

# Newsletter

Tuesday 4 August 2020

**This Week** 

Tuesday 4 August Final date for return of Keeping it Kiwi sponsorship forms and money

Thursday 6 August Jesters Pie Day

Friday 7 August Central Zones Girls Netball

Keeping it Kiwi Prizegiving Assembly
Hillary Wear What You Want Day

**Coming Up** 

Thursday 13 August Cross country Years 3–8

Monday 17 August Teacher only day – school closed for instruction

Saturday 29 August PTA Trivia Night
Thursday 24 Sept School disco

### Quick look:

New name for After School Care

PTA events

- Keeping it Kiwi wrapping up
- Sports photos



Room 11 led a wonderful assembly about the Cook Islands on Friday. Did you know that each star on the flag represents one of the 15 islands?

Congratulations to Hillary House, who have scored the most house points this term so far. They have won a mufti day on Friday this week.

Students from Years 4–8 were treated to a concert on Thursday given by students from Auckland Grammar School. We so appreciate having the opportunity to listen to such high-quality performances and to see some of our old boys.

Many of our year 1s celebrated 100 days at school last week. Here they are having a bit of fun with their teachers Mrs Hales and Miss Ash.





### Kiwi quizzing

We are looking forward to the Keeping it Kiwi prizegiving this Friday afternoon. The deadline for receiving sponsorship money was today, but donations will be accepted up until 9am Wednesday morning, so that we can process payments and allocate prizes. I wonder who will be the lucky winner of the iPad and the waterproof speaker?

Remember that it is your turn coming up - the PTA Kiwiana Quiz night is less than a month away! Start planning your costumes and swotting up on your trivia.

### After School Care / Kohia Kids Zone

We are delighted to announce we have a new name for our After School Care programme. On Friday we asked each class to come up with some suggestions and then got the students who attended after school care on Friday afternoon to choose. They have gone with **Kohia Kids Zone** or **Kids Zone** for short. Thank you to Room 1 for coming up with such a great idea.



A reminder that we have a Teacher Only Day on **Monday 17th August.** The school is closed for instruction. Kohia Kids Zone will be operating. Please book online at kts.aimyplus.com

### **Quick care**

If you only need your child to be looked after for a short time after school you can book in for a 3:00 - 3:30 session for \$6.00, which includes afternoon tea. Book at <a href="kts.aimyplus.com">kts.aimyplus.com</a> (you will need to register the first time) or talk to Sarah after school one day. For the safety of all students (Years 1–6), those who are still at the school gate at 3:15 will be taken over to after school care as we are unable to supervise them. The cost of an unbooked session is

# \$7.50.

### Winning words

Congratulations to Heidi in Room 16 who has won the prestigious Elsie Locke writing competition for intermediate students. The feedback from the judges was very positive: "Heidi's confident voice was a standout and her story instantly engaging." Her story will appear in the Level 4 school journal in November.

### **Road safety**

Just a reminder that the supervised road crossings are there for the safety of our students and that adults are requested to follow the instructions of our student leaders and role model appropriate responses. We would like to thank our amazing volunteer parent helpers for supporting us. We only have three slots that are being filled by our teaching staff.

Cross country is coming up next week; all students are training hard, however participation on the day this year is voluntary. We look forward to seeing some of you at Melville Park on Thursday 13 August.

## - Catherine

Congratulations to the following students who received certificates at assembly on the last day of term:

Rm 1	Connor, Rebecca	Rm 2	Abby, Evan	Rm 3	Pippa, Hudson
Rm 4	Damond, Graciella	Rm 5	Heidi, Angelica, Tanveer	Intermediate	
Rm 6	Lucas, Zoe	Rm 7	William, June	Tangoi, Emma, Summer, Shaun, Ed, Matt, Matthias, Tanishka	
Rm 8	Luke, Liam, Ruthie	Rm 9	Jenny, Leo, Rosamund		
Rm 10	Mauli, Lucy	Rm 11	Max, Charles	Excellence certificates Harley, Catherine	
Rm 12	Ryansun, Travis, Arthur	Rm 13	Aiden, Harshini, Annemie		

# **PTA Update**

### **Jesters Pie Day**

Fancy a day off from making school lunch? Support the PTA and order a delicious pie.

