

Wednesday, 4 August 2010

Ko te Wenerei, 4 o Akuhata 2010

Ngā mihi ki a koutou katoa

Thank you to Matua Shane for organising a great home game for the Kawhia Buffalo Soldiers rugby team this past Saturday.

It has been a long time since we've had the privilege to watch a home game and it was lovely seeing many members of the greater community coming down to support our tamariki.

Numeracy Workshop

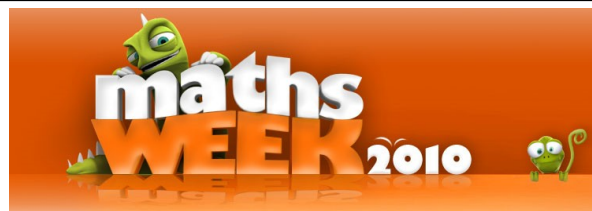
There will be a numeracy workshop for parents and whānau on Monday, 16 August at 3pm in Room 3.

Please make the most of this opportunity to learn how numeracy is taught and how you can support your children's learning at home.

Wishing Mrs Sherman all the best with her upcoming exhibition in Devonport, Auckland starting 14 August.

Kia pai tō koutou wiki

Leanne Apiti



www.mathsweek.org.nz—9-15 August

More Mathematics, More Prizes & More Challenges!

The Maths Week 2010 activities include:

- Daily Dollar
- Daily Dollar in Te Reo Maori
- Who wants to be a Maths Millionaire with Senior, Junior and Family levels.
- Mathematics Survivor Series
 - Amazing Maths Races:
- Around the World in 80 Days - the movie version.
- Auckland to Wellington by Overlander train.
- Maths places in New Zealand.
- Mathematicians around the World.
- Famous Aussie Towns. - from Gundagai to Mooloolaba.
- Family Fun
- Real Mazes
- Cantamaths (based on Manawatu Mathex for years 5,6,7,8,9 and 10 students)

Prize auction with over \$700 worth of prizes!

Numeracy Workshop

With Numeracy Expert, *Chriss Goodwin*

When: Monday, 16 August at 3pm

Where: Room 3

What is the numeracy project all about?

How children work out mathematical problems.

What each numeracy stage looks like.

How you can help at home

How children are assessed

Tongue Twisters

Swan swam over
the sea,
Swim, swan, swim!
Swan swam back again
Well swum, swan!

A big bug bit the
little beetle but the
little beetle bit the
big bug back.

COMING EVENTS

Wed, 11 Aug	Manual—Remember books, containers, pencils etc
Fri, 13 Aug	Pizzas delivered—please have payments ready
Mon, 16 Aug	Numeracy Workshop for Parents and Whānau—3.00pm

Coming Up

**Year 7-8 Overnight Trip to the Koroneihana
19-20 August**

A permission note will be sent home this week.

Ōtorohanga College Parent Interviews

A reminder that Ōtorohanga College parent interviews are being held at Hauturu Primary School on Wednesday, 18 August from 4.30-6.30pm.

They will also be holding interviews at Ōtorohanga College on Wednesday, 11 August from 4.30-6.30pm

Breakfast Club

Breakfast Club is on every day again thanks to the following people:

Monday—Whaea Alicia

Tuesday & Wednesday—Mrs Dimond and Whaea Karina

Thursday—Whaea Bubby and Matua Jack

Friday—Whaea Priscilla

If you can help Whaea Alicia or Priscilla, please let us know

A message from Whaea Bubby Bishop:

I would like a huge thank you to go into the newsletter for the wonderful surprise birthday. Firstly to the school for organising it, then the community.



↑ Moana holding up "Go Buffalos" sign for her team



WINTER WARMERS

Brr... it's cold out there!

Now that winter is upon us its really important that we keep eating healthy and stay active.

Winter tends to be a time when we eat more and hibernate inside.

This term you will get ideas about how to beat the winter blues and stay healthy.

Tip: Feeling cold? Do some star jumps to warm up!



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SOUP

Soup is great warmer for a cold winter's day. Serve with some wholegrain bread for a warm and tasty lunch or dinner. Try this yummy vegetable soup recipe:

- 1 onion chopped
- 2-3 cups chopped veg – pumpkin, kumara, carrot, parsnip etc
- 1 1/2 litres water or stock
- 1/2 cup skim milk powder
- 2 tbsp plain flour

Add veg, onion, water/stock into a pot, simmer until veges are very soft. Mix flour, milk powder and a little water into a smooth paste. Add to soup and simmer until creamy.



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Celebrating 15 years of Duffy Books in Homes

We have two exciting events coming up this term:

- 1. Duffy Theatre—2 September*
- 2. Singer, Shona Laing will be our Duffy Hero giving out the latest Duffy Books to the children.*

More details to come

Thanks to Alice and Zoe for organising the books.

We are grateful for our sponsors this year:

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