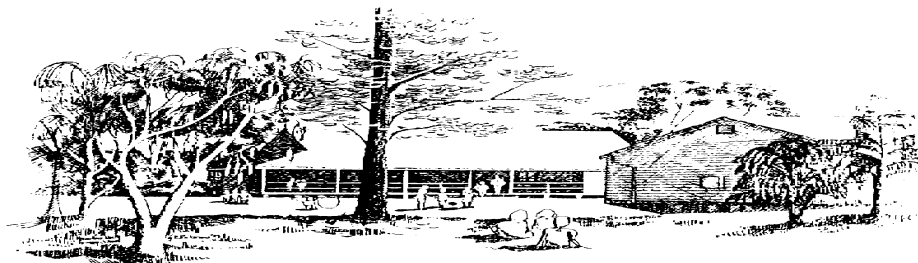




Chalkboard – Term 1, Week 3, Wednesday, 10th February 2016



Friday Assembly

There will be a whole school assembly at 2.20pm in the hall this Friday. The Community Service Officers, Chicken Keepers and Library Monitors will be presented with their badges. All are welcome to attend.

Parent Information Sessions will be taking place as per the following times

Week 3

3/4	Wed 10 th Feb	4.30pm	3/4 room
2/3	Wed 10 th Feb	5:30pm	2/3 room
5/6	Wed 10 th Feb	5:30pm	5/6 room
K/1	Thurs 11 th Feb	5pm	K/1 room
5L	Thurs 11 th Feb	5.30 pm	5L room

Early School Arrival

Please make sure your child arrives at school **no earlier than 8.30am** as there is no staff supervision for these students until the 8.30am bell. If you have no alternative but to send your child to school early, OOSH is available from 7.00am.

Guitar lessons

will be starting this Friday 12th Feb.

As was the case last year, it will be an 8 week program. Students K-6 can participate on Friday morning for a 30 minute session at either 9am, 9:30am or 10am.

We will group students as best we can. Paul Nickerson is an excellent guitar teacher that caters to all levels.

The cost for the term is \$40 per child.

Money must be paid by Thursday morning 11th Feb at our office.

We have extended this by one day.

Students participating will need to bring a guitar.

These are placed in the library and can be collected in the afternoon.

SWIMMING CARNIVAL

Our whole school (K-6) swimming carnival will be held at Lambton Pool on Thursday 18th February. Spectators and volunteers are very welcome to attend.

All permission notes and money are due back to school by Tuesday 16th February.

Please place lunch order and money in a separate envelope for the canteen ladies.

If you are able to volunteer your services on the day for recording etc. please let the office know.

Zone Swimming Carnival

Swimmers who qualify for Zone will be notified on Friday 19th February. The Zone Carnival is at Lambton Pool on Wednesday 24th February.

Mrs Jackson

Chicken Coop

The chicken coop is coming along nicely...our new chickens will be able to move in soon. A BIG THANKYOU to Jake Carpenter's dad and granddad for helping our GA Mr Johns.

HNPS WORKING BEE SAVE THE DATE



We will be holding our annual WORKING BEE after school on Friday 26th February...details to come!

CLASS NOTICES

CLASS KB

What a great start to school!

All the kids have been great and we have been learning soooo much.

Don't forget children need their green bags and blue homework folders ever day.

Library is only on Wednesdays – try no to get them mixed up with their Take Home Reading book.

Already had a mix up with hats, so PLEASE put names on them.

News will commence next week, notes going home today.



Kindergarten working well with their buddies.



Swimming Carnival Program 2016



9am- Buses leaving from school

9.20am Start

5yrs, 6yrs and 7yrs events in 25m Pool 9:30-11

8yrs, 9yrs, 10yrs, 11yrs and 12yrs in 50m Pool

100m	Junior Boys	Junior Girls	Senior Boys	Senior Girls
50m	Junior Boys	Junior Girls	Senior Boys	Senior Girls
50m Freestyle	8 years	8 years	11 years	11 years
50m Breaststroke	9 years	9 years	12 years	12 years
50m Backstroke	10 years	10 years	(for each event)	(for each event)
50m Butterfly	All eligible competitors			

Recess – 11.00 to 11.30 (no canteen)

Championship races: Freestyle Breaststroke Backstroke	First 2 (times) from 8yrs heats First 3 (times) from 9yrs, 10yrs, 11yrs, 12yrs heats
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Age Races 25m pool Non swimmers only	Junior Boys	Junior Girls	Senior Boys	Senior Girls
Freestyle	8 years	8 years	11 years	11 years
Breaststroke	9 years	9 years	12 years	12 years
Backstroke	10 years	10 years		

