



**Kia ora tatou katoa - hi everyone**

**No 8**

**23 March 2017**

**WELCOME** to Kodi Pullan-Miers who recently started school in Room 10.

### **YEAR 5/6 HANMER SPRINGS CHEESE ROLLS FUNDRAISER**

Thank you to Alana Loader, Mel Isitt, Rachel Maule, Karen Browne and Phillippa Smith who put in a MAMMOTH EFFORT to make 2,208 cheese rolls on Tuesday. The \$900 raised will go towards the Year 5 & 6 camp. This effort was for the benefit of ALL children and they are wonderful example of generous selfless workers who have contributed to our school.

The school initiated and organised two camp fundraisers for families to opt into. In 2016 there was sweet selling that raised \$608.95 for the families who participated. This year the Mega Mitre 10 BBQ provided a \$5 subsidy for non-participating families and a \$31 subsidy for participating families.



The Community Open Day is a chance to meet the Christchurch Northern Corridor (CNC) team, find out about the project and ask questions. There will be presentations, machinery on display and information available on the project. People will also be able to see the innovative construction methods that will be used and have their say on urban design and landscaping concepts.

Bring the family, kids will be able to get up close to diggers and trucks, make a windmill and play games. Papanui Primary School will have a sausage sizzle fundraiser going-so bring a gold coin donation. Free entry. <https://www.facebook.com/events/640894032764618/>

**The Famous Five (cheeserollers) are having a night off so we'd love to have some other parents who could help out with cooking the sausages at this event. Please contact the School Office to volunteer.**

### **PTA EASTER RAFFLE ~ FRIDAY 31 MARCH ~ MUFTI DAY**

- Children to please bring an Easter treat on the Mufti Day as a donation that will go into the prizes - Easter Hampers
- Children will bring home raffle tickets on the Mufti Day for you to sell to friends, neighbours, workmates.
- Raffle tickets and money are due back to school Friday 7 April
- Raffle drawn and prize winners notified the week leading up to Easter



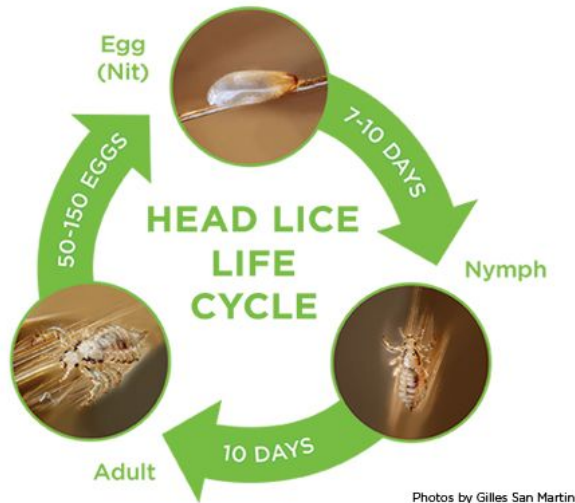
If you don't think the Easter Theme is appropriate your donation could be a healthier option or around a gardening theme - seeds, bulbs, or even a tube of toothpaste! Our wonderful PTA team will show their creative side to accommodate these into the prizes.

## TOUCH RUGBY

Please return clean Touch Rugby tops to your team manager as soon as possible. Thank you.

## NITS - HEADLICE

Nits are a recurring problem at school that affect most children at some point in their schooling. Some children seem to be "nit magnets" while others may only get a few "visits". Here are some useful Ideas from the District Health Board.



### Prevention

The best way to stop infection is for families to regularly check hair. Finding and then treating lice will break the life cycle and stop the lice from breeding.

Also:

- Tie up long hair
- Nightly hair brushing

And do not share towels, combs, brushes, hats, helmets or other accessories

Apparently hair straighteners are great for blitzing live critters, cooking the eggs and loosen the egg cases.

If you don't like treating with shampoos Wet Combing is an alternative. The link below has a Youtube clip and instructions.

<https://patient.info/health/wet-combing-treatment-for-head-lice>

## PTA NEWS

- Celebrate World Water Day, reduce packaging and waste from lunchboxes and help the PTA fundraise! Brochures have been distributed to all families today and orders from the World Water Day fundraiser are due 31 March, with all other orders due by 7 April. You can also join the PTA Facebook page to get the same information, or give Eve a call on 0275668967.
- Uniform Sales will now take place after school on Monday's, starting next week. If you need any uniform for your child, come to the school hall between 2.50pm and 3.10pm. Cash or cheque only.
- Lunch Online deliveries take place every Friday. Just go to the website [www.lunchonline.co.nz](http://www.lunchonline.co.nz), register and link to Papanui Primary School. Once you have set up your account, you will need to make a payment of \$20 minimum before you can order and then you are set to order from the menu provided - healthy and treat options available. Orders must be in by 9.00am of delivery day.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

30 March	Junior Sports Day, 10am-2pm
31 March	Mufti Day
7 April	Senior Athletics
13 April	Cross Country
	<b>Term 1 Finishes</b>

***Kia kaha te menemene - keep smiling***  
***Paul***

## COMMUNITY NEWS

***Marist Hockey Club*** - Come join the Green Machine and play hockey this season. Registrations are still being taken for Kiwi Sticks (Year 6 & 6), Mini Sticks (Year 3 & 4) and Fun Sticks Programme (Year 1 & 2). Please visit our website [www.maristhockey.co.nz](http://www.maristhockey.co.nz) for full information.

***Host Families Required*** - NZIIU require host families for Thai students 18 April – 7 May who will be based at Papanui High School under a programme run by NZIIU. Board of \$250.00 p/week applies for one student or \$480.00 for a double placement. To register your interest please contact Michelle: 354 9323 or 0274 966 244.