

TOKOROA INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL

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Kia Ora Kia Orana Talofa Lava Greetings

Dear Parents / Caregivers,

Thank you to all those parents and students who attended the interviews last week. Thank you also to those of you who returned the survey forms; it was pleasing to see that most of you found the report and interview process a rewarding one. As stated in previous newsletters, these opportunities are important if we are to work together to make the learning opportunities for our students the best that they can be. While there will be Learning Support and Technology/Art reports at the end of Term 3, there will be no whole school report until the end of the year. Please remember that you are welcome to contact your child's teacher and arrange a time to discuss your child and their learning at any time during the year.

Phil Straw, Principal

FUNDRAISING EVENTS

Tok Int Year 8A Netball Team are holding the following events to raise funds for their attendance at the annual AIMS Tournament:

Trivial Pursuit Night at the Trees Tavern

Wed 4th August (tonight) starting at 7pm
\$40.00 per team of 4

Burger King Dinner Night

Thursday 12th August 5 – 8pm.
Buy your dinner at BK that night

Carwash at Challenge Petrol Stations

Saturday 14th August starting at 11am

Barbeque at The Warehouse

Saturday 21st August from 11am

SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY



Our annual School Cross Country will be held at the school tomorrow, 5 August beginning at 1 pm. Students will race in Junior Boys or Girls (Year 7) or in Senior Boys or Girls (Year 8). Parents are invited to view the race and encourage students.

STUDENT HEALTH

There are currently many students experiencing flu and other illnesses. While attendance is an important issue, and we ask that children are at school every day, we do recognise that children who are unwell should not be at school. It is better that children who display symptoms of flu and other illnesses, are kept at home. Please remember that it is also important that a phone call is made to the school office to notify us that your child is unwell. Our current procedure requires us to attempt to make contact with parents of all students who are away from school and no phone call has been made. This, you can understand, is an extremely time consuming operation and your one phone call is a great help to us. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

HIGH SCHOOL OPEN DAYS

Both high schools will hold Open Days over the next few weeks. The Year 8 students will be given the opportunity to visit on the following days:

Tokoroa High School – Friday 13th August

Forest View High School – Friday 20th August

KAI @ THE RIGHT PRICE

Population Health is supporting the following promotion to make eating fruit and vegetables more affordable:

\$10 & \$20 fruit and vegetable packs are available from Tokoroa Fruit Supply, Cnr Leith Place, Ph 886 6789.

Order Monday to Wednesday, pick up Thursday.

WINTER WARMERS

SOUP

Soup is great warmer for a cold winter's day. Serve with some wholegrain bread for a warm and tasty lunch or dinner. Try this yummy vegetable soup recipe:

- 1 onion chopped
- 2-3 cups chopped veg – pumpkin, kumara, carrot, parsnip etc
- 1 1/2 litres water or stock
- 1/2 cup skim milk powder
- 2 tbsp plain flour

Add veg, onion, water/stock into a pot, simmer until veges are very soft. Mix flour, milk powder and a little water into a smooth paste. Add to soup and simmer until creamy.

