



# KAWERAU SOUTH SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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## Dear Mothers, Fathers and Friends

Welcome to the following students who have recently enrolled with us.

Krimzyn-Jade Te Rire	Year 1	Room 19
Chloe Blackburn	Year 6	Room 10

## School Photos – Tuesday 8 May

These will be taken on Tuesday 8 May – in the second week of Term Two. A Photolife Studio pre-pay envelope was sent home on Monday 9 April. We don't carry large amounts of cash and because of this we can't give change for photos at the school office. Please have the correct money in the envelope. A reminder too that the photographer does not allow credit, photos must be paid for on the day. If you did not receive a prepay envelope (and you have checked bags) then please see the office at the beginning of term two.

## Airforce Visit to Tarawera High School

On Monday a A109 helicopter from No.3 Squadron of the Royal New Zealand Air Force dropped in on Tarawera High School. The Squadron was based at Kawerau's Firmin Lodge as part of a week-long team building exercise and took the opportunity to spend time meeting students at Tarawera High School.



The RNZAF A109 helicopter shortly before landing at Tarawera High School.

## Duffy Role Model

Last week Kingi Biddle visited us and delivered a message to students about the importance of communication, getting good information and reading. Many of you will know Kingi from his background in broadcasting and the programme "Kai Time".



Kingi with representatives from each classroom after receiving their books.

## Climbing on School Building Roofs & Shade Sails

A number of children have been spoken to and parents contacted regarding this very dangerous activity. The consequences of a fall would be serious. Please remind children that they should not be playing around school buildings after school and during the weekends. It is not only a serious health and safety issue, it also causes expensive damage. We spent over \$1,000 repairing a shade sail at the end of last year and further recent damage has left us with a product that has a reduced life. Several sections of damaged guttering need replacing. Please contact us if you see children on the roof or call the police. Thank you.

## Throat & Swabbing - Rheumatic Fever Team Days Term Two

Next term the throat swabbing team are changing the days they visit South School. They will now come on Monday & Wednesdays from 9.00 am – 10.30 am. Thank you to Sandra, Liisa, and Kahu for the work you do helping our students with their wellbeing.

## Middle School Camp - Postponement

Thank you for your patience with the postponement, the sudden freezing weather, rain and strong wind caught us by surprise. The Middle syndicate plans to reschedule the event for later in the year, plenty of advanced notice will be given.

## Anzac Day Parade

Anzac Day Parade & Memorial Service. Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> April 05.45 am. Assemble – Ex Navalmen's Association, Onslow Street. Parade Fall In – March to Rautahi Marae. Memorial Service – Breakfast. All Welcome.

## ANZAC Commemoration

Each year we commemorate ANZAC in a variety of ways and classes embark on a variety of studies with an ANZAC theme. Each day for the last fortnight Room 10 have been setting out our memorial crosses to remember the soldiers who lost their lives.



From Room 10; Kacia, Jay-Lee, Steven, Rongo, Raymond & Rahia



Room 15 ANZAC artists; Ruby, Halo, Ameera and Rangiachia with their art.

## School Holidays Monday 13<sup>th</sup> April – Friday 27<sup>th</sup> April

Have an enjoyable and safe school holiday break with family and friends. School reopens for Term Two on Monday 30 April.

## Future Events

Monday 30 April	First day of Term Two
Tuesday 8 May	School Photos
Friday 6 July	Last day of Term Two

The next newsletter will go home on Friday 4 May.

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Principal

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