

Insoll Avenue School Hamilton



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NEWSLETTER

Newsletter No 7 Term 3

Dear Parents and Caregivers – Kia Ora Koutou

Te Whānau Kaho Market Day Fundraiser

A big 'Thank You' to all our families that supported our two market day fundraisers. We are happy to let you know that we raised just over \$2000 which will be used to make our upcoming trip to Auckland even more awesome for our year 3-4 students.

Measles

You will be aware through the media that there is a measles outbreak – 991 confirmed cases to date (mostly in Auckland), however there are now 7 in Hamilton.

Immunisation

Children should be immunised at 12-15months and again at 4 years of age.

If you could help us to please update our immunisation register by calling in so we can photocopy your Well-Child book, or vaccination records that would be greatly appreciated.

A message from the Waikato District Health Board:

If there is a confirmed case of measles in our school, this is what you may expect to happen

People who cannot show they are immune to measles, must stay home and away from school, malls, shops, public events, hui and church for 14 days after contact, or until their immunity is proven.

Public regarded as not immune to measles are:

- *People younger than 50 years (born after 1969) who have not had two doses of MMR or have not had a laboratory result showing immunity.*
- *Children over four years old who have not received their second dose of MMR.*
- *Infants who are under 15 months or have not received their first vaccine. Babies are usually susceptible to measles infection and rely on everyone else to be immune so that measles does not spread to them.*

Anne McNicol / Public Health Nurse / Waikato District Health Board

FREE vaccinations are available to anyone under the age of 50 – see your doctor. Those born between 1969-1990 were only given 1 vaccination and should have a second.

Coming Events

9-13 Sept	Cultural Week
16 Sept	Kakano & Pihinga Cross Country
26 Sept	Free Ear Van at School
27 Sept	End of Term 3
14 Oct	Start of Term 4

Awards

Individual Weekly 100% Attendance

George R4, Sopo R8, Indi R11, Hemi R12

Classroom Attendance

1st Room 6 – 92%
2nd Room 5 – 90%
3rd Room 7, – 89%



Bell Times

8.45am	Start of school
10.45-11.00am	Interval
12.30-1.15pm	Lunch
2.30pm	Finish

School Banking

First Credit Union provides a school banking service to all pupils at school. Getting started is easy - just pick up an application pack from the school office, fill in the application form and return it to the school office. If your children are already doing school banking, please note that the school banking is now collected on **Thursday** each week

Travel Warning

The Ministry of Health is recommending you are vaccinated for measles at least 2 weeks before you travel to Auckland (school holidays are coming up, so this could affect a lot of people).

Measles Symptoms

- A fever
- Runny nose
- White spots in the mouth
- A cough
- Sore, watery eyes
- Rash/spots starting on face/head and spread over the body

If you suspect a member of your family has measles, you need to stay at home and contact your doctor. There is also a free Healthline number you can call – 0800 611 116.

Cultural Week

In week 8 of this term 9-13 September, all classes will be involved in our school cultural week. Each class will study/research 1 country out of the 17 cultures attending/represented at Insoll. So, if you get some interesting questions asked at home that may be why.

Parent/Teacher Conversations

This is advance notice to let you know there will be formal interviews about children's learning and progress in Week 2 of Term 4 (22-23 October). Reminders and booking slips will go out closer to the time.

Kākano and Pihinga (yrs 1-2) Cross Country

When: Monday 16 September at 11.00am **Location:** Start/finish on the courts

Postponement Date: Thursday 19 September

All whanau and friends are welcome!

Reminder About Intermediate

Families of our current year 6 students are reminded they need to enrol at their preferred intermediate so a place can be secured for them for 2020.

Insoll Honest Heroes – Week 6, Term 3

Congratulations to the following students who were recognised at this week's school assembly for completing their Hero Chart.

Room 1 – Jax, Kappa, Claire, & Ataahua

Room 4 – JJ, Grace, Jazelle, Tivi, Mihikore, Lessa, Kata, Anwar, Te Moemoea, Rosalie, & Maleila

Room 7 - Hayley

Room 8 – Tiara, Luka, Sopo, Falcon, Laci, Ataahua, Romeo, & Ben

Room 11 – Vander, Lance, Charlene, Diaz, & Connie

Room 12 - Ocean

Room 13 – Grace, Mohamed, Cruz, & Rita

Room 14 – Te Aohou

Room 15 – Chundoun, Kavaeha, Kees, Taylor, Tristan, Elijah, & AJ

Room 16 – France, Te Huinga, Kingston, Galaxie, Lola, Knylah, Zoya, Kearn, Madi, & AJ

Room 17 – Alexcia, Huia, Kosdon, Kiarna, Troy, Karlos, Te Tuiti, & Lily

Planning for Classes for End of 2019 and 2020

To help the school plan ahead for enrolments, if you have a 5 year old that will be starting either Term 4 this year or turning 5 next year, please indicate on the slip below

[Please return the slip](#)

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Planning for Classes for End of 2019 and 2020

I have a child turning 5 and starting in Term 4 2019

I have a child turning 5 and starting in 2020

Please tick

Family Name: _____