM 3**

End of Term 3 - Friday 25th September at 2:55pm

Start of Term 4 - Monday 12th October at 8:55am

Niue Language Week - 18th October to 24th October Tokelau Language Week - 25th October to 31st October Labour day (School Closed) - Monday 26th October

END OF SCHOOL 2020 - WEDNESDAY 16 DECEMBER

Yours sincerely

R W Maddren Principal

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New Entrants/5 Year Olds Enrolling at Leabank School in Term 4

The school needs your support and response so that we can plan ahead to meet your child's needs. If you have a child turning 5 and starting school with us next term, please fill out and return to school ASAP.

Name of Child	Date of Birth	Phone Number of Caregiver
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