

WE WELCOME: Jesper Sanderson and Skylar Beattie-Ford to Room 4 Mrs Kemp.

PIZZA HUT THUMBS UP AWARDS: sponsored by Gavin Ward this week goes to Jontee Taylor in Room 8 for fantastic reading and Te Rina Te Kawa for wonderful leading in Kapa Haka and working hard in the band.

SCHOOL INTER-HOUSE CHALLENGE



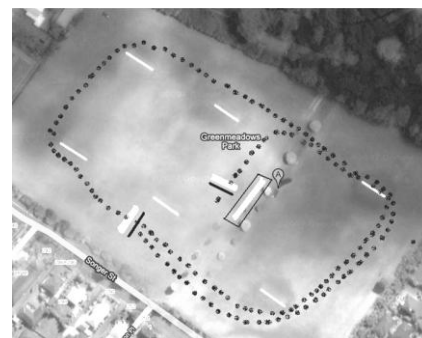
Last Friday we had a fabulous day with fantastic events and superb sportsmanship skills on display. Mr Logan created a day of fun and competition. The winner was Omaio. Our next Inter House activity will be the Cross Country.

STOKE SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY 2010

Next Monday 31st May (p/p Wed 2nd)

Early Lunch @ 12:00pm, Attendance at 1pm, Meet on Courts at 1:10pm
Walk to Greenmeadows assemble on bank.

- Race 1. 5 Year olds 750 metres (1 lap of bottom field, opposite direction)
- Race 2. 6 Year old Boys 1 km
- Race 3. 6 Year old Girls 1 km
- Race 4. 7 Year old Boys 1km
- Race 5. 7 Year old Girls 1km
- Race 6. 8 Year old Boys 1km
- Race 7. 8 Year old Girls 1km
- Race 8. 9 Year old Boys 2km
- Race 9. 9 Year old Girls 2km
- Race 10. 10 Years and over Boys 2km
- Race 11. 10 Years and over Girls 2km



INTERSCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY: is on the 9th of June, p/p on the 11th.

READING ROCKS: Next Tuesday we have a visiting performer; Adrian Kirk presents a unique and polished performance specifically targeted at primary school children. He combines his awesome skills as a juggler, unicyclist and comedian with a lively, engaging and hilarious discussion about some of his favourite books. The result is an hour-long, high energy, fun-filled show guaranteed to have the whole school community excited by books and inspired to read more.

Everyone will agree that **"Reading Really Rocks!"**

This presentation ties in really well with our schoolwide goal on developing reading. I would like to pass on our thanks to our wonderful school PTA for paying for this performance.

SCHOOL MARKET DAY: As part of our school wide unit on Resources and Economic Activity Stoke School is hosting its on Market day on Friday the 18th of June. More info to follow.

**"A NIGHT AT THE RACES"
8 DVD RACES ON THE BIG SCREEN
Saturday June 12th at 7pm**

This is going to be a great night of fun and laughter. Tickets are available at the school office at a cost of \$15.00 per ticket includes one free drink. There will be Auctions, Raffles, food and drink available. Minimum bets \$2 each so start saving your coins. Prizes for the best dressed lady and gentleman.

BREAKFAST CLUB: Is now on in the Woodstock Centre Monday to Friday from 8:00-8:45am. Anyone can come along and it is a great social time to have a chat before school. A big thank you to the volunteers who have made this club possible. We receive sponsored milk and weetbix but we pay for the rest of the items. If your family can contribute a can of fruit, a toast spread such as jam or honey or a packet of milo it would be really appreciated. Items can be delivered to the breakfast club or the school office.

LOST JEWELLERY: We have a range of jewellery items in the office that have been found on the grounds over the past 12 months. If you have lost an earring, watch, necklace or trinket then please come to the school office.

Community News

ARBOUR DAY AND WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY: Tree planting Community event at The Glen (Glenduan) Reserve on Saturday June 5th, 10am to 4pm. Plant some plants, free sausage sizzle, 11am Maori stories, 2pm Learn how ancient maori fish hooks are made, kids trail and competitions. www.nelsoncitycouncil.co.nz

FOUNDERS BOOK FAIR: Saturday 5 June to Sunday 13 June, 10.00am to 4.30pm. Entry \$2 day or \$5 for a 9 day pass. Children Free. Founders Heritage Park.

NELSON MOUNTAIN BIKE CLUB: 2010 Mini MTB Series at Conifer Grove, Rabbit Island on 1 May, 27 June, 18 July and 4 August. For more info see School notice board or Ph Chris 021 230 9120 or Wayne 027 439 1897.

STOKE PLAYCENTRE: where family and children aged 0-6 years learn together through play. Join us for fun sessions on Fridays 9.30am - 12 noon at the Stoke Memorial Hall (opposite the Plunket rooms). Contact Leanne Cleary ph 5450707 or Kathryn Lacy ph 5476260.

POWERZONE AFTER SCHOOL CARE: Pick-up available from Stoke School. OSCAR/CYF - WINZ subsidy available. 625 Main Road Stoke. For more information please call Elim Christian Centre on 547 2533.

QUEENS BIRTHDAY: Is on Monday the 7th of June.