

Tena koutou katoa

I am very pleased to report that on Monday our attendance for the term at Tokanui School was at 99%. Well done everyone! It is very rewarding to have the children all returning to school at Alert Level 2. Well done to all of the parents who prepared the children well and helped them to feel confident about the return. The teachers have also done a great job of introducing the new routines and ensuring the children feel safe back with their onsite school learning.

We are required to send student attendance data to the Ministry weekly, from 29th May. The purpose is to report to the National Crisis Monitoring Centre and government on levels of attendance during the COVID-19 period.

Thank you to those who have been picking your children up from outside the office and texting to get your children sent out. This has been an efficient way to get children out of class without interrupting the classrooms and limiting the number of adults coming on to the school grounds. This system will continue, however if you want to come onsite outside class hours you can if you sanitise and sign in through the Office. We do want to keep communication up with our families so if you have anything that you wish to discuss with your child's teacher, just phone the office and we can arrange for the teacher to ring you or you may wish to make a meeting time.

Mrs Short has kindly offered to give us her services to support group learning in Team Karaka and to create an "Our Bubbles 2020" mural. Your children need to discuss with you the first name of each person that was in their Alert Level 4 bubble so that we can record these on the bubbles that they paint. Looking at their practice work, I think these are going to be great and will provide a bright new look outside the library area.

We had a lot of very excited children on Friday for the Camo Day. They looked great and Team Kowhai painted some beautiful ducks for their art work.

Ka pai to wiki

Kate Stevenson

Principal

"We can choose to be affected by the world or we can choose to affect the world." Heidi Wills

Calendar of Events:

- Monday 1st June - Queens Birthday
- Tuesday 2nd June - **Winter Hours - school starts 9.15am.**
- Monday 8th June - HPV Immunisation
- Tuesday 23rd June - Board of Trustee Meeting 7.00pm
- Friday 3rd July - End of Term 2
- Monday 20th July - Start of Term 3

Class Reports:

Team Kikorangi: We have been writing narratives this week and doing some art with Mrs Short. We have Mrs Callahan in today.

Team Kowhai: After a successful Camo day last week we have been writing some awesome stories and making some amazing watercolour paintings about duck hunting.



Team Karaka: Team Karaka have had the pleasure of having Mrs Short in the mornings this week helping with reading and writing, also doing some bubble art. She will be in Team Karaka for the next few weeks. This week we are learning how to write a narrative.

Team Papura: have completed their Kiwi Icons PopArt and are now doing some wildlife painting. We are writing some stories about Duck Shooting and trying to include interesting sentence beginnings in our writing. We have been discussing learning maps and the skills we need to develop to further our learning.

We would like to thank the ANZ customer who have supported the ANZ Schools Programme. We have purchased some Art Supplies with our reward points

Winter Hours start Tuesday 2nd June 9.15am

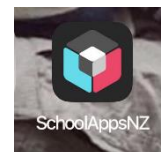
(Buses will run 15 minutes later in the morning only)

School hours	9.15am - 11.00am	Morning programme
	11.00am - 11.20am	Interval
	11.20am - 12.45pm	Morning programme
	12.45pm - 1.30pm	Lunch
	1.30pm - 3.00pm	Afternoon Programme



If you haven't already got the School App, then jump on Google Play (Android) or App Store (Apple) and look for School App NZ. Download it, look for Tokanui School, click on what Alerts you would like then you will be first to know what's going on as this is our preferred way of communicating. If you have trouble or would like help to download it, then that's no worry either, just ask Marylyn and she's happy to talk you through it.

Remember if you have got it to update your Alert preferences (If your child has moved rooms or has joined Kapa Haka etc.)



Tokanui Home and School Fundraiser- Entertainment book is now an app on your phone, no longer providing a book option.

As NZ moves out of the Covid-19 Lockdown, an Entertainment membership is a great way to find and support the local businesses that have been through some very challenging times recently. Support our community, and buy your Entertainment Membership here - <https://www.entertainmentbook.co.nz/orderbooks/9b31766>

I have always enjoyed being a school bus driver and have done it for 58 years, the last 20 years and 5 months with McDermotts Coachlines and the last 2 years+ with Tokanui children.

