



Dear Parents, Whānau and Caregivers



Nau mai, haere mai, A very warm welcome to the following students and their families who have started at Paparang School.

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Happy 50th birthday Paparang! What a fabulous celebration has been organised! Pounamu and Rakau Nui children have been invited to be part of the Open Day Assembly on Saturday. We would like students as possible to be involved in the welcome for previous students and staff. Due to space constraints in the hall only students from Pounamu and Rakau Nui have been invited to participate. The welcome assembly involves the children singing and Kapa Haka. There is also a tree planting ceremony for everyone to be part of. After the assembly, classes are open with displays of photos from years gone by.

Pounamu and Rakau Nui students need to be at school at 9:45am ready for the 10am start. Meet in Room 1. The special events will be over by approx 11:30 and children will be free to go after the tree planting ceremony. Parents are welcome to stay for the morning and be part of the celebrations too. If you are unable to stay with your child, they must be collected between 11 and 11:30. (There will be no teachers to supervise children after 11:30.)

Jubilee Shop - Orders are open for commemorative **Jubilee Tea Towels** (\$15 each or two for \$20 - order form is attached to the end of the newsletter) and the Home and School Committee will be selling **raffle tickets**. A selection of **plants** that Paparang children have grown will also be on sale for a koha. (Eftpos is not available so bring cash for purchases.)

Parking - there will be limited parking in the school grounds for people with mobility parking permits. Otherwise we ask families to please park in the surrounding streets. As you know there are not many car parks available directly outside the front of school and we would like to keep these free for elderly guests so they can park as close to the school as possible.

Programme - SATURDAY - Open day from 10am until 2pm

- Welcome Assembly and Jubilee Cake, 10am in the hall. Then Tree Planting after the assembly and Photo displays: visit classrooms to see photos from years gone by
- Jubilee Cafe open for lunch in the hall: 12-2pm, various items available to be purchased
- *Paparāangi Kindy will also be open for visits via the shared pathway.*

Tree Planting – Thank you to the lovely people at the Jay Street Community Garden who have kindly donated many, many plants to help us celebrate the jubilee. We will be planting 50 trees on Saturday and visitors are invited to help. Yesterday the whole school walked to the Garden to collect the trees and carried them back to school. Uenuku students have made special labels for the trees to commemorate each year from 1968–2018. The bank where the trees are being planted is steep and we suggest helpers wear suitable footwear. Gardening equipment will be supplied.

Paparangi School Cross Country



The school Cross Country was held on Monday 21 May. This was a huge success and thank you to all the parents and whānau who came down to support all the runners on the day. Congratulations to all the runners! It was great to see everyone motivated to improve their personal best and the way they showed fairplay and encouraged other runners. Tino pai rawa tamariki! We wish all the runners who have qualified for the Northern Zone Cross Country and the Y1-3 Amesbury Invitational lots of luck. Keep training until race day!

Autumn Enviro-day!

Wow what a wonderful day last Friday was! The school is looking absolutely amazing after all the hard work and effort everyone put in getting the school ready for the jubilee. There was a major makeover for the compost system and some serious planting and bark chipping. We designed our own pictures for reusable bags and created planet saving slogan art. The school got a splash of colour thanks to several talented painters and the general tidy up was very well done. Kia ora to everyone involved! You are fantastic! Thanks to all the parents who came along to help on the day. We love it when our Paparangi whānau get involved.

Eco Warrior update

The Eco Warrior team have been researching the enviro-journey our school has been on since we became an Enviro-school back in 2005. We have designed the display in the library about this journey so we hope you love seeing it at the jubilee. We have also designed and built a new Skink garden on the bank behind Room 13. We haven't seen a skink yet ... but we are sure they will like it!

Royal Jelly!

On Monday 18 June the 'Co Theatre Physical' are coming to Paparangi School to perform their show "Royal Jelly." There's trouble in the beehive: a tyrannical Queen, exhausted workers and no royal jelly! Enter a human environmentalist, aged 11, who wants to save the world - a funny, informative and enjoyable show. More information can be found at <https://cotheatrephysical.co.nz/school-shows/royal-jelly/>. The show will be performed at 12pm and at 2pm so the whole school gets a chance to watch it.

The usual cost to attend the show is \$5 per child but thanks to Home and School fundraising we are able to offer a subsidy for this event. **Please send \$2.50 along in a named envelope to the office or pay on Kindo by Friday 15 June.** It's going to be fantastic!

Hexton Bee Company

Following our Bee theme, the Hexton Bee Company are selling Beeswax wraps. Made with all natural ingredients including 100% cotton, pure NZ beeswax from our own sustainably managed hives, tree resin and jojoba oil, the wraps will make you rethink the way you use plastic! Make unpacking lunch exciting with the Hexton kid sets of Reusable Beeswax Food Wraps! These are so easy to use – simply use the warmth of your hands to mould your wrap around your food. As we are a Green Gold Enviro-school, this is great way to help us on our wrapper free journey and help the planet!

