

WE WELCOME: Baillie Fearn to Room 4 Mrs Kemp.

PIZZA HUT THUMBS UP AWARDS: sponsored by Gavin Ward this week goes to Ryan O'Neil for being a fantastic sound technician and Aaliyah Tawaka for her wonderful manners.

NIGHT AT THE RACES REVIEW



The PTA would like to thank everyone who came to, helped with or donated items for our Race Night on Saturday. It was a great success and we have raised \$3500.00 for Kapa Haka uniforms and reading books.

Best dressed prizes of the night went to *Donnella Milton and Paul Andrews.*

Next meeting – PTA AGM will be on Tuesday 29th June at 7pm in the Staff Room.

SCHOOL MARKET DAY: Today as part of our school wide unit on Resources and Economic Activity we had a market day. Students prepared products, advertised and sold them to experience the highs and lows of sales and marketing. This was a great event and a lot of fun.

STOKE LEAGUE TEAM: On Saturday between 10am and 2pm at the Tahunanui Playing fields the Tasman Rugby League Association have organised a School `Rugby League Tournament playing for the Simon Mannering Cup. Simon Mannering and Michael Luck from the NZ Warriors will be attending the day. Please come along and support our team.

REMEMBRANCE TREE PLANTING FOR ELIZABETH SHAW: On Thursday the 24th of June at 12:15pm Stoke School is having a Tree Planting for Liz Shaw. You're welcome to join us on this occasion outside the library.

TEACHERS ON LEAVE: In Term 3 Peggy Meeks will continue to teach in Room 1 as Desiree Russell continues to be on sick leave. Desiree will be coming in to team teach with Peggy Meeks on occasion, this will be a bonus for Room 1 to have 2 teachers. Amanda Thornton has applied for and been granted leave from Stoke School for terms 3 and 4. Amanda is travelling to Wellington to be with her family and we wish her all the best for an exciting adventure, we look forward to seeing her return in 2011.

ALLERGIES TO PEANUTS: Stoke School has 2 students in the junior school with severe allergies to peanuts. Peanuts are in a number of products and can be difficult to detect, we would appreciate your help where possible to limit the amount of peanuts in school lunches particularly when bringing a shared plate. We realise this is a huge task but are requesting this for the health and safety of 2 students at our school. Your assistance and consideration of this is hugely appreciated.

ADULT LEARNING SUPPORT: Get FREE help with your reading, writing, spelling or maths plus help with Trade qualifications, Correspondence School, Unit Standards, Drivers licence and more. For more information Ph 548 3041 or www.adultlearning.co.nz

KARAOKE WITH DJ or M.C. for your special occasion! Staff Functions, Weddings, Birthdays etc! Available now for bookings. All enquiries to Mark Troy ph 547 8477 or 021 327 754. (As seen at Stoke Schools "Night at the Races").

PRETTYSMART HUGE SALE: Another chance to buy and sell quality babies, children's and adults used clothing, shoes, toys and baby gear at bargain prices. Church of Christ Community Hall, 173 Rutherford St on Thursday 24th June, 9.30 5pm. Enquires Ph 5458100, text 0273273667. prettysmartsale@gmail.com

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 at Ph Chris 021 230 9120 or Wayne 027 439 1897.

CHILDRENS READERS THEATRE: at Stoke Toy Library, Thursday 8th July at 2pm. No practicing, no memorising, just FUN!. Enrol at Stoke Library by Tuesday 6th July.

ART CLASS ENROLMENTS FOR TERM 3: Jeana Packer, specialist art teacher at Broadgreen Intermediate teaches childrens art classes from her studio. These classes are designed to be fun, stimulate imagination, encourage creativity and develop an understanding of visual art. A maximum of 6 students per class means individual needs are catered for. Drawing and painting skills are developed and personal interests such as mask making, sculpture, printmaking or cartooning are explored throughout the term. As these classes fill quickly please email or call Jeana (ph 5474535 or email:lollypacker@fastmail.fm) Mondays 3:45pm- 5:15pm, Wednesdays 3:30pm- 5pm.

SWIMMAGIC: Holiday swim lessons for one week only. For more information see the school office board or Ph the **ASB Aquatic centre** on 543 9755.

SWIMMAGIC: Clinics for squad level swimmers: To be held 4-5pm at Riverside Pool, Butterfly Tue 29th June. Breaststroke Wed 30th June. Freestyle/ Backstroke Thur 1st July. Turns & Dives Fri 2nd July

Holiday Intensives: Lessons from Preschool through to Squads. Week 1: Mon 5th – Fri 9th July; from 8.40am Week 2: Mon 12th – Fri 16th July; from 9.00am. Ph **Riverside Pool** 546 3221 or www.swimmagic.co.nz

CREATIVE KIDZ - Drama and Movement classes for Children 5-10 years. A Professional Curriculum. Your child will build confidence, communication and drama skills while having lots of fun! Nelson and Richmond classes for Term Three start week of July 26. To secure your place or for more information contact Hester Phillips, 5466638 or 021 202 1573

JUST DANCE - Creative Dance and Movement Classes for Children 5- 10 yrs. Children have a great time, learn many new skills and become self assured and expressive dancers. Thursdays, Victory Community Centre. \$45-\$65 per term – sliding scale. Call Hester Phillips on 546 6638 / 021 202 1573 to find out more or to enrol

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.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING: Is at 7pm on the 21st of June in the school staffroom.
All welcome.