NEWSLETTER

TERM THREE WEEK NINE

18 September 2020

Kia Ora,

Te Wiki o Te Reo Māori 14-20 Mahuru 2020.

On Friday students had the opportunity to wear a colour to represent their syndicate and to celebrate Te Wiki O Te Reo Maori 2020. Kauri streaming Kaakaariki (green) and Rimu a ray of Parakaraka (orange) and Kowhai a sunshine of Koowhai. Despite the wet weather it was a vibrant colourful day. Kia Kaha!

<u>Mid-Year Student Led Conferences</u> School Finishing At 12pm.

We look forward to seeing you all on Tuesday to discuss the progress of your child and share in their successes this year at Otahuhu Intermediate School.

A notice was sent home to invite you to meet the teacher. Please ensure you have returned the notice with your appointment time. We will do our best to give you your chosen time slot. A confirmed time will be returned to you.

We will be applying COVID-19 health & safety regulations during our student led conferences. There will be QR readers and sanitisers outside each classroom. Face coverings are optional. We encourage all our visitors to follow normal COVID protocols to keep themselves safe.

We look forward to seeing you on Tuesday.

Y8 College Enrolments 2021

Year 9 College enrolments are closing for the term and we want to ensure all OIS Year 8 students have officially enrolled for next year. Contact the college for information and up-dates. Present at Student Led Conference will be Otahuhu College to talk and enrol your child in the school Library.

MoE Devices given during Covid 19 Lockdown Call Back

We ask that all M0E Devices /Chrome Book and the power cord be returned back to school by the end of the week before the term ends on Friday 25 September by 11am. Much appreciated.

CALENDAR

Maori Language Week
Celebration
14-20 September

School finishes at 12.00pm

Please make suitable arrangements for your child to get home.

Tuesday 22 September

Student Led Conferences 12:30pm - 7:30pm Tuesday 22 September

Board of Trustees Meeting 5.30pm - 8.00pm

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Police Mentoring Program & Travellers Programme Wednesday 23 September

Reading Together Programme 6.00pm - 7.30pm Wednesday 23 September

Last Day of Term 3
Friday 25 September

Term 4 Starts Monday 12 October 8.45am in class



Its an amazing experience going back to our old primary school and seeing our teachers again. We visited O.P.S and presented a slideshow on what life is like at Otahuhu Intermediate. One question that was asked, was - "What is the one special thing I like about Otahuhu Intermediate?"

Answer: "We have the best staff and teachers because they join in and play sports and do the fun activities with us".

Question: "What advice would you give the year 6s when coming to Otahuhu Intermediate as a year 7?" Answer: "Be confident and participate in everything for example trial for school sports, inter-class sports and other school wide activities eg Choir, Band, Chess Club, Latino Group, Bollywood Group, Breakfast Club, Office Monitor, Patrols......

Answer: Don't be scared because you'll meet new friends and we are a whanau at OIS. By Lily Tuisuva – Room 7





Ōtāhuhu Town Centre's 30km/h speed limit

Kia ora

There are new permanent 30km/h speed restrictions coming to your town centre shopping area to make this area safer for everyone.

Lowering the speed is about making Ōtāhuhu Town Centre safer for people in cars, shoppers, children and the elderly.

On Auckland roads in 2019, 40 people died and 567 were seriously injured due to speed. Everyone deserves to get home safely.



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