

Omanu School Newsletter



Principal's Chat

Term 4 is underway with a school roll of 534. We expect to end the year with approximately 545 children. All enrolments have our Enrolment Scheme (Zone) requirements and there have been no 'out of zone' enrolments this year, however siblings of out of zone children already at this school have been enrolled.

This term of 7 weeks and 4 days is the shortest in history! The last day for this term is on Wednesday, 14 December. We are glad that organising our terms around the Rugby World Cup was all worth it!

We are already underway with our school organisation for 2012. If you have children starting as 5 year olds next year at Omanu we ask you to complete enrolment details 'yesterday' so that our crystal ball gazing can be as accurate as possible. Any 'out of zone' applications for enrolment must be received by Wednesday 16 November. Having said that it is highly unlikely that places will be available given current roll projections for 2012.

This will be a busy school term. Lets hope we can get our beach back - and get into that water.

Rex Allott
Principal

School Assemblies

These will take place on 4 November (Yr 5/6 presentation), 18 November (Yr 4 presentation), 2 December (Yr 1/2 presentation). These commence at 11.50am, finishing at 12.30pm.

Term 4 Calendar of Events

So far we have the following on the books!

- 7-11 Nov "Enviro Week"
- 8 Nov Bryan and Bobby Show (in the hall 10.00am)
- 11 Nov Jump Jam Teams off to Nationals in Auckland
- 11 Nov 'Orange Day' for our Road Patrol helpers
Enviro Week Celebration
- 16 Nov Pre-School meeting for parents (2.00pm)
- 20 Nov Walking Bus Picnic
- 23 Nov Duathlon Night
- 26 Nov Yr 5/6 Symphonia Trip

Meetings

- Our Parents Support Group meets next Tuesday, 8 Nov at 7.00pm in the school staffroom. Please feel welcome to come along, discuss school development initiatives and help plan for ideas and activities that will enhance the educational opportunities for children in your school. Summary of fundraising activities to date: School Lunches, Chocolate Sales, Port Safety Day, T-Shirt Sales, Cake Stall and Fashion Show. Brenda Anderson - Convenor
Ph 574 6603
- The regular Board of Trustees Meeting takes place next Thursday, 10 Nov at 7.00pm.
- Whanau Support Group - the term 4 hui will take place on Thursday, 17 Nov. A notice will be forwarded about this.

Newsletter Sponsors

Please note our newsletter sponsors. We thank them for their contributions to the production of this regular school newsletter and ask everyone to use their services when they can.

Hockey Trophy Win

Roisin, Emilie, Briar, Diana, Abby, Carter and Finn have reported about their success this season, winning both the A7 and A8 grades (having been promoted during the season). That doesn't happen often - so a great effort from your team. The trophy looks great in our cabinet!!!

Duathlon Duathlon Duathlon

2011

Its that time of year again - please note the following:

Date - Wednesday, 23 November - postponement

- Thursday, 24 November

5 - 5.15 - Registrations (not already done at school)

5.15 - Race Briefing

5.30 - 7 - 14 Events

7.10 - Lucky Prizes Draws

Donations by way of sponsorship or prizes would be appreciated and can be left at the school library or please contact the school office for more information.

School Cleaning Position - Vacancy

We have a vacancy for a School Cleaner. Five hours per week.

3.00pm - 4.00pm daily (or as negotiated).

Full details available from our Property Manager

Greg Kilgour

Ph 027 442 5009

Public Health Nurse

Early protection from measles. With the recent confirmation of infections in the BOP, early protection is being encouraged by the Medical Officer of Health. The vaccine is completely free for children and adults.

Contact your local doctor or practice nurse. Its never too late to catch up with the immunisation programme.

Jimmy Jo - Credit Union North

Luck \$5 winners for September are Jessica Blewitt, Phoebe Soulsby, Gus Shivan and Jack McSweeney. Well done bankers!!

Old Phones, No Go Phones??

Send them along to school (box in office foyer). We only need a few more for the school to get a new video camera.

Congratulations

A superb effort at last weekends NZ Surf Pool Championships by Ella Pollock. Representing Omanu Surf Club Ella won a national title, gold medal in the 50m rescue medley and silver in three other individual events.

Jump Jam Finals

Good luck to the Jump Teams and our two Jump Jam Idol competitors to be held in Auckland next weekend.

Community Notices

Before school care needed?? Call the YMCA Tauranga - Mount Sports Centre \$13 per morning Ph 578 9272

Home Based Child Care available (through home based care provider, WINZ approved) Mon - Fri - all ages. Ph Jenna 022 091 8443

Do your Christmas Shopping On-line
Go to www.yourfastshop.co.nz
Participation funding goes to your school.

Continuum Dance Ph 575 2911 New dance classes Term 4 - at new Arataki Dance Centre Adults Tues 10am - 11am

Help For Learning Difficulties Rosemary murphy, Kath Miller (Behavioural Optometrist) available to talk to you. Mon 7 Nov - 7.30pm at Baycourt RSVP Developmental Learning Centre Ph 543 3997

Musical Theatre Show

“Colourful Soul” premieres at the Mauao Performing Arts Centre 9 - 12 November.

Tickets at www.colourfulsoul.co.nz

Mount Maunganui Dance Academy
Has a new phone number - 575 0880

Lost/missing from Ranch Rd
Silver, grey Yorkshire terrier (like Hairy McClary) named ‘Frankie’. If you have seen him please contact Sharon 574 1393.



Michael & Andrew Luker

574 3827

U-Save Investments

Charles Tomlinson

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575 3654

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