

HORA HORA SCHOOL

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DATES TO DIARY

Wednesday 7 December Meningitis vaccinations
Friday 9 December Sports Day
Wednesday 14 December End of Year Assembly - 11.00-12.30 p.m.

WRITER OF THE WEEK

Rm 05 Antonio S	Rm 06 Anika R	Rm 07 Karl W
Rm 09 Cody S	Rm 10 Zane H	Rm 12 Gemma & Anahera
Rm 13 Nathan T	Rm 15 Scott P	Rm 16 Sharon M
Rm 17 Teghan S	Rm 18 Taane H	Rm 19 Ariki H

CAUGHT BEING GOOD

Rm 05 Te Kapua R-D	Rm 05 Devarnyah P	Rm 05 Jordana S-E
Rm 05 TamaTai B-W		

TERM DATES 2011

Term 4 Tuesday 25 October 2011 - Thursday 15 December 2011
(Please note that the last day of school is Thursday 15 December and not Friday 16 December as previously advertised. Children finish school just after 12 noon on this day.)

TERM DATES 2012

Term 1 Thursday 2 February 2012, 8.55 a.m. - Thursday 5 April
Term 2 Monday 23 April - Friday 29 June
Term 3 Monday 16 July - Friday 28 September
Term 4 Monday 15 October - Thursday 20 December

PrEP MARKET DAY

PrEP Market Day is being held tomorrow and the senior classes (Rooms 15, 16, 18 and 19) have been working towards this for a number of weeks. The Market Day is 11:15 a.m. - 12 noon. Parents from those classes are welcome to change their \$dollars for "Smilies" and buy something.

MENINGOCOCCAL C VACCINATION FORMS

Meningococcal Vaccinations forms will be sent home this week. Please remember to return your completed form to the office as soon as possible. If your child has had their vaccination, or you do not wish your child to have the vaccination, you must still return the form - just sign the "non-consent section".

SPARE CLOTHING

Do you have any clean spare children's clothes that you may be throwing out, in your spring clean before Christmas? We would be grateful to receive any clothing to help our kids if they get wet or have any "accidents". Trousers, shorts or leggings especially needed.

BASKETBALL GAMES

There is no basketball game this week. Thank you to those who came to the training on Monday after school and a big thanks to Jerome for his support. Next week, the training is Monday, weather permitting and the game is on Wednesday at Kensington Stadium at 4:30pm.

SCHOLASTIC \$5 PARENT OFFER 2011

This \$5 Parent Offer is a great opportunity for parents of Duffy kids to support their children's reading habits while also being a very cost effective method of giving them the gift of reading at Christmas.

Flyers will be sent home today. This offer is only open for 2 days, and all orders and money must be in to the office by Friday.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Kamo Athletics - 459 1931

Whangarei Athletics - Laeonie 438 8108 for Junior Track and Field

Maunu Tennis - Ray or Sue Webb 434 6898

City Cricket - Rich Pooley on 437-7683

Mairtown Tennis Club - Pete Stenberg 437 2194 or 021 2700 229

MOBILE EAR CLINIC

The Mobile Ear Caravan will be outside the Otaika Lotto and Post Shop on Tuesday 22 November from 8.30 - 3.30 p.m. Free for all children including pre-schoolers. No appointment necessary, just call in. Services include glue ear assessment, treatment of discharging ears, pre and post grommet checks, wax and foreign body removal, referral to Specialist Services.

THE INCREDIBLE YEARS

The Incredible Years is a parenting programme aimed at helping parents have a better relationship with their children; stimulate their children's development; gain skills to feel more confident about their parenting; have positive and nurturing parenting styles; lessen harsh parenting practices; and to establish better relations with the child's teachers.

Parents that have gone through the programme report that their children have gained in confidence; seem happier than before; are less aggressive; and are more compliant than before. For more information please contact Debbie Blain of Ngati Hine Health Trust on 0800 WHANAU (0800 942628) or 027 2555853.

Maunu Educare's Pre-Christmas and January Holiday Programmes

Educare will be opening, Pre-Christmas on Thursday 15th December through to Friday 23rd December and the January Holiday Programme starting Monday 9th January for 4 weeks.

Hours are 8.00am to 5.30pm based in the Maunu School Hall with an exciting array of activities being organized i.e. Glenbervie Adventure Forest, Reotahi Marine Reserve, skating and lots of swimming. The programme is OSCAR accredited, families can apply for WINZ assistance - conditions apply.

Discounts available for two or more children from the one family. Contracts can be obtained from Christin on 0274-821331 or imunro@xtra.co.nz

DENTAL NURSES - If your child requires dental treatment please phone 0800 MY TEETH (0800 6983384 and you will be advised of the nearest centre to visit.

2012 CALENDARS

We are currently taking orders for our popular 2012 Calendars. The calendars will have a colour A4 photograph of your child or children and cost \$6.00 for one or \$5.00 each for two or more (i.e. 1 for \$6.00, 2 for \$10.00, 3 for \$15.00 etc.). All orders are to be pre-paid and must be received by the office by Friday 25 November 2011.

Excellent for Christmas presents.

HORA HORA SCHOOL 2012 CALENDAR ORDER FORM

Name: _____ Rm: _____

No. Calendars Ordered: _____
@ \$6 for 1; \$5 each for 2 or more

Amount Enclosed: \$ _____

Children to be included in photo:

_____ Rm _____
_____ Rm _____
_____ Rm _____

**Please return to school with money no later than Friday 25
November 2011.**