This was a big change because I had always driven high school pupils previously and it was strange to look in my mirrors and not be able to see heads, they were an enjoyable group to drive and were always polite and friendly.

It has been a pleasure to be a small part of the school and thank you to you all for making me feel welcome.

Kind Regards,

Graham Stiles

Utara Bus Driver



Lunchbox Ideas

1. *Try to include plant-based proteins in your lunches.* Use hummus as a dip with fresh veggies, soy beans as a snack and add chickpeas/kidney beans to leftovers.
2. *Roll it, stuff it or spread it.* Try different breads to keep lunches interesting like wraps, pita bread, fruit bread, muffin splits or rewena bread. Choose wholegrain.
3. *Cut sandwiches, fruit and vegetables into different shapes* using a biscuit cutter or knife.
4. *Use heart healthy spreads which are nutrient-rich* on sandwiches such as avocado, hummus, nut butters.
5. *Make items in bulk and keep in the freezer* eg mini pizzas mouse traps or frittata.
6. *Add lemon juice to cut up fruit* (apples and pears) to stop them going brown.
7. *Choose water,* the best drink for your child.
8. *A frozen drink bottle or icepack* helps keep milk products and meat/meat alternatives cold until lunchtime. Frozen bread also helps keep fillings cold.
9. *Involve your children in lunchbox choices and preparation.* You could make your own health lunch at the same time.

This week's joke: Can you name four members of the cat family?
Daddy cat, mummy cat and two kittens!



**Tokanui Medical Centre –
Phone 2468 850**

Medical centre is open but with strict restrictions.
There are no changes to the 111 service so please

call this in an emergency. Please phone the clinic to arrange an appointment time so we do not have people waiting and can clean etc. We have flu vaccines available for priority patients and have run some vaccine clinics please phone medical centre if you would like a vaccine. Nurse can be reached Mon-Fri 0800-1630 on 0278108801 and via 111 service out of hours.

Odd Spot: In the course of an average lifetime you will, while sleeping, eat 70 assorted insects and to spiders.



In order to keep everyone safe and in following the Level 2 restrictions there will be a few changes to the way we operate. Good hygiene practices have always been something we have taken seriously but we have made further changes to ensure your safety. We have new opening hours of Wednesday - Sunday 11.00am till 9.00pm with an all-day blackboard menu running from 11.00am till 8.00pm.

We will also be using a reservation system so please phone us to reserve a table for lunch or dinner.

All customers / visitors will be required to fill in our contact tracing register and be seated on arrival. We will ask everyone entering our premises to follow these Level 2 restrictions.

Our crew will do their very best to ensure great service, so please remember to be patient and kind.

I am now running a 600 litre spray tank specialising in gorse and bushweed spraying, also yard spraying and all types of hand gun spraying.

For enquiries or more information just give me a bell
027 860 1773 Kieran Duthie

Niagara Falls Cafe is open again and will be running our winter hours 11.00am – 4.00pm and closed Tuesday and Wednesdays. Following the Ministry of Health guidelines for hospitality, we have implemented a few changes-including less seating, limited group sizes, table only service and a check in tracing system upon entry. The system we are using is Checkin-19 There will be a QR code to scan at the door and we will have manual sign in sheets available as well as sanitiser. Sue, Dale, Lina and Ravi



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Southern District Ambulance AGM will be held on 22nd June at 7.30pm at the Fire Brigade Rooms. All welcome. Any apologies to Michael 2468 873 or Marylyn 2468 446

We are delighted to be open again after Covid 19 restrictions have been eased. Due to limited patronage at this time we will only be serving cabinet food and coffees Thursday and Friday 10.00am-3.00pm. Kitchen will be open from Saturday and Sunday 10.00am-4.00pm.

Thank you for your understanding during these times Keep safe and we look forward to seeing you again soon

Warm regards

Your friendly Fortrose Cafe team.



Camo Day Team Karaka



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