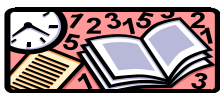




LEIGH SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Wednesday 9th May 2018



Dates to Remember

May	16	Interschool Rippa
	28	AGM
	30	Interschool Netball
June	4	Queen's Birthday
	13	Interschool Soccer
	13	Parent's Evening – 5.30pm
July	4	Grandparents' Day
	6	End of Term 2

Tena koutou,

This year, Leigh School has been working with Ella Evans-Guy, the Public Health Nurse on the 'Health Promoting Schools' programme. In this programme, we are asked to identify areas in which we would like support to ensure the overall Health and well-being or Hauora of our students.

The extent of well-being is now far more comprehensive than merely the physical health of students. Latterly, this has come to mean and include mental and emotional health as well, as there is, quite rightly, a direct link between a student's level of well-being and their achievement at school. So in short this means – happy kids = good learners!

Every second year we are required to survey parents and caregivers on the Health curriculum that we provide at school, to determine the degree to which we are meeting the community's ideas about the Health programmes that we are delivering.

This year, you are all invited to come along to school on Wednesday 13 June at 5.30 p.m. At that time we will conduct the Health Survey. This will also be an opportunity for you to have a look at the wonderful black and white photographs that the children have been taking in and around school, over the last couple of weeks.

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Upcoming events :

May 16 - Interschool Rippa

We will also be having a meeting about the Summer Festival and provide you with an opportunity to talk about whether you thought it was a successful alternative to the Carnival. We look forward to seeing you all there.

So mark the date on your calendar. Beer, wine and nibbles will be available and children are welcome to come along and enjoy a movie and popcorn in Te Waipuna.

Julie

Friends of Leigh AGM

Are you ready to put your hand up? Come along and join us on Monday 28th May 3.15pm in the School staffroom.



Pool Keys

If you have not yet returned your pool key can you please arrange for this to be sent to the school office. Your bond will be refunded once the key is returned. Thank you. Fay

Don't forget to visit our Leigh School facebook page for information and photos of past and upcoming events.

Community Notices

Not Even Once – Saying No to Meth (P)

A community event for families and the public, providing quality education regarding Methamphetamine (P) and the dangers that it poses to our communities.

MethCon presentations are extremely visual and hard hitting, exposing the real truth behind this drug. You will laugh, you may cry, you could be horrified, but you will definitely be enlightened by the experience. This is an 'eye opener' like no other, and if you are looking for food for thought, this is a feast like no other you will have experienced.

Dale Kirk is a former Police Drug squad detective and leading educator on the subject. He has spoken to thousands of people including High School students, community groups, Government departments and private sector companies throughout New Zealand. He is passionate about eliminating demand for Meth in New Zealand.

The events are scheduled for :-

Monday 11th June - Warkworth

Monday 18th June – Whangarei

Monday 25th June – Kerikeri

Monday 2nd July - Kaitaia

Monday 9th July – Orewa

For event information and bookings please visit www.methcon.co.nz/events

SUPA kidz

Join Trevor and Joan for fun and games music and singing stories and crafts on Tuesday, 15th May at The House of Learning 3pm, straight after school finishes.

A selfish boy becomes a leader who shares. We learn how it happened.