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SCHOOL**

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Dear Parents & Caregivers

**Tēnā koutou te hunga pānui o tō tātou hāpori.
Ngā mihi mahana ki a koutou katoa**

I hope you have all had a great week. There are a number of events happening next week, important for your diaries.

First, the staff are going on a guided walking tour of our local area on **Monday** and so we will be off starting as soon as we can after 3.00pm. **No staff will be available to meet and chat or monitor children I'm sorry.**

Wednesday 3rd March is **School Swim Sports**. The senior school start the day off from 9.30 until 12.00. These are all students in years 4 to 6. The junior school start at 1.00pm These are all students in years 1 to 3. Unfortunately, we cant tell you individual start times because sometimes there are lots of children in some races and they take longer and sometimes not.

Wednesday 3rd March staff have a **Maths forum** to attend at **Napier Intermediate starting at 3.30**. Again, there will be no staff available to meet or monitor children left at the gate.

Friday 5th March is **Teacher Only Day**. School will be closed.

Important Dates / School Events

03 March	School Swimming Sports
05 March	Teacher Only Day - School Closed
16 March	Coastal Cluster Swimming
31 March	Coastal Cluster Kio Rahi
2 April	Good Friday
5 April	Easter Monday
6 April	Easter Tuesday – School Closed
16 April	Final Day Term 1

School App settings

Please check in your settings that you have selected your child's Hub (Poipoi, Piki, Aoraki) so that you get alerts for the correct Hub. If you are unsure which hub they are in please check with your child. They'll know.

Hats Reminder

Just a reminder that the children need to bring their own hats to school. We don't specify what sort as children prefer different ones and we prefer they wear one. Children without hats are unable to participate in a range of activities unfortunately.

Junior Water Play Area



Poipoi hub are in the process of designing an outdoor water play area for their children. They would appreciate any input, support or assistance to help them with this process. Anything you are able to contribute would be gratefully accepted. Please see Hinauri or Emma.

Thank you to everyone who has contributed to the school through the ANZ Olympic Schools programme. Unfortunately, this has come to an end from the end of this month. Luckily we had enough points accrued to purchase these BeeBots which the staff have always wanted for the children.



**Koina ngā kōrero mo tēnei wā
Kia pai ō koutou wiki
Nāku nā**

Glenn

Important notice from the Public Health Nurse.

If your child has a serious medical condition (such as an allergy that causes anaphylaxis, type 1 diabetes, Epilepsy) they require a "Safety Plan" at school. Please notify the school office as soon as possible. It is a parental responsibility to ensure that any medication required is current, the safety plan is up to date and that the school is notified of any changes. If you child has Asthma, please ensure that they have an asthma plan from their Doctor and that they have a reliever at school. Any queries or concerns please contact me on 027 2924 234 or steph.hedley@hbdhb.govt.nz.



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