

Monday 15th June, 2020

Kia ora koutou

This is Week 10 of 12. Today is the day where some of our tamariki/children have moved up to their new classes. We are so privileged to have small class sizes. This in the long run benefits your child and their ability to have one on one teaching. We have a busy week with Holly Bowen and Gwen Bleasel off tomorrow down to Taumarunui to attend a Learning Matters Spelling course. I will take both of their classes and Lisa will have her class. On Thursday Lisa will have a release day and Renee and myself will be in Tui.



When you are coming into school to drop off your child after 9am or picking them up earlier please remember to sign your child in or out. Many thanks for this.

Winter is Here:

It is that time of year again where we grab an extra coat and put on our gumboots to play outside. Most of our tamariki/children have already begun to bring their boots to school. I have spoken with them about wearing slippers in class. I am a huge believer of this. There will be no shoes worn in the classes over the winter period. Tamariki/children are allowed to wear slippers in class. They can bring a pair to school and if you have more than one pair at home you can choose to keep a pair at school.

Lunches:

Week/Date	Lunches:
Week 10 Wed 17 th June	Pizza Buns (Leanne)
Week 11 Wed 24 th June	American Hotdogs (Trudy)
Week 12 Wed 1 st July	Mince or Mince & Cheese Pies

Pool Keys:

If you have a pool key from last season now is the time to return it and get your bond back. We would like to get all the keys back asap so we can sign off for the winter. Please send your key back to the office.

Oxford Pie Fundraiser:

Thank you so much for supporting our school with the purchasing of pies. We managed to sell 444 pies and savouries. We made a profit of \$443.00. This money will go into the redevelopment of our playground. We are in the process of seeing what is available and what we can upgrade.

Our newsletters are now all on our website. So if you have missed any have a look on www.ngutunui.school.nz

Ngā mihi
Cleonie Whyte
Principal



Here are some Lockdown Poetry that the senior class wrote when they came back:

Hello energetic rushed Maddy,
Goodbye lazy loungy Maddy.
Hello rice bubbles and soggy cornflakes,
Goodbye pancakes cooked to perfection and drowned
in syrup.
Hello fried chewy steak,
Goodbye barbecue steak melting in my mouth.
Hello ugly uniform.
Goodbye robes, slippers and pjs.
Hello rainy cloudy inside days,
Goodbye sunny vibrant outside days.

Madison Jenkins



Hello stress getting ready for school,
Goodbye calmness as I lie in bed.
Hello artwork on the class wall,
Goodbye homemade artwork.
Hello frosty mornings as I roll out of bed,
Goodbye bed on those cold frosty mornings.
Hello friends at school,
Goodbye annoying siblings that are loud in the mornings.
Hello school books that are full with knowledge,
Goodbye motorbikes that are cold in the morning.
Hello early mornings getting ready for school,
Goodbye sleeping in, in my dreamy world.

Olivia Crane



Hello waking up early in the frosty mornings,
Goodbye brothers going off to boarding school.
Hello school taking up all my day,
Goodbye late nights watching movies.
Hello school friends and family members,

Goodbye my lockdown bubble keeping us together.
Hello honey on toast for breakfast,
Goodbye smoothie and pancakes in the morning.
Hello getting dressed in my cold clothes,
Goodbye staying in my toasty pjs for the day.

Zoe Garland

