

# Newsletter

Monday 19<sup>th</sup> February 2024

#### Kia ora tātou

Many thanks to everyone who provided food and attended our whakatau last Friday. It was a great welcome for our new students and staff.

And a huge thank you to ADCR - Aotearoa Disaster and Community Resources for the food supplied to us recently for distribution to our school families. This was very much appreciated by all.

David Brock, Principal – Tumuaki

## **Icecream Monday and Friday**

To help improve our student attendance we are handing out icecreams at morning tea time on Mondays and Fridays to those students who come to school before the bell goes at 8.55am.

Students who arrive after the bell will unfortunately miss out on an icecream, so please try and get your children to school on time.

Late students miss out on instructions in the classroom and also disrupt the class when they arrive, so it is important that our students are here before the bell.

Any late students due to appointments will still receive an icecream at morning tea time.



## 2024 Start Date & School Terms

Term 1: Tuesday 30 January to 13 April Term 2: Monday 29 April to Friday 5 July

#### Coming up:

Mon 19 Feb	BoT meeting 5.30pm
Wed 21 Feb	PTA meeting 5.00pm staffroom
ri 23 Feb	Junior swimming sports
Wed 28 Feb	Hearing & vision testing

## Junior School Swimming Demo

Our junior swimming demonstration will be held this Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> February starting at 2.10pm.



# **Guess How Many Jaffas Are In The Jar?**



to raise funds for our AED lock cabinet. 50 cents per guess at our school office. The winner will be drawn this Friday.

#### Te rerenga korero:

Whakamaua tō potae Put on your hat

Tangohia tō putae Take off your hat

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## **Community Notices**

Music Lessons with Jessica from Garden Music at Moanataiari School!

Guitar, Bass, Ukulele and Drums.

Instruments and resources provided.

Contact Jessica at <u>gardenmusicaotearoa@gmail.com</u> for more information."

## **Kick Start Breakfast Club**

We are looking for volunteers to run our Kick Start breakfast club each school morning between 8.30am and 9.15am. Food is provided. If you are able to assist please contact the office on 868 6504.



#### Moanataiari After-School Care

Our after-school care service will continue to run from our school kitchen and Room 4 library. Join fun activities with our very experienced and qualified teacher aide, Donna Weir. Bookings can be made through our school office (868 6504) or by contacting Donna directly on 027 547 9407. Casual or regular bookings cost \$7.00 per hour per child.



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