Go on to the school Kindo page and select from the various options and on **Thursday 6 August** your child will get their hot, tasty pie delivered to their classroom in time for lunch.

Order from the following: (NOTE: older students may want to order two!)

- Billy T Mince and cheese
- Billy T Mince and cheese GLUTEN FREE
- Kentucky Apple, blueberry 'n custard
- Kiwi Mince
- Maharaja Butter chicken
- Popeye Spinach, mushroom, feta
- Southern Man Steak 'n cheese
- Sausage roll small
- Spinach and feta roll small



Orders are open now and close at 11am on Wednesday 5 August.



### **KTS Kiwiana Trivia Night**

This annual event is coming soon! Tickets are now available - please email <a href="mailto:becca@kts.school.nz">becca@kts.school.nz</a> to book your ticket and register your table. Payments can be made on Kindo, at the office or by direct credit.

### Kohia Koha

Have you had a chance to look at our Kohia Koha site? This is our very own sell or purchase site, with proceeds going to KTS. There are some fabulous items for sale - bikes, books, clothing, art and furniture. Visit koha.kts.school.nz

### **KTS Sports**

### **Intermediate Boys - Central Zones Netball**

On the 29th of July, the Year 7 and 8 intermediate boys netball team went off to Windmill Park to compete in the boys' netball zones. We had a great time there even though most of us hadn't ever played netball before. We had worked hard to train up so we would be

ready. We played six games and won three. We had a great day and came 7th overall, placing 3rd in our pool. Everyone had something to contribute with Adrian and Ben D. great on defence; Noah, Dillon and Harrison proving themselves amazing at scoring; and Harley, Gavin, Archie, Sid and Tevita all doing great passing in the centre of the court. Thanks a lot to Mrs Thurman for organising the team and taking us to Zones, and to Anna for helping so much on the day. Thank you also to all those parents who came along to support us.

# By Harley and Tevita





# Netball

All 12 netball teams have made a great start to the season; it is awesome to see fabulous teamwork and positive sportsmanship on the court. We'd like to say a massive thank you to our enthusiastic supporters as well. Pictured below are some of our KTS Year 3 and 4 teams.



# Year 8 Basketball Team

Here are KTS Year 8 basketballers in action, winning their game last night 64-42. Congratulations team!





# **Community Notices**

### **Auckland Grammar School In-Zone Enrolments**

In-zone enrolments are now open. Please follow the instructions <u>HERE</u> to submit your application by Friday 25 September.

### WOULD YOU LIKE TO LEARN MANDARIN CHINESE?

Pistachio Mandarin Language Centre is offering Chinese lessons on Saturdays from 5+. Classes are 1 hour for total beginners, 1 hour for higher beginners & 1 hours for Adults for term 3 2020. Focusing on speaking and listening. Fun activities and conversations to engage students and to immerse them in a Mandarin speaking environment. Come for the first free trial lesson.

Start: Term 3 Saturday 25 July 2020 Venue: Kohia Terrace School, Epsom

Please Email: pistachiomandarin@gmail.com

Website: <u>www.pistachiomandarin.co.nz</u>; Facebook:

Pistachio Mandarin Language Centre Wechat, whats app or text on 021 1846993

### **Pform performing arts classes**

**Epsom Community Creche** 

# **Auckland United Softball Club**

### **Kids Up Front Performing Arts Holiday Programme**

Don't miss the Northern Mystics FIRST home game back at their home venue, The Trusts Arena - against the Good Oil Tactix. Match Day Partner Bhana Family Farms will be on site giving away bags of All Rounder potatoes at the end of the match.

Doors Open: 4pm Centre Pass: 5pm

Team Ticket Pass: 10 tickets for only \$130 – great value averaging at only \$13 per ticket

Use Promo CODE: MYSTSCH20 and receive a \$5 discount off Adult tickets Tickets on sale now at: <a href="https://www.northernmystics.co.nz/tickets2020/">https://www.northernmystics.co.nz/tickets2020/</a>





# After School Football Coaching Kohia Terrace School Term 3

### Details:

- Day: Wednesday after school from 3:15 4:15pm
- Starting date: 19th Aug 23rd Sept
- Location: KTS school field
- Age group: Years 1 3

Cost: \$75

Please email Joshua (joshua@wynrs.co.nz) for registrations/questions

