



**Leigh School**



## LEIGH SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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### *Dates to Remember*

July	6	Reports Out End of Term 2
	23	Term 3 begins
August	15	Mahurangi College Open Day for parents of Year 6 students

Kia ora koutou,

Well, finally today we have Grandparents' Day and the children have been so excited to be able to share the Enterprise projects that they have been working on throughout the term, with their Grandparents.

They have worked their way through deciding on a product to make, the resources they will need, making a prototype, testing and then improving their product, gauging other people's opinions and finally making the product by themselves, to sell!

Our aims were to firstly have the children learn about product development but also to be able to work together, collaboratively with a group to be able to do this. It's been hard work but the results are super impressive.

For those of you who were unable to attend the Parent meeting on 6 June, the power point display (shown on the night) made up by Helen Williams, is available to view on the back of this newsletter. It outlines how school money is spent and why we so desperately need your help with fundraising.

Have a great break, keep warm and we'll see you back here on the 23 July.

Julie

### **Upcoming events :**

July 6 : End of Term 2

### **2019 Summer Festival**

Yes, we are thinking about this already and we have asked if we have your permission to share your contact details (emails and phone numbers) with the Friends of Leigh committee, so that they might contact you. The idea is to get ourselves organized early and avoid any last minute panics. The date has been set as the **9 February, 2019** so if you are able to help out please contact Mikaela on 021 800 185 or 4226063 or email [moonhunt@yahoo.com](mailto:moonhunt@yahoo.com).

### **Condolences**

Our condolences go to Debbie Roberts and her family on the passing of Richard, their husband and father. Richard's funeral will be held in the Leigh Hall on Friday at 11.00 p.m.

### **Junior Hockey**

**7 July 2018**

Leigh Eagle Rays vs KF Silver Sticks  
@ 8.30am on Field 2

Leigh Manta Rays vs Matakana Kiwis  
@ 10.00am Field 3/4

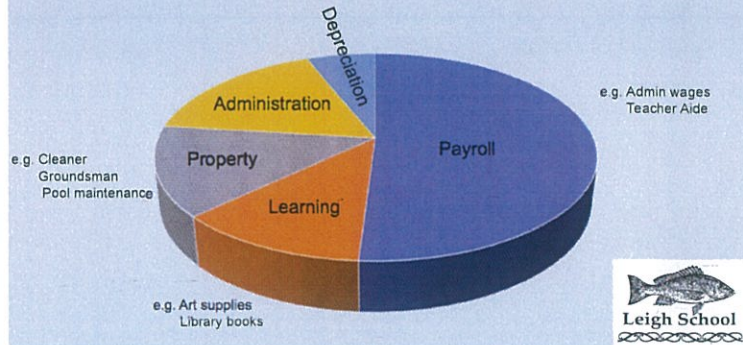
## **Community Notices**

**Piano Lessons for children and adults**  
Keyboard and Piano, \$12 per half hour. At school Tuesday mornings. Tutor: Marg Palmer. Contact Fay if interested, for further information.

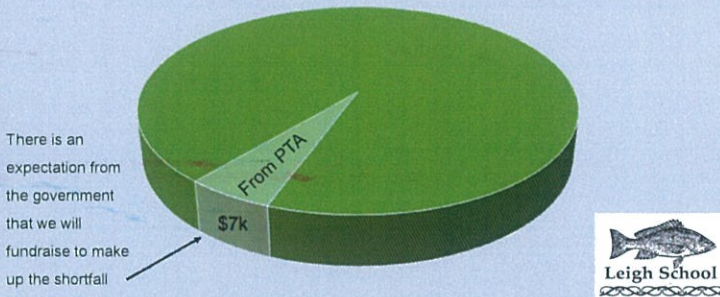


## Annual budget and the role of fundraising

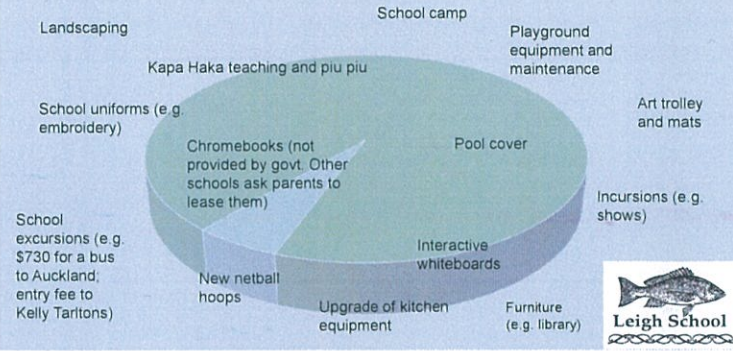
Leigh School spends approx. **\$127,000** per year on:



But only gets approx. **\$120,000** per year from the government



And then there are things not included in the budget:



We need all the help we can get!

- PTA committee members
- Fundraising ideas and champions
- Volunteers for fundraising events

Keep an eye on the school newsletter or see a PTA member to find out how you can help

Current PTA Committee:

*Chairperson:* Mikaela Schoevaart  
*Secretary:* Sara Mathers  
*Treasurer:* Helen Williams

*Members:* Scott Wilson  
 Carrie Fowler  
 Julie Turner

New members welcome!

**A great big  
 THANK YOU!!!!!!**

To Caroline Haggitt for doing a wonderful job as PTA Chairperson for the last 5 years!!!

