



# KAWERAU SOUTH SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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## Dear Mothers, Fathers and Friends

Welcome to the following new students:

Charlie-Cassandra Hiwarau	New Entrant	Room 3
Aaliyah Hirini	Year 3	Room 11
Lisa Hirini	Year 6	Room 8
Keyahne Patrick-Williams	New Entrant	Room 3
Ella Campbell	Year 5	Room 10
Arapera Campbell-McLean	New Entrant	Room 6
Coral Adams	Year 5	Room 8
Daymon Branch	New Entrant	Room 3
Charlie Russell	Year 6	Room 8
Mya Nelson	Year 3	Room 5



*Arapera, Charlie-Cassandra, Keyahne and Daymon, just started school and ready for action.*

## Prince and Princess of the Mountain Race

The Mountain Race is this weekend and we have 5 teams in the School Relays event. The school relays start at 9.30 (children need to be at Firmin Field to report in by 9am. The Prince/Princess race starts at 11.00am and runner must report in by 10am. The King & Queen Mountain Race starts at mid day. Do come along and support our runners.

## Athletics

A reminder that our school athletics day is Monday 9 November (postponement days are the 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup>). Children will need to bring shorts and tee shirts each day so they can run around easily and take part in the high and long jump. Make sure you bring a sun hat.

## Senior Camp Parent Meeting

There is a meeting for all camp instructors on Tues 3 Nov at 5pm in Room 8. Parents not attending the camp are also welcome to attend. The senior camp is on Thursday 12 and Friday 13 November.

## Lost Property

This will be on display Monday 2 Nov and disposed of Wed 4 Nov. Please check to see if any items belong to your child.

## Kawerau Swimming Club

The Club's 2015/2016 season is about to start and they would like to notify all schools of up and coming classes for the season. Afternoon Club Swimming (25m pool) will begin on Monday 9th November First class starts at 4:00pm and the next class starts at 5:00pm. These classes are an hour long. Contact Carol Keightley on (07) 323 6934 or 027 220 8776 for more information. The 10 day Learn to Swim program (aged 5 and up) is coming up as well, details for this are as follows: Learn to Swim: Start: 16th Nov to 1st Dec (No Lessons on Wednesday) 5.30pm to 6.00pm or 6.00pm to 6.30pm (30 minute classes) Cost being \$65.00. Enrolment Nights at Kawerau Town Pools: Thurs 5th Nov. Tues 10th Nov 5.00pm to 6.00pm Learn to Swim Co-ordinator and Coach Carol Keightley phone 323 6934 or (027)2208776. Justin Ross, Kawerau Amateur Swimming Club.

## Banking - First Credit Union

First Credit Union provides a school banking service to all pupils at Kawerau South School. School Banking is all about getting children in the habit of saving - It's not about how much they deposit but how often! So we are running a competition to help the kids with their saving! The class who has the most deposits banked between 12 October & 11 December will WIN a prize for each class member! The child who makes the most deposits will WIN a double pass to the movies! Prizes will be given out in the last week of term!

## Sun Hats and Sensible Clothes

The weather at this time of the year is starting to heat up and the sun is already intense. Please start reminding your child to bring a sun hat. Baseball hats and beanies offer no protection. Suitable hats are ones with wide brims that shade the face, ears and neck. Drink plenty of water and use sunblock when required.

## Mountain Race visitors from Australia

Each year a group of runners from Australia who are running in the King & Queen of the Mountain Race visit Kawerau South School. Today they met with our senior classes and talked about their experiences as runners and how they got involved in the sport. Australian teams have been visiting our school for over 25 years. It's great to see this tradition continuing and we wish everyone good luck in tomorrow's races.



*Members of the Australian contingent who will run in tomorrow's Mountain Race along with our Prince and princess hopefuls.*

## Future Events

Thurs 5 Nov	Tarawera High Senior Prize Giving
Mon 9 Nov	South School Athletics Day
Wed 18 Nov	Interschool Athletics
Thurs/Fri 12-13 Nov	Senior Camp (Lakes Ranch)
Thurs/Fri 26-27 Nov	Middle Syndicate Camp
Thurs 10 Dec	Prize Giving
Fri 11 Dec	Tarawera High Junior Prize Giving
Sat 12 Dec	Kawerau Float Parade
Wed 16 Dec	Last Day of the school year
Tues 2 Feb	First day of school for 2016

The next newsletter will go home on Friday 13 November 2015.

Stuart Cook  
Principal

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SUNSMART FACT

Cover-up 10 until 4

Protect yourself from the sun between 10am and 4pm during school terms one and four.

Te Kāhui Matepukupuku  
o Aotearoa