Lunch – 12:30 to 1:15 (canteen)

4 x 50m Relay
Wattle
Banksia
Waratah
Parents/Teachers V Kids

Free time

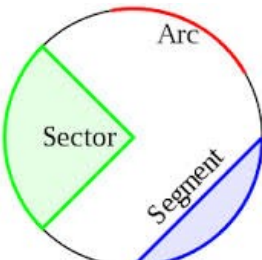
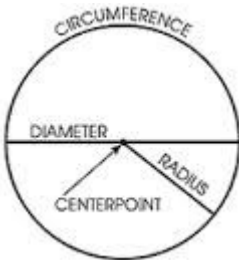






Pack up / Clean-up – 2pm

On bus by 2.30pm

MATHS CHAMPIONSHIPS











The maths championships are fast approaching. Attached are the cheat sheets for K-2 and 3-6. Could you please practise these skills with your child/children at home. Class heats will be held in class during week 7. The stage finals will be held at Friday's assembly on 1st April 2016 at 2pm.

Year	Stage 2 (Years 3 & 4) and Stage 3 (Years 5 & 6) Maths Facts																																		
Stage 3	<u>Prime and Composite Numbers</u>																																		
	A prime number is a number that has only two factors- itself and one, eg 2, 3, 5, 7, 11. A composite number is a number that has more than two eg 4, 6, 8, 9, 10 etc																																		
Stage 2 & 3	<u>Squares and Square Roots</u>																																		
	$1^2=1$ $2^2=4$ $3^2=9$ $4^2=16$ $5^2=25$	$6^2=36$ $7^2=49$ $8^2=64$ $9^2=81$ $10^2=100$																																	
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Stage 2 & 3			Measurement conversions
1000mm=1m 100cm=1m 1000=1km 10mm=1cm			1000g=1kg 1000kg=1tonne 1000ml=1 litre 1000litres= 1 kilolitre
Stage 2 & 3			Time
60seconds=1 minute 60minutes=1hour 24hours=1 day 7days=1 week			4 weeks= 1 month 52 weeks= 1 year 10 years= 1 decade 12 months= 1 year 365 days= 1 year 366 days= 1 leap year 10 decades or 100 years=1 century
Stage 2 & 3			Seasons
Spring- September, October, November Summer- December, January, February Autumn- March, April, May Winter- June, July, August			
Stage 2 & 3			Area and Perimeter
Area – square or rectangle Area = length x breadth			Perimeter- square or rectangle Perimeter = sum of the sides.
Stage 3			Parts of a circle
			
Stage 3			Types of angles
 acute			 right
 obtuse			 straight
 reflex			 full rotation
Less than 90 degrees			90 degrees
between 90 and 180 degrees			180 degrees
greater than 180 degrees			360 degrees

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7 + 7 = 14		7 + 8 = 15
8 + 8 = 16		8 + 9 = 17
9 + 9 = 18		9 + 10 = 19
10 + 10 = 20		10 + 11 = 21

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Wednesday	10th February	Book Club orders due back
Thursday	18th February	K-6 Swimming Carnival, Lambton Pool
Wednesday	24th February	Zone Swimming Carnival
Tuesday	1st March	Zone Basketball Trials
Thursday	3rd March	Regional Swimming
Monday	21st March	P & C Meeting at 6.00pm at Hamilton North Bowling Club— All welcome to attend
Wednesday	23rd March	Easter Hat Parade 2-3pm
Thursday	24th March	Zone Soccer Trials
Friday	25th March	Good Friday (Public Holiday)
Monday	28th March	Easter Monday (Public Holiday)
Thursday	31st March	Zone Cross Country
Friday	8th April	Last day of Term 1
Monday	6th June	Whole School Photos

CANTEEN NEWS

Our Canteen will be open next week on Wednesday and Fridays only. We desperately need volunteers to man the canteen on these days and any other day that might be suitable for you. Canteen workers commence at approximately 9.00am and have finished their duties by approximately 12.30pm.

If you are able to help once a week, once a fortnight or once a month, please let the office know so that we can pass this information on to the canteen committee.

CANTEEN ROSTER

Wednesday 17th Feb	Friday 18th Feb
Eryn Atkinson Jenny Nicholas	Eryn Atkinson Jenny Nicholas

Wednesday 24th Feb	Friday 26th Feb
Danae Norrish Elizabeth Bray	Shelley Brandon Dianne Winning