



Hampstead School Newsletter

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PTA Our next meeting is on Tuesday 9 April 7.30pm.

BOARD MEETING

Board of Trustees Meeting 6.00 pm Wed 15 May in the Staffroom—you are very welcome to attend.

Student of the Week

Avah Wilson of Rm 12 was recognised last Friday for her consistent completion of work to high standards.

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Common phrases

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See you tomorrow



Daylight Saving: 7 April Daylight Saving finishes.



Open Afternoon: Next Monday 8 April any parents or grandparents are invited to come along and watch what is happening in classes. It is an opportunity to see around the classes and school. You are very welcome from 1.30pm onward.



Drawing Workshop:

The workshop on Portraits certainly inspired students to look more

closely and structure their work. Staff were impressed with the results. The work undertaken will be reinforced over the coming weeks.

Duffy Theatre:

We have two Duffy Assemblies – the first occurred last

Wednesday and was a play about Stuck in the game and tomorrow on Tuesday 2 we have a motivation speaker and presentation of books for each student.



We hope this promotion inspires people to read, to share the love of reading.

Gum Boot Day: You may have seen the promotion of a national well being day raising funds for Mental Health. We are holding ours on Wednesday 3 April. Students can wear mufti and are encouraged to wear Gumboots– but if they haven't got them just the usual mufti footwear is fine– don't go out buying them just for this. The short notice of this day comes about because of the Christchurch event, we have had to stagger notices. A coin for this Gum Boot Day would be appreciated.

Jennian Homes: Last Friday we received a cheque for \$500 for sports equipment. One of our parents Fay Jones entered our School into the competition. Thanks to Fay and Jennian Homes we will update equipment used by the children.

Science Extension: Mrs Cameron has been taking students for development work– pictured are some of the students using balloons as part of the programme.



Regards Peter Melrose Tumuaki/ Principal

Coming this term...

- ChCh Interschool Swim 4 April good luck Charlotte!
- Information on the Puberty Change Programme in our Library.– for Yr 5-6 parents 9 April 5.30-7pm.
- Juniors Firewise programme 1-12 April

Board of Trustees– Election in June:

Who looks after the finances of the school?

The board is responsible for the finances of the school/kura. The board approves a budget that is prepared by the School Staff. The budget aligns to school's/kura's annual priorities. The board monitors the school/kura budget at each board meeting– these reports are prepared by the School Staff.

The board oversees that the annual accounts are prepared which meet audit office requirements and are then made available to the School/kura's auditor. These accounts form part of the school/kura's annual report.

Nominations for the Board will occur in May/ June of this year.

FREE Books:



On Wednesday 10 April Mrs Dunne/ Mrs McClelland will have a selection of Library Books that have been culled available Free!– Between 3pm and 3.30pm come along and add to your home collection.

What's happening in Room 5?

We have had an action packed week!
Brett Fairweather came to school and
taught us some cool Jump Jam dances.



We also had the
Drawing Workshop
where we learnt to
draw portraits.
We are so proud of
our work!



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