

Coatesville School Newsletter

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Dear Parents/Caregivers

Tēnā koutou, tēnā koutou, tēnā koutou katoa

Dear Parents/Caregivers

Parent Information Sessions - this afternoon!

This afternoon our teaching teams will run sessions to highlight key areas of focus for 2021.

Sessions will be facilitated by Team Leaders - Sarah Burnett (Kiwi), Caleb Rosamond (Tui) and Sharleen Telford (Kahu), with support from their Associate Leaders and teaching staff. They will cover a range of important topics, relevant to each team.

- Kiwi team classes (Rms 5-10) 3.15-3.45pm
- Tui team classes (Rms 11-13) 3.45-4.15pm
- Kahu team classes (Rms 1-4) 4.15-4.45pm

All meetings will be held in Room 4 (directly behind the assembly area).

Immediately after the session teachers will be available for informal 1-1 chats in the assembly area.

If you are unable to attend this afternoon team leaders will share information later this week to keep everyone informed.

Distance Learning Review

Thank you so much to those people who have responded over the past week!

To capture any further thoughts I have extended the survey until Thursday 18 March.

[Distance Learning review: Parent/caregiver feedback](#) - please click and share your thoughts.

School Assembly - this Friday!

Now we are back at Alert Level 1 there are no restrictions around holding full school assemblies.

Accordingly, we will have an assembly this Friday to acknowledge progress and achievement.

Plus we have some new Student Leader badges to present!

Winter Sports Promotions - Hockey - Starts Tomorrow

Thanks to Harbour Hockey and one of our parents, Judith Quinlan, we have also been offered four FREE Hockey skill development sessions for all ages and skill levels. **These sessions will take place at school during lunchtimes from 17th March.** All interested students [must register](#) to ensure they have enough coaches available.

Scholastic Book orders

This term's Scholastic Book Order pamphlet went home last week. If you wish to place an order, please complete the [on-line order form](#) by following the prompts at: mybookclub.scholastic.co.nz. by **9 am Friday 19 March**. Orders are on-line only please do not send any money or forms to school - thank you.



Friends of the School (FoTs)

FUNKY & FLUORO KIDS DISCO – next Friday 26th March

Important Details	Juniors (Years 1 -3)	5 to 6.15 pm
	Seniors (Years 5 & 6)	6.30 to 7.30 pm
	Years 4	Either time

We will be operating a **sign in** system with **entry from the side deck** and **exiting through the front door** of the hall.

There will be hotdogs, chips, drinks, cupcakes and toys available for purchase.

Thank you to those who have already volunteered to help.

We are still looking for **helpers** with the following:

Decorations We will be decorating the hall during the day. Please contact Tanya Ungaro if you can help.

Selling food and toys If you would like to help sell at either session please let us know so we can roster you on. We will also need some helpers in the kitchen for food preparation.

Security The side door of the hall stays open during the disco for fresh air which needs to be supervised.

Cupcake Donations The kids love these so if you feel like baking we would appreciate your contributions. Drop off to the hall at pickup time.

Cleanup The not so glamorous side of the night but if you can stay after and help that would be great.

Finally, it's a **Funky & Fluoro** theme so get the kids dressed up all funky and ready to have fun!

Roslyn Sentch - FoTS Chair

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Ka kite ano. Hei konā mai.

Richard Johnson

Richard Johnson – Principal

Community Notices



Good as New Pre Loved Autumn Kids Market

Orewa Community Centre Saturday 20 March 9am - 12 noon

45+ stalls selling pre-loved kids; clothes, toys, books, nursery furniture, buggies and lots more

Let's all get behind recycling in Auckland <https://fb.me/e/ccVSv8wEB>

Our Charity this market will be Bellyful [Seriously? Free food?!](#)

Enviro Day 20 March, 9am - 1pm,

Bomb Point Drive, Hobsonville Point

To celebrate the beginning of the EcoFest, join us at **Enviro Day** at our Native Plant Nursery, Bomb Point Drive in Hobsonville Point. Plenty of activities on offer and kindly supported by Upper Harbour Local Board.

Native Plant Nursery Tours Teaching Garden Tours Harakeke (flax) Raranga (weaving) Workshops Composting Talks: 11am Bokashi & 12pm Worm Farm Restoration ActivityNew Community Composting Hub now Open - check it out Talk to Us about Eco-Topics Sausage Sizzle