

Kia ora/Greetings

Board member selection / election

One of our parent BOT members made the decision to resign from their role at the beginning of this year. This frees up a position for another parent representative. This is called a 'casual vacancy'.

With the next BOT elections to be held in 2022, the board has decided to fill the vacancy by selection in the meantime.

If 10% or more of eligible voters on the school roll ask the board, within 28 days of this notice being published, to hold a by-election to fill the vacancy, then a by-election will be held instead.

Request for a by-election should be sent to:

Presiding member- Chad Adams

chad@pfseng.co.nz

by: 30th March, 2021.

Principal Appointment- Opportunities for your voice!

As you are aware I have resigned from the position of Principal of our school. We need your input in choosing the next principal. Please complete the brief survey (link on the school Facebook page and school website) or fill in the paper form sent home to you last week and return it to the school office.

There is an opportunity to talk to the consultant **TONIGHT in the school staff room at 7pm.** You are all welcome to attend.

Congratulations!

Today Koka Materoa attended a special ceremony to be invested as a Justice of the Peace. The process to become a JP is rigorous and only outstanding members of our community are considered.

He toi awe i ahu mai i Hawaiki

DIY Triathlon



Last Tuesday we ran our first DIY TRY- athlon. Athletes swam about 100m, rode about 1.5 km and ran either 750m or 1.5km. While we weren't many, we had a blast and enjoyed the opportunity to still complete the Weetbix TRYathlon.

A huge thank you to Mr Hannah and the number of parents who made this opportunity possible for our children.



Middle School Team Building Morning

Last Wednesday our Middle School children enjoyed a busy morning of fun team building activities. The weather was perfect! The children had a great time working together and getting to know each other and their teachers. Activities included the floor is lava, relays, towel throw and a very welcome swim in the pool. Thanks so much to those of you who were able to pop down and see all the action. We loved seeing you there!



Cultural Celebration Day Wednesday 24th March

Due to the multiple changes in alert levels lately, we are currently discussing what the Cultural Celebration Day will look like and we will update you on this next week.

Illness

If children are showing signs of being unwell we will have to send them home. This is always important, but even more essential in this Covid environment.



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Play @ Knighton

Our pre-school play time for 2021 is on Wednesday's 1.45pm-2.45pm
This is for enrolled children (and an accompanying adult) up to 10 weeks before their intended start.

Phone or email the office for more details or contact Anne Hoare ahoare@kns.ac.nz

Community Notices

★ Kids Yoga & Mindfulness Classes

Exploring yoga and mindfulness through interactive movement and games. Emphasising on calm breathing tools, gratitude & creative expression activities.

Classes aged 5-7 & 8-13 years, 7 week term

Contact Shelley Moynihan 0273572804 or message via Facebook Yoga Tamariki

★ Gold Ring Found on school grounds

This ring is gold with an inscription on the inside. If you have lost a gold ring and can tell us what is inscribed, please contact the office.

Sports

Inline Hockey - Unfortunately due to a return to Alert Level 2, School League will be cancelled this week.

Football registration day - Still going ahead this Sunday @ 2pm. Information on this went home today.

Other sports changes due to the current Covid alert levels will continue to be updated on the school app.



Stuart Armistead
Principal