



LEIGH SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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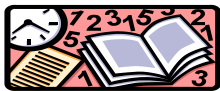
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Wednesday 27th March 2019



Dates to Remember

Mar	29	Morning Tea at the Fisheries
April	3	Parent/Teacher/Child Interviews
	12	Term 1 ends
	29	Term 2 begins
May	2	Hearing & Vision Testing

Kia ora,

In June this year, we will be holding our triennial Board of Trustee elections. Before this time, we will be calling for nominations for those who think that they might like to become a member of the Leigh School Board of Trustees.

The Board of Trustees is made up of five elected representatives from the community, a staff representative and me, the Principal.

The tenure of the existing Board members comes to an end and those already on the Board need to be re-nominated if they wish to stand for another three year term.

Parents, caregivers and people from the wider community can all be elected to the Board (with the exception of a few who may have a criminal record, be declared bankrupt, etc).

All that is needed is a commitment to children's wellbeing and their education and the skills to help improve student achievement.

If you feel you might like to consider being nominated or would like more information as to what the role entails, please have a chat to either Chris Calder or myself.

It is also possible for you to come along to a Board meeting to see what we do and the decisions that are made each month, to keep the school running as well as it does.

Julie

Upcoming events :

March 29 : Morning Tea at the Fisheries

Morning Tea At The Fisheries

We are providing morning tea for The Fisheries staff on Friday morning, 29th March 2019. Please help by providing a plate of savoury or sweet finger food, to be delivered to the school before 8am on Friday.

We need two parents to help with setting up the morning tea at The Fisheries at 8am. Please let Fay or Julie know if you are able to help with this.

Welcome

Welcome Ayva in Te Waipuna and to Kahli her mum. Welcome back also to Daylia and Rivers and their parents, Kara and Cory. Daylia is in Te Awa and Rivers in Te Waipuna.

Chairs

We have ex-classroom childrens' chairs which the school no longer needs. These chairs are for sale by donation to the school. Contact the school office if you are interested in any of them.

Strep Sore Throat

We would like to advise parents that we have had some cases of Strep Throat at Leigh School recently. This illness is very contagious and is usually spread by contact with the secretions of a strep sore throat. Early signs are headache, vomiting and sore throat. It should be treated with antibiotics.

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



Lee Fish (The Fisheries)
 Leigh Eats
 Leigh Bar
 Leigh General Store
 John Kemp
 Scott Wilson
 Patoka HomeKill
 Topuni Timber
 Beetopia
 Hot Az Hell
 Thrive Catering
 G.J Gardner Homes
 Wellsford 4 Square
 Gull Matakana
 Junction Magazine
 Mahurangi Matters
 Rodney Times
 Will Searle – Built Environments
 Insite Security
 Bandwagon
 New World Warkworth
 Monaghan's
 Coca Cola Amatil
 Printing Consultants
 Northland Waste
 Harcourts
 Mike & Fiona Francis
 Simple Signman
 Goat Island Marine Discovery Centre
 THOR Charters
 Leigh Electrical
 Leigh Motors
 Frick Atkins
 Leigh Central
 The Village Butchery Matakana
 Matakana Liquor
 Strongman's Trucking
 Pam Brown,
 Amy & Cleo Penman,
 Levi, Mema, Fish and Bread, Hayley (Bands)
 Warkworth Toyota
 Greene's Painting
 Geokincern Ltd,
 Amy Bridgford and her daughter Dahli
 Mike Pero
 Norma Jean Charters
 Mahu City Express
 Bayley's Real Estate
 Eden Consultants
 Acorn Chiropractic
 Glasshape
 Biscuit (Robert McLean)
 GretchenThomason
 Matakana Smokehouse
 Rhodes for Roads
 L J Hooker

Community Notices

ARE YOU FACING CHALLENGES
AND DIFFICULTIES IN YOUR LIFE?

Free Counselling Available

*Six free sessions
available with our
counsellor for women
with dependent children
(under 18 years).*

Counsellor in training also available
free of charge to women without
dependent children

Ph: 0800 237 674
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Measles

Are you and your children protected from measles?

There are currently cases of measles in NZ and potentially in our community. Measles is highly infectious. Measles is preventable. Measles is a highly infectious virus that spreads easily from person to person through the air, via breathing, coughing and sneezing. It affects both children and adults.

To be protected children need to have had two doses of measles containing vaccine. These are free. Talk to your GP or practice nurse about getting immunized today.

Immunisation saves lives!

You can also click on the link from the Ministry or Health that gives you a full Summary, Symptoms and Prevention details.

<https://www.health.govt.nz/your-health/conditions-and-treatments/diseases-and-illnesses/measles>

For more information please phone your Public Health Nurse: **Ella : 021 823 620**

Nits

Nits are back in the school community again. We ask that every family please check their children's hair for nits or their eggs and if they are found, to treat them with Nit Shampoo. Many thanks for your help.