

## **Stoke School Newsletter 2 July 2010 Sarah Davies Deputy Principal**

**END OF TERM 2:** Today is the start of the school holidays and we start Term 3 on Monday the 19<sup>th</sup> of July. Thank you for all the support and help you have given Stoke School this term. Next Term our school focus is on Science Investigations, Speech Competitions and a special visit from a mobile Planitarium, called the Cosmodome.

**FAREWELL MS AMANDA THORNTON Room 3:** This being Amanda's last day for this year we would like to farewell and wish her all the best for an exciting adventure to Wellington. You will be missed.

### **RETURN OF BOOKS**

**PLEASE** over the holidays look for all school journals, reading books, other books and Library books that belong to the school and return these at the start of Term 3. Thank you.

**WINTER TOURNAMENT:** It was a great day for the Y5/6 students. They participated in Rippa Rugby, Hockey, Football, Boccia and Netball. All the teachers said they were very proud of the effort, attitude and fair play demonstrated by the Stoke School students. Well done for making it such a great day Y5 and Y6.

**MINI SOCCER:** The day was two wins, two losses and a draw – Stoke school just missed on going through to the quarter finals. Another extremely fun sports event. Well done all participants.

**PMP:** If you are available to help out with a junior school motor skills programme on a Tuesday or Thursday afternoon in Term 3– please let a junior school teacher know. The programme runs from 1:50 – 2:30pm on those days and we need more helpers! Thank you.

**CELEBRATING WE'RE STOKED:** Next Term on the Tuesday the 10<sup>th</sup> of August at 5:30pm we are having a celebration of Stoke School. Students will be sharing the band, Kapa Haka, guitar groups, E-Learning and class activities, the BOT will share our recent ERO report, the Teachers will be sharing our curriculum structure and we will be asking for parental input into the future for Stoke School. We want everyone there so please put it in your diary now, all children welcome, supervised programmes for children while parents sharing. For the younger families we aim to be finished at 7:30pm. Come along.

**BASKETBALL:** Registrations for Term 3, 26<sup>th</sup> July to 20<sup>th</sup> September at Jack Robins Stadium, Stoke. Years 1 & 2 Mondays 3.30 – 4.15pm. Years 3 & 4 Mondays 4.15 – 5pm. \$40.00 per player. More information Ph Dallas Ward 547 6419 or 027 297 6017. Registration forms available from School Office.

### **Have a safe and happy holiday! See you on the 19<sup>th</sup> July!**

**NETBALL:** Nelson Netball Future Fern Camp 2010 at Saxton Stadium 13<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> July. This is a four day Camp for Year 3 – Year 6 and is run from 1pm to 4.30pm at a cost of \$80.00. Enrolment forms available at the school office.

**ROLLER DISCO:** Saturday 3rd July, 7-9pm. \$7 entry. Tahuna Skating Rink.

**CHILDRENS READERS THEATRE:** Will be held at Stoke Toy Library, Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> July at 2pm. No practicing, no memorising, just FUN! Enrol at Stoke Library by Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> July.

**JULY SCHOOL HOLIDAY  
SPORTS, ACTIVITIES, PROGRAMMES ETC**

***We have a large range of information for the above on the school notice board in the front entrance. Please take a look to see if any would suit your child/ren.***

**ABEL TASMAN SEA SHUTTLE:** Under 14 travel FREE when travelling with an adult to any bay on schedule. Ph 03 528 9759.

**FUNKY MONKEYS:** Nelson School of Music Monday 12<sup>th</sup> July at 11am and 2pm. Tickets at [www.nelsonwinterfestival.co.nz](http://www.nelsonwinterfestival.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").

**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.