

GREEN ISLAND SCHOOL

Newsletter No: 13

Date: 10 May 2021

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Kia Ora, Dear Parents and Caregivers

WELCOME – to Addison Hall and Malachi Regasse-Bedane. I am sure that you both will really enjoy your time at Green Island School

WALKING SCHOOLBUS – has been started up again by a couple of our enthusiastic Mums, walking every morning from Harraway's bus shelter. They depart from there at 8:30am, heading across the crossing and then along towards Church Street. They carefully cross there and make their way along Shand Street to Howden Street and the school. You and your child/children are most welcome to join the "Walking Schoolbus". You can collect a free high-viz vest from the Office. Many thanks to Cat and Kerri for setting this up.

KAPA HAKA – Ana Pene as our lead tutor for the next 2 terms. We are also thrilled to welcome her 3 tamariki – Kaihi, Te Paihere and Makeo to our group.

THANKS – to all who bought school photographs recently. Our school FOTS Fundraising Group received a commission payment of \$339.17 from sales. Thank you for your support.

EMAIL ADDRESS - Are you receiving our newsletter by email?? If not, we either do not have an email address for you or an incorrect email address on our system. Please update your email address with the school office asap as from time to time other information will be sent out via email to our families.



PLAY IS THE WAY – Children must have sound and good reasons for the things they say and do.

SCHOOL UNIFORM - Please clearly name your child's uniform, especially their Polar-fleeces. We cannot return them to the rightful owner if they are not named!

BASKETBALL – 10 May 2021

GI Barracudas vs. Tahuna White, 3:30 Ct7

BASKETBALL – 13 May 2021

GI Sharks vs. Halfway Bush, 3:40 Ct4

NETBALL - unfortunately we have not had enough players to complete a netball team this term. If your child would still like to play we may be able to put them into another team with another school. Please see Miss Ford if you are interested.

Miss Ford and Mrs Burn will run netball skill lessons and games on Thursday lunch times for any children who want to train for next season.

HOCKEY – Wednesday 12 May

Kiwi Green Sticks vs St Clair, 3:40pm Queens High Turf

SPORTS UNIFORM – we have a large number of sport uniforms that need to be returned to the school office asap so they can be reissued for Term 2 sports. **We have had several uniforms returned that have obviously not been cleaned. Please ensure that they are washed before returning as this is very unfair on the child/family that receives it next. Thank you.**

MAGIC KIDS CLUB BEFORE SCHOOL CARE is now available from 7:30am to 8:30am every morning in the Green Island School Hall. To book please text your name and number to Magic on 0224665227.

FREE

- Second-hand boots suitable for rugby or soccer, from the Office. Pop in and have a look.
- Beautiful, hand-made masks, thanks to some very kind members of our wider community. See Kellie in the Office to look at the colourful range, all for free.

IMPORTANT DATES

- Fri 21 May – Scholastic Book Club orders due back
- Fri 9 Jul – End of Term 2
- Mon 26 Jul – Start of Term 3
- Wed 18 Aug – Year 5 Museum Sleepover
- Wed 25 Aug – Year 4 Museum Sleepover

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REMINDERS

- Bread tags to the Office.
- Empty toothpaste tubes/packaging to Room 5.
- Update contact details to the office.

CANTEEN LUNCHES MENU

Tuesday Sausage & Bread - \$2.00

Wednesday Sushi - \$3.90 to \$5.20
(Online Only @ lunchonline.co.nz)

Thursday American Hot Dogs - \$2.50

Friday Mince or Mince & Cheese Pies - \$2.50

The following items are available each day: -

- Small Cookie Time Cookie - \$0.70
- Large Cookie Time Cookie - \$1.20
- Chips - Sea Salt or Salt & Vinegar - \$2.00
- Bottled Water - \$1.00

OTAGO MEDICAL & DENTAL STUDENTS PRESENT
TEDDY BEAR HOSPITAL
SATURDAY 15TH MAY
10AM-4PM | HUNTER CENTRE AND CARISBROOK SCHOOL HALL
SOUTH DUNEDIN
Bring your children and their sick teddies to see our teddy doctors, dentists and more!
BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL
+ a few drop in appointments available
*Bookings not required for South Dunedin Community Day
To book or for more information head to our website tbdunedin.org or find us on facebook: Teddy Bear Hospital Community Day
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SPEIGHT'S HIGHLANDERS vs Reds
Fri 14 May 7.05pm
- TICKETEK.CO.NZ -

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TŪHURA CLUB
Otago Museum After School Programme
Wednesdays, 12 May – 30 June 2021
Looking for an after-school programme that ignites your child's curiosity, stretches their learning, and inspires a love for science?
BOOK NOW OTAGO MUSEUM
www.otagomuseum.nz/tuhura-dub

Nga mihi nui
Steve Hayward
Principal

P.S. Did you know that 6 out of 7 Dwarves weren't Happy?