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NEWSLETTER # 11

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Hi Parents/Caregivers

Kia ora koutou



Thank you to everyone who has supported the school over the term. It has been a busy but fun one.

KIWI SAVER

Did you know that you can open a Kiwi Saver account for your kids; the government will then put in \$1000 to start the account off. People under 18 do not have to make a regular contribution so you can just leave the \$1000 in there and let it gain interest. We have kiwisaver forms at the office if anyone would like one.

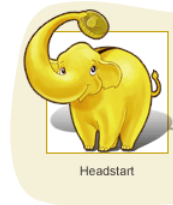
COLOURING COMPETITION

With the release of the Dr Seuss movie, Horton- *Hears a Who*, ASB is running a colouring in competition over the school holidays. The winner will win a Family Pass (1 adult, 3 children) to the movies. Please pick up a copy and return back to the school by 5th May to be in the draw to win.



ASB HEADSTART ACCOUNTS

To promote Youth savings, ASB Paraparaumu will donate \$5 to the school for every new child's headstart account opened. To help the kids, they will also credit \$10 to the child's account when opened. The school has some account opening forms and a free 'Kashin elephant' money box otherwise feel free to pop into the local Paraparaumu Branch to collect one.



CHOCOLATES

About three weeks into next term we will be selling chocolates as a fundraiser to upgrade our digital cameras and to purchase new big books for the junior school. We will be sending out a notice with more information asking parents permission to allow their children to sell the chocolates.

OFFICE PHONE

We have a lot of requests after school from children wishing to use the phone to make social arrangements with their friends. Would you please ask your children to organize these activities the night before or before school so that the phone can be free for more important purposes.

SHAVE FOR A CURE

Donna Noble would like to thank you so much for your support and generosity for this very worthy cause. Our coin trail and donations netted over \$150. Donations can still be left at the school office and will be forwarded on to The Leukaemia & Blood Foundation.

ENVIROGROUP

Next term a major project for us will be a school garden for the children to grow flowers and vegetables. Thanks to Hannah Zwartz for her input on this.

TERM TWO EVENTS

First day of term – Monday 5th May
Board meeting – 19th May
Year 7 vaccinations – 21st May
Inter-school cross country – 27th May
School photos – 30th May
Queen's Birthday – 2nd June
School cross country – 13th June
Board meeting – 23rd June
Speech finals – 27th June
Last day of term – 4th July

FRIDAY PIES \$2.00

Steak & Cheese

Mince

Potato Top

Sausage Roll \$1.20

COMMUNITY NEWS

- Artful Kids. Term 2. Tuesday or Thursday 3.30 – 5.30. Esteem and technique based art classes for 6 yrs to teens. Rachel 9058219 places limited.
- Junior Soccer. We need two coaches. 7th and 8th grade parents, your children will not get games if you don't get involved. Tracey and Pete are doing a brilliant job but they need another parent to lead on team in each grade on Saturday. Tel Pete 9058896 7th grade. Tracey 2927121 8th grade.
- Pick'n'Mix Art exhibition this Anzac weekend, Saturday the 26th and Sunday 27th of April 10.00am to 4.00pm both days, in the Art Space at Paraparaumu Public Library. There is a great range of media, paintings, pottery, garden art, jewellery, mosaics, and more. For further details please contact Wendi Lindsay on 902 0302.
- The Kapiti Gymnastics Club is running their Holiday Programme in week 2 of the school holidays from 28 April to 2

May for children 3+ years; bookings essential. Children who are three will require a parent or guardian with them on the floor. Please phone 298 7010 for more details.

- PRINCE School Holiday Badminton Programme: Exciting Badminton programmes inc. FREE PRINCE racket! New programmes from introductory to advance level. Date: April 21 to 24. Ages: 8 to 16. Venue: Paraparaumu College. Time: 9 to 12. Cost: \$60 (inc FREE PRINCE racket. RRP \$29.99). LAST WEEK TO ENROL! Programme is a lead into Term 2 & 3 which will cater for social to rep players. Please contact either Gaye at kidscount@ihug.co.nz or Derek on 021 414522 or 9050942.
- Paekakariki Youth Centre Trust are hosting a community donated Lawn Sale and Devonshire morning tea to raise funds. 10 am – 1 pm Saturday 19th April at the Tennis Club Rooms.
- Soccer School holiday programme at Mazengard Park during the second week of the school holidays 28th April – 2nd May. 9 am – 10.30 am 5-7 yr olds, 10.45 am – 12.45 pm 8-10 yr olds, 1.00pm – 3 pm 11-14 yr olds. \$10 per session or \$40 per week. Children need boots (training shoes if wet for gymnasium), shin pads, drink, warm jersey and jacket. Please listen to 90.2 More FM for details. If interested in attending please enrol at kcu@paradise.net.nz payment can be made on the day.
- Friday 18 April disco!! *bring a plate - join the party* club live youth night held in Kapiti school hall for ages 11-15 7-10 p.m. Gold coin donation . All welcome.



