

NPACS Panui 2024

New Plymouth Adventist Christian School, Term 1,
Week 6

Kia ora whānau, family and friends,

A big thank you to all of you who came to our School Information Evening. It was a great encouragement for our staff to see so many of you. The new flying fox is proving to be popular and it's fabulous to have it back in the playground. We also have a new bridge which has just been built. Our next stage of the playground refurbishment is to replace all the bolts with stainless steel ones and the replacement of the mud kitchen. If you know of anyone who is replacing their kitchen and has a stainless steel bench top please see me. Coming up next week we have Taranaki Anniversary day so no school on Monday and soccer skills on Tuesday. Please check the calendar as more events have been added. Nga manaakitanga ki a koutou kātoa. Blessings to you all.

The NPACS Team

NPACS School Calendar - 2024

Term 1 2024

11 March: Taranaki Anniversary Day

15 March: Swimming

20-21 March: Life Education

22 March: Swimming

26 March: **Paid Union meetings** from 1pm. See notice further down.

27 March: Weet-bix Kids Tryathlon

28 March: Girls Soccer Tournament

29 March: Good Friday- **No school**

1 April: Easter Monday -**No school**

2 April: Easter Tuesday -**No School**

5 April: Swimming

12 April: End of Term 1

Term 2

29 April: Term 2 Begins

29 May: Rippa Rugby Competition, Years 5 & 6

31 May: **Teachers only day. School Closed**

3 June: Kings Birthday Weekend
12 June: Rippa Rugby Competition, Years 7 & 8
28 June: Matariki
5 July: End of Term 2

Term 3

22 July: Term 3 Begins
27 September: Term 3 ends

Term 4

14 October: Term 4 begins
28 October: Labour Day. School Closed
11 November: **Teachers Only Day.** School Closed
18 December: Term 4 ends

Our G.R.O.W value this term is Godliness



Grow Awards, Term 1, Week 5

Congratulations to Conrad, Ryan, Hazel, Kieran, Carol, Arjun, Faith, Luke, Tormita and Eshwar.



GROW Awards, Term 1 Week 6

Congratulations to Aaron, Tiva, Lachlan and Valencia.



Happy Birthday to James



Easter Break

Just a reminder that school is closed from Friday 29 March and will reopen on **Wednesday 3 April**. Tuesday is a holiday for all New Zealand State and Integrated State Schools.



Weetbix Fundraiser

Its Nacho Week. Please send along plain or cheese flavoured nacho corn chips.



Library Bus

This comes each fortnight. If you have not filled in a form for a library card please get a form from the office. Due again next Friday.

Paid Union Meetings for Teachers

As all our teachers are NZEI members they will be attending paid union meetings on Tuesday 26 March at 1pm. We are asking all parents who can to collect their students from school at 12:30 as limited care will be available. School will be open but not for instruction. Please let the office know if you require your child to be looked after.



Kupu of the Week

Each fortnight we are adding to our bank of Māori words and phrases that we can say. This week our phrase of the week is good morning and good afternoon. Feel free to learn along with us.

Haere Mai (Hi-ree My) Welcome

Haere rā- (Hi-ree raa) goodbye from the person staying

E noho rā- (e nor-hor ra) Goodbye from the person leaving



Teachers Only Day Dates

The Ministry Of Education have given us two teacher only days this year to continue with upskilling ourselves with the Curriculum Refresh documents. These will be on 31 May and 11 November this year.

JUNIOR REGISTRATIONS OPEN
FOOTBALL FOR ALL

Girls Only Teams
Skills Centre

WINTER FOOTBALL IS COMING UP FAST. REGISTRATIONS ARE NOW OPEN FOR CHILDREN AGED 4-15

Please register by following the registration steps on our website - www.nprangers.co.nz/how-can-i-play/junior-registration if you have any questions please send an email to admin@nprangers.co.nz.

NP Rangers Football Club Registrations

Registrations for Junior players are now open for the new 2024 football season at New Plymouth Rangers.

<https://www.nprangers.co.nz/how-can-i-play/junior-registration>



Speed reminder

A reminder that its 40 km down Saxton Road and please keep to your side of the road.

THERMOMIX DEMO

SPACES LIMITED
SUNDAY 24TH MARCH 3PM-5PM
SDA CHURCH HALL

DEPOSIT YOUR \$20 (PER TICKET)
INTO: TSB
ACC NAME: NPACS
ACC #: 15-3955-0514323-80

RESERVE YOUR SPOT!

NAME: YOUR NAME
CODE: THERMO
REF: CELL NUMBER

RSVP: Janelle Hotter
E: office@npacs.school.nz

Fundraiser

Please come along and support this event. Proceeds raised go towards replacing our old laptops.



Help Needed

We need your help for the Tryathlon. It is major fundraiser for the school but we can't do it without your help. We will be asking for volunteers soon. Proceeds go to the playground refurbishment.

New School Uniform

Our new school uniform will be rolled in starting Term 2 2024. **Do not buy new uniforms,** check at the office to swap uniforms.

Weetbix Tryathlon

The Weetbix Tryathlon is on **Wednesday 27th March** at **Ngamotu Beach**. If your child is interested click on the link to register them.
<https://raceroster.com/>



Yummy Fruit Stickers

Please keep collecting as we can get sports equipment with them.



We need you!

We need your help with the fundraising committee. Please contact the office.



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