



KAWERAU SOUTH SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Dear Mothers, Fathers and Friends

Welcome to the following new students:

Tegan Schick	Year 1	Room 3
Dereon Rongokea	Year 1	Room 6
Maia Peri-Woods	Year 1	Room 12
Patience Lloyd	Year 1	Room 12



Just turned 5 and ready for school, New Entrants Patience, Dereon and Tegan

Top School

This weekend on Sunday 23rd March our school will take part in the annual Top School competition held at Awakeri School. The first game starts at 10.30am. Do come along and support our team on what promises to be a very enjoyable day. Good luck to all contestants.



Kawerau South 2014 Top School Team; Back row - Bailey, Roshelle, Phillippa, Te Ohaere, Skylyn, Bradley and Ahirau. Centre - Jahqualin. Front - Lavina, Kevin, Damien and Paris.

Students Riding Bikes to School

Please make sure that your child has the maturity and confidence before allowing them to bike to school. It is a good idea to bike the route with them quite often before allowing them to "go solo". We don't recommend children under year 4 biking to school. A reminder - cycle helmets are compulsory. Students without helmets will have their bikes impounded.

Early Arrivers

We have a few children starting to arrive at school way too early in the morning (sometimes 7.45 am). There is no need for children to arrive much before 8.30am. The bell to start school is at 9.00 am.

Kawerau 60th Birthday

The weekend events are now just a week away on Saturday 29 March and Sunday 30 March. Our School will have a choir singing on Saturday at the "Prideaux Park - Culture in the Park" event. They are expected to perform sometime between mid-day and 1 pm. A copy of the weekends programme is on the newsletter so you can plan ahead.

Kawerau 60th Birthday Programme

Day 1 – Saturday 29 March	Day 2 – Sunday 30 March
9.30 a.m. Rautahi Marae PŌWHIRI Welcoming of guests Followed by cup of tea	10.00 a.m. Town Hall COMBINED CHURCH SERVICE
11.00 a.m. 16-18 Jellicoe Court OPENING CEREMONY Opening of 1954 Museum exhibition Overview of weekend events	10.00 a.m. Rautahi Marae (alternative option)
12.00 p.m. to 4.30 p.m. Prideaux Park CULTURE IN THE PARK Musical performances Static displays Food stalls	TOUR OF TOWN 11.30 a.m. Tamarangi Drive PAINT NZ BEAUTIFUL LAUNCH (opposite Pony Club)
TOP CLUB DEMONSTRATION Contact: Warwick Godfery ph. 306 9420 warwick.godfery@twoa.ac.nz	12.00 p.m. – 1.30 p.m. Swimming Pools Mural series 'Icons of early Kawerau' by local landscape artist Bela Ughy RSVP: Tracy Shakleton tracy@knzb.org.nz or ph. 09 264 1434
GENERATION GAMES Entries: Bob Austin: ph. 323 8835 bobaustin@mannasupport.co.nz	BARBECUE LUNCH Waterwheel Historic Trust Further 'Stories of Kawerau' Tickets \$5.00 Sales: Stephanie Johnson, ph 021 105 4531 or Jive Café ph 323 9135
RETAILERS' REUNION Contact: Ron Wells rjw26@xtra.co.nz or ph. 09 580 2251	7.00 p.m. Kawerau Cosmopolitan Club - DINNER AND SHOW Smorgasbord. Stories continue over dinner. Local band 'Dusted Off' Tickets \$30 Bookings: kaweraucossie@xtra.co.nz or ph. 323 7132
5.30 p.m. Kawerau Cosmopolitan Club - HAPPY HOUR - 'Stories of Kawerau' open mike session	1.30 p.m. FAREWELL

Middle Syndicate Fishing & Kayaking Day

A reminder that the middle syndicate has their fishing and kayaking days next week; Monday 24 March - Room 17 & Room 5. Tuesday 25 March - Room 14. Wednesday 26 March - Room 4. We have only just enough helpers - please let us know as soon as possible if your plans change. Thank you.

Future Events

Sun 23 March	Top School at Awakeri
Sat 29 March	Kawerau 60 th Birthday
24 – 26 March	Middle School Fishing & Kayaking Day
Thurs 3 April	Fun4U Day (Year 1-4)
Sun 6 April	Daylight Saving finishes
Thurs 17 April	Last day of Term One
Mon 5 May	First day of Term Two
Fri 16 May	School Photos
June 4-13	Life Education Caravan
Sat 21 June	Shortest day

The next newsletter will go home on Friday 4 April.

Stuart Cook
Principal