

Insoll Avenue School

Hamilton



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NEWSLETTER

Newsletter No 4 Term 4

Dear Parents and Caregivers – Kia Ora Koutou

Warmer Weather

With the warmer weather we are having, please make sure your children are dressed in loose, cool clothing. This is especially important at the moment as they are doing athletics as part of their P.E. programme. Children are also required to wear their green hats out in the playground for the summer terms, ie term 4 and term 1. If you need to get a new one, these are available at the school office for \$13.00.

Important dates so you can plan ahead for the holidays

Last day of school for term 4 2019
Thursday 12 December 2019 at 2.30pm

First day of school for 2020
Monday 3 February 2020 at 8.45am

Te Whānau Pihinga Trip to Rotorua

When: Wednesday 20 November
Where: Paradise Valley Springs, Rotorua
Leaving: 9.00am
Returning: 4.30pm
Permission slips have gone home

Senior Camp

Last week our senior students had the opportunity to go to Camp Raglan for 3 days. We have received some very nice comments (which we will share with you) from the camp owner and another person from the public that happened to be out there one day.

It's been a privilege to host your school. The children have been a delight and a great testimony to the way the school functions. Also the relationships between children/adults was warm and positive. The parents too were great in team work and duties. Your school team are making an amazingly positive input into the lives, that you have been entrusted with.
Thankyou

Could you please pass on my compliments to the teachers and children who were at Raglan camp last week.

I had occasion to spend a short time out there and I was very impressed with the lovely attitude of the children and the calm atmosphere. I realise the children might have had a late night before but I thought they were all lovely and obviously enjoying themselves.

Coming Events

13 Nov	Last Day for Scholastic Books \$5 parent offer
15 Nov	Touch Tournament at Peachgrove
19 Nov	Pihinga/Kakano (Juniors) Athletics
20 Nov	Pihinga trip to Rotorua
21 Nov	Disco
22 Nov	Last day for Lucky Book Club orders
27 Nov	Kaho (Middles) athletics
28 Nov	Mahuri (Seniors) athletics
4 Dec	Inter-school athletics
5 Dec	Kakano Museum/Pool Trip
6 Dec	Road Patrollers Day Out
9 Dec	Free Ear Van at school
10 Dec	Year 6 Dinner
11 Dec	Written reports go home
12 Dec	Last Day of Term 4

Awards

Individual Weekly 100% Attendance

Amanda R9, Danyel R11, Oshee R6, Ilyaas R2

Classroom Attendance

1st Room 7 – 89%
2nd Rooms 5 – 87%
3rd Room 6, – 86%



Bell Times

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

Kaho Athletics

Whanau and friends you are invited to attend the Kaho Athletics day on 27th November!

The Athletics rotations will start at 9am.

Things to remember: Children are to wear shorts and a t-shirt, bring a drink bottle and a HERO attitude.

Interschool Athletics

Wednesday 4th of December at Southwell School. The year 4,5,6 students that qualify will get a permission slip closer to the time.

Enrolment Zone

Enrolment at Insoll Ave School is governed by an enrolment scheme, details of which are available from the school office. Our Board has determined that 10 places are likely to be available at New Entrant level for out of zone students next year

Applications for out of zone places are now being invited for those students who will become eligible for enrolment during 2020. If the number of out of zone applications exceeds the number of places available, students will be selected by ballot. The deadline for receipt of applications for out of zone places is Friday 15 November 2019. An application is done by providing a letter to our office, stating the child's name, date of birth and address.

If you live in the home zone and have not yet signalled your intention to enrol your child later this year, please contact the school immediately to assist us to plan appropriately. If you require any further information, please don't hesitate to contact our school office.

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.

Softball / T Ball

The summer season runs from 19 October through to 7 December. We are offering the following teams:

Years 1-2: T Ball / Midget Years 3-4: T Ball / Giants Contact Whaea Debbie, Rm 13

Giants grade, Yr 3-4 are still needing more players. If your children are interested, can they please see Whaea Debbie in Room 13 as soon as possible.

The softball team (Year 5/6) is full. They are being coached by Matua Barry. For draws and cancellations please go to the Waikato Softball Association Facebook page.

Basketball for Term 4

All interested children, please see Matua Hare (room 2)

Insoll Honest Heroes – Weeks 2 & 3, Term 4

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

Room 1 – 'Ana

Room 11 – Te Wharangi

Room 15 – Taylor, Chloe & Nevaeh

Head Lice

We are asking parents/caregivers to *please* be proactive about treating your children's hair for head lice. Free product is available at the office.

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

GLOBAL FLAVOURS

MAAORI BOIL UP

Ingredients:

- 1kg beef brisket
- 1 big bunch puha or spinach
- 1 big bunch watercress
- 6 small kumara – scrubbed
- 3 onions, chopped

Trim fat off meat. Put into pot, cover with water and bring to boil. After approx 1hr change water and re-boil. Add veges, onions and seasoning. Continue to simmer until veges are cooked. Season to taste. Serve immediately.



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I am E for Excellent!
I am an Insoll Hero!

Name: _____ Date: _____

