# Te Hihi School Newsletter 10 August 2012

# **CROSS COUNTRY**

Our annual Cross Country Event for all pupils was held yesterday. Thankfully the weather stayed fine for us but the wind was quite chilly. **Congratulations** to all our winners and good luck to those children in Years 5-8 who will go through to the North Counties Group Days. The results and photos will be posted to the school's website shortly.

#### **CHOIR FESTIVAL**

**Congratulations** to the choir who sang so well as part of the Papakura Principals' Association music festival last week.

Paris Boyce-Bacon Amelia Casey
Brooklyn Keown-Wohnsiedler Sophie Ellett
Olivia Russek Naaziyah Waja
Ella Chitty Bradley Moloney
Billy Fraser Savanna Wood
Isabella du Plessis Shania Moloney
Kendra Bakker Sarah Cappell

Connagh Borchert Helen-Mary Healey Pratt

Olivia Montgomery Jessica Greensill
Eva Millar Zoe Millar
Eva Greensill Casey Tahana
Carmen Guy Tayla Paulin-Smith

Taylor Robertson

# **MATHEX**

Congratulations to all students who competed in last night's Papakura Schools' Mathex Competition. Special recognition must go to our Year 6 team who won their event. An awesome effort!

Year 6

Jackson Wilcox Harry Arnold
John Kennerley Connor Gallagher

Year 7

Jackson Wilcox Abbey Peters Renee Wells Luke Fenton

Year 8

Emma Ritchie George Fitzsimons
Brooke Wells Joshua Goodall

# NORTH COUNTIES GROUP CROSS COUNTRY EVENTS

All Year 5-8 children who were placed in the top eight for their year level will be going through to the next stage of cross country competitions.

Years 5/6 Wednesday 22nd August Venue: Te Hihi Years 7/8 Thursday 30th August Venue: Strathallan

#### **AROHATIA TE REO**

Congratulations to all of the children who did amazing posters. It was very hard to judge.

Y7-8 1st - Emma Ritchie, 2nd - Tyla Russek, 3rd - Brooke

Yr 4-6 1st - Caleb Rosvall, 2nd - Jordan Thomas, 3rd - Zoe Christie.

Junior 1st - Sean Dicker, 2nd - Ripekapaia Wahanui, 3rd -

Porsche Frost.

Ka pai to mahi!

#### **SPEECHES YEAR 5-8**

Students from Rooms 1,2,3 and 4 will be presenting their speeches to their classes over weeks 4 and 5. Those who do well will go through to the semi-finals where the judge will select the best students to go through to the Year 5-8 Te Hihi School Speech finals. The finals are to be held on Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> August at 7:00pm in the school hall. A notice will be sent home with the students who get selected to compete in the finals.

#### **CENTENNIAL RECIPE BOOK**

The winners of the Centennial Recipe Competition - Free Recipe Book (when printed) are Niamh Henwood (Room 8), Zach Hall (Room 7) and the Filer family (Christopher Room 3 and Jessica Room 8). The class prize was won by Room 4.

# **COUNTIES MANUKAU STEELERS**

The Counties Manukau Steelers play Auckland in a preseason game at ECOLight Stadium in Pukekohe this Friday night. The All Blacks will be there and will first play each team in a 20 minute hit-out. Kickoff is at 6.00pm with gates opening at 4.00pm. Tickets are \$10 for adults, \$5 for students. Kids aged 13 and under are FREE for this game and all other Steelers home games . Pre-sales are available from the Union offices. This is a great chance to see our World Cup heroes and to support our local Steelers team.

# **DENTAL HEALTH**

Children needing urgent treatment can be referred to Papakura South Clinic by phoning 299 8112 by appointments. Please also note in future that all enrolment forms to be posted to 46 Beach Road, Papakura, 2113. Our opening hours are Monday to Friday 8am- 4.30pm and we will also be open during the school holidays.

# **FOTHS News**

#### KID GOATS FOR CALF CLUB

Brown and White, Saanen & Toggenburg X Kid Goats available from the 2nd July......for calf club. Highly intellegent and easy for young children to train. Viewing welcome.

\$45 Brown &white \$40 White Saanen PHONE 235 2176 or 0277423492

#### KID GOATS LOOKING FOR HOMES

Lovely friendly Saanen (white) kids, make great pets, weed controllers and are just brilliant on pet day.

Males available neutered and dehorned from 5 days old to

suitable homes only.

These kids will need bottle feeding for ten to twelve weeks. Phone Paula 235-3799

# Orphan Lambs Available Agricultural Day

Wiltshire sheep/lambs do **not** need shearing as they molt their fleece

#### Males (neutered) \$30 Females \$80

Text or email your details:

Contact Alisha Arvidson -

Text/phone - 021-266-8284 Email - alishanangel@hotmail.co.nz

Phone- (09) 296-0597

# **Orphan Lambs Available Agricultural Day**

Orphan Lambs available again this year up until end of September.

They are \$60 each and this includes Docking and Lamb vaccine. Toni Whitford Ph 027 2534024

#### **AG DAY**

The countdown is on - 7 weeks to go. **SATURDAY 29 SEPTEMBER** Thank you to all who have returned Ag Day Cups if you haven't returned yours please send it to the office by Monday.

Each week from now on we will be asking for donations of grocery items for our Grocery Hampers which are raffled off. There are house points available for children who bring items in as well as a class competition.

This week **PACKETS** and **CANS**. We will still accept bottles if you forgot to send them last week.

The chickens for Ag Day went home today. Entry forms for animals will going out Monday along with the volunteer/helpers forms. Please encourage any family member and former pupils, siblings, teenagers to put their hand up to help out.

Animal entries are due in on **Friday 24 August**, NO LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED. If an entry is not received your child will need to complete a project., with the exception of Year 1 pupils. The projects will be announced on **Monday 27 August**.

# School Calendar

13 Aug BOT Meeting

Ag Day Animal Entries open

15 Aug Clubs begin

22 Aug Year 5-6 Group Cross Country

24 Aug Photolife in school

Ag Day Animal Entries close

27 Aug Ag Day Projects out

Please follow the calendar on the school website

www.tehihi.school.nz