Head to <https://hextonbeecompany.co.nz/discount/PAPARANGISCHOOL> or enter the code PAPARANGISCHOOL at the checkout and the school will receive a donation towards making Paparangi School more sustainable!

NZEI Paid Union Meeting (PUM) – Tuesday 19 June 2018

The teachers' union, NZEI, has notified schools they are holding paid union meetings, *during the day*, in June for their members. **The meeting for our school will be on Tuesday 19 June.** A Paid Union Meeting is a legal entitlement under section 26 of the Employment Relations Act 2000. Whilst we understand that this is an inconvenience for many families, this is a right for teachers and support staff who are union members, so we need to plan for the fact that they will not be here that afternoon.

Whilst the school will remain open, **we encourage parents to make arrangements for their children to be collected between 12.15 and 12.30 pm on Tuesday 19 June.** *From 12:30-3 there will be limited supervision and the usual class programmes will not be running.* We thank you for your support. We will send a notice home after Queens Birthday weekend to collect information about the early pick up arrangements for your child. Thank you in advance for your support and understanding.

Adventurous Learner Awards – Term 2 2018		
Uenuku	Pounamu	Rakau Nui
Harvey Mitchell	Finlay Bullock	Iris de Geest
Izzy Sliker	Melody McLean	Reachi Leang
Inaya Glassey-Clifford	Neve Hermann	Chloe Kim
Payton Taufale	Emma MacKenzie	Jemima Uy
Joey Alexander	Dario Alexander	Harper Graham
Evelyn Davies	Rhys Dixon	Hera Maihi
	Neva Flynn	
	Hayze Polson	
Taylor Sutton - Apologies it was Taylor Sutton who received the Adventurous Learner award in newsletter #8		

Home and School Committee Update

School Disco: We raised \$1,000 and thanks to all those who volunteered and helped on the night. A special thanks to Jessie from Ashfonics and Ashton D'Silva from Ray White for his continuous support to Paparangi School.

Raffle Tickets: Thank you to everyone for the raffle ticket sales to date. If you would like to sell extra raffle tickets please collect them from the school office.



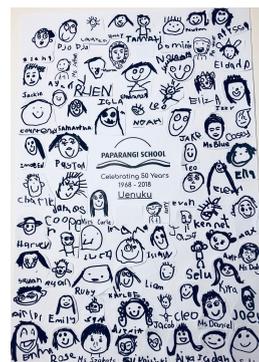
Public Holiday and Teacher Only Day School is closed.	Monday 4 June and Tuesday 5 June Queen's Birthday Weekend
Home and School Raffle	Monday 11 June
Northern Schools Cross Country	Thursday 7 June, postponement 12 June
Paid Union Meeting	Tuesday 19 June
Last day of Term 2	Friday 6 July

50TH JUBILEE TEA TOWEL

Dear Parents, Whānau and Caregivers



Paparangi School is selling special Tea Towels to commemorate the 50th Jubilee. Each Tea Towel contains self-portraits of all the students! Our students are designing the layout along with our teachers and the Tea Towels will feature their artwork. The drawings will be screen printed onto high quality cotton tea towels, 500mm wide by 700mm high.



Tea Towels are a great way to feature the children's own artwork and have them involved in the celebration of 50 years of Paparangi School. They make great gifts and are easily mailed to relatives, even overseas. The Tea Towels look great and are long lasting mementos of your children's younger days. Not to mention that they are great for drying dishes! We are still using tea towels from the fundraisers in 1999 and 2003 in the staffroom!



The price per towel is \$15, or purchase 2-for-\$20. Each syndicate has their own unique tea towel. It is possible to make use of the 2-for-\$20 offer and purchase one each from 2 different syndicates. Please indicate how many you want from each syndicate on the form.

The Tea Towel print run is limited so make sure you, your family and your friends don't miss out! Fill out the order form below. Tea towels will be delivered toward the end of term.



Final Order Cut Off: Monday 11th June 2018. Orders will arrive in early July.

Payment options:

- Order and pay by cash - named envelope to the office
- Order and pay by internet banking to the Jubilee account ASB Paparangi School 12-3223-0115693-01
- Order and pay using KINDO
- If you have any questions you can contact Ilona Szakats szakats@paparangi.school.nz or Ali Sprott alisha@paparangi.school.nz .



50TH JUBILEE TEA TOWEL ORDER

Name and Contact Number: _____

Student Name: _____ Class: _____ (For delivery)

Quantity Requested (\$15 each or 2-for-\$20):

Uenuku

Pounamu

Rakau Nui

Total cost of Tea towels: \$ _____

This form must be handed to the office with payment, by Monday 11 June.