



**Only 2 weeks to go and we need
your help at the fair! Sign up:
www.schoolinterviews.co.nz, code mbmc6**

Help us sort donations.

Mon 21 Oct and Wed 23 Oct from 6.30pm at the school hall.

Donate deli goods – vegetables, bread, herbs.

Contact Louise on louiseknorton@gmail.com

Donate your clean and sorted toys, books, clothing and household items.

Drop off at school any day between 8.30–9am or 3– 3.30pm.

Wrapped small chocolate bars for prizes. Drop off at school office.

For more information contact: jofullelove@gmail.com

Kia ora koutou

Welcome to the following student and his whānau:

Tamatoa Teariki (Kōwhai)



Upcoming Fair – We can't run the fair without you. We desperately need people to volunteer an hour or two. This is the school's major fundraiser and is only held every 2nd year. All money raised directly contributes to supporting your child's education. So far, of the 350 parents in the school, only 31 have offered to help. The more people who sign up the more the responsibilities can be shared, thus giving everyone the opportunity to enjoy the fair. **Please urgently sign up** (details on previous page).

Life Education – Charlotte and Harold from the Life Education Trust will be visiting the school in weeks 6 and 7. All students will attend. The cost per child is \$5.00.



Hats - Children are required to wear hats with a brim throughout the Spring - Summer terms. Blue and yellow hats have now arrived and can be purchased from the office for \$12.00 each.

Parking – A reminder that the 2 carparks outside the office are reserved for the Preschool during these hours: 8.30-9.15am, 12.45-1.15pm and 2.30-3.00pm.

EPro8 Challenge – Good luck to those students who are participating in the challenges tonight and tomorrow.


Western Zone Athletics is on Friday 8 November (p.p. Friday 15th November). Children who are involved will have notices sent home with them but if anyone from across the school is able to help with training the children for athletics or help on the day that would be much appreciated. Please contact sacha@otari.school.nz.

Te Taonga Horomata: Whaka-hoahoa. Virtue: Friendliness

The presence of a friend can soothe us, unleash our laughter, amplify our joy and diminish our sorrow. Friends are compassionate witnesses to one another's stories. We share our time, our attention, our love and above all, ourselves. We look upon strangers as friends we haven't met yet. Friendliness is the best cure for loneliness.



'Kind hearts are the gardens, kind thoughts are the roots, kind words are the flowers, kind deeds are the fruits. Take care of your garden and keep out the weeds, fill it with sunshine, kind words and kind deeds.'

|  | Activity | Who's Involved | Date & Time | Cost |
|---|--|----------------------|--------------------|--------|
| | Movie Fundraiser – JoJo Rabbit | | Thurs 24 Oct | |
| | Book Week & Scholastic Book Fair | | 11-15 Nov | |
| | Book Week Costume Day – Theme: Myths & Legends | All classes | Fri 15 Nov | |
| | Immunisations | Selected students | Tues 19 Nov | |
| | Life Education visit | All classes | 20-29 Nov | \$5.00 |
| | Twilight Fair | Everyone | Sat 2 Nov, 3-7pm | |
| | School Disco | Everyone | Fri 29 Nov | |
| | Yr 8 Outing | Yr 8s | Wed 11 Dec | |
| | Yr 8 Farewell | Yr 7/8s & whānau | Fri 13 Dec | |
| | Yr 8 dinner | Yr 8s | Tues 17 Dec | TBC |
| | Carol Singing | All classes / whānau | Wed 18 Dec 11-12am | |
| | End of term | | Fri 20 Dec | |

Have a great week everyone.

Ngā mihi nui
Clifford



Bunnings Wellington Central in Tory St is launching our garden nursery extension over Labour Weekend. Come along to enjoy the free fun from 10am – 2pm on Saturday 26 October. We'll have face painting, bouncy castle, kids DIY, potting station, popcorn and candy floss and live music. And on Sunday 27 October from 11am - 1pm we'll have kids DIY and a potting station.

Scary Night Roller Disco, Saturday 2 November 2019, 6.30–8.30 pm. Entry \$10 Skate/Blade hire FREE. Spot prizes. Pizza, Cupcakes plus other snacks will be available. Get your family or group of friends together for evening of great skating for all ages. Upper Hutt Roller Skating Club, 4A Railway Avenue, Upper Hutt. Ring/text 0226824517 emails rinkbooking@gmail.com skatewellington@yahoo.co.nz

BeYOUtiful workshops for young women aged 9 - 13 year old. We have been sharing mind health and wellbeing tools through workshops to over 100+ BeYOUtiful young women in Auckland since February 2018. Dee Petit is a Life Coach and I am a School Nurse and Mindset/Confidence Coach. Emma is a Mindfulness Coach and Massage Therapist. We will be inviting a yoga teacher to be included in the workshops. We introduce the young women to mindfulness, breathe work, yoga, meditation, wellbeing tools, core values, strengths, goal setting, creativity and more. We are excited to bring BeYOUtiful to Wellington for 2x1 day workshops on Saturday 15th February and Sunday 16th February 2020. We would love for you to share this opportunity to your communities. For more information see <https://www.facebook.com/beyoutifulyoungwomen/>