

25 October 2018

Tēnā koutou, talofa lava, bula vinaka, namaste, malo e lelei, kia orana, ni hoa, s̄baai-di, magandang umaga, xin chao, salam, sour sdey, kumusta, alaicom salam, greetings

Children are making wonderful progress at the Canterbury Swim School. Tomorrow is the last day of instruction. We hope to have the school pool open by Monday 29 October.

A reminder that children need their sunhat everyday during Term 4. Please note that caps are not school regulation - sunhats must be navy, wide brim or bucket style.

Uru Mānuka Cultural Festival

Seven of our schools participated yesterday at the Hornby High Auditorium. Once again, our bilingual unit represented us proudly. A big thank you to whanau who supported us at the matinee and evening performances.

NZEI Strike Day

We hope to know the result of the latest ballot regarding strike action soon. If members vote to strike, the date for the Christchurch region is Wednesday 14 November. We will let you know the outcome of the ballot as soon as we are informed.

Year 5-6 Education Outside the Classroom (EOTC)

Another wonderful programme has been organised for our Year 5-6s this year.

Thursday 29 Nov Quail Island

Friday 30 Nov Surfing

Monday 3 Dec Adrenaline Forest

Tuesday 4 Dec Big Day Out including Year 4s - Jellie Park & ice skating

Once again the school has subsidised these events and kept the costs as low as possible.

Total cost for Year 5-6s = \$65

Year 4s = \$15

Payment can be made at the office and payment plans can be discussed with Kersten.

New Pupils

We welcome Susie, Lalita, Kate & Ilahah into the school community this term

Upcoming Events

Friday 2 Nov Room 1-2 assembly 9.05am

Week 4 Junior Games Day

Saturday 24 Nov Hornby High Filipino Family Community Day 10am-1pm

Thursday 6 Dec Helpers' Morning Tea 11.15am

Thursday 13 Dec Year 6 Leavers' Dinner 6pm in gym

Friday 14 Dec Awards assembly 9.15am

Tuesday 18 Dec Last day of term 12.30pm

2019 term dates

Start: Monday 4 February

Finish: Wednesday 18 Dec