



Kia Ora te whanau,
No mai hiri mai,

Welcome back everyone.

We are now into the busy part of the year where progress and achievement milestones are processed and reported to parents at year end.

We have a Year 6 graduating class to acknowledge, as well as a whole school to showcase its choral and performance skills.

- There is to be a “picnic experience” with a choral performance theme on **Thursday 4th December** where the school choir, kapa haka group and each class will perform. There will be more on this from the PTA at a later date.
- There will be a “summer holidays” production, where each class will showcase a particular iconic summer holiday activity, event or celebration. This is on **Wednesday the 10th of December**.
- The Year 6 Graduation Ceremony will be held on **Monday the 15th of December** starting at 1.00pm.



We are still on the lookout for a flat deck truck trailer to use as a stage for the “Choral Picnic” and if you have any contact with the transport or trucking industry, we would like to hear from you.

Please mark these events and dates on “your calendar” as well as the last day of student attendance for the year which is **Monday the 15th of December 2014**.

End of year school reports will be issued on **Thursday the 11th of December**..

Regards *Kevin Orlowski*

STUDENTS—SCHOOL TIMES

STUDENT START TIME

Parents are asked to ensure that their children do not arrive at school too early. Students have been arriving at 7:50am, and that is too early. Classrooms open at 8:30am and students should start arriving after this time.

STUDENTS—ARRIVING—after the SECOND BELL (9.00am)

Please bring/send your child through the office, to ensure their attendance is marked on the classroom electronic roll and the Office does not call you looking for them.

STUDENTS NOT ATTENDING—*please complete the online absence form on our website or call the office before 9.00am to have their absence recorded.*

TERM 4—COMPULSORY SUN HATS ALL STUDENTS

A reminder that Term 4, like Term 1, is a term in which it is compulsory for students to wear sun hats when outdoors. This is a Health and Safety requirement. Preferably named so it can be returned if misplaced.

FLAT DECK TRAILER OR TRUCK

required for the period of 2-5 December.

Calling all parents—do you have a contact for either of the above—big enough to operate as a “stage” for Student performance.

Please advise the Office.



TERM 4 INQUIRY—JUNIOR SCHOOL—PERFORMING ARTS

Salford school were tuning in to our performing arts inquiry for this term. Children from the junior school moved around the classes.

They got to participate in activities involving all the areas of the arts; drama, music, dance and visual arts. They were experimenting with rhythm and beat, wiggling and shaking to music, creating a story using a prop, creating drama out of personal experiences and responding to performing and visual arts.



Battling Sunrise

The dark moist air set alight by the sun
 looming closer.
 Rain from the night before drips off
 everything that wasn't sheltered.
 The grass is squishy as vivid footprints push
 it down.
 The sun keeps coming closer battling the
 rain from damaging the bright day.
 Birds cheep calling out to people as if they
 are animal alarm clocks.
 The sun spreads across the land filling in
 shaded places and shadows.
 It fills into my bedroom waking me up from
 my soft dream ready for a brand new day!

By Charly Faherty



REMINDERS

- Pita Pit Orders—Monday
- Subway Orders—Wednesday
- Sausage Sizzle—Friday—\$2.00 each

- 27 Oct—Labour Day
- 30 Oct—Lucky Book Club closes
- 7 Nov—High Schools Open Days
- 4 Dec—Community "Picnic Experience" - Choral performances
- 10 Dec—Whole School "Summer Holidays" Production
- 11 Dec—Reports home
- 15 Dec—Year 6 Graduation and Final Assembly—1.00pm
- 15 Dec—Last day for all students.
- 16 Dec—Teacher Only Last day 2014

NOTE—(For forward planning)
Start date 2015—2 February

Keep visiting the website for regular school Updates www.salford.school.nz

SOUTH TOWN PRIMARY CLASSIC TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

Halle and Noah played for Salford at the South Town Primary Schools. Tournament. Noah won all his 3 of his games, Halle won 2 lost one. (Note she was only playing boys!)

Both of them are going through to the Southland Primary School Champs. Waihopai for Halle and Gore for Noah.

If they qualify they will go on to the Southern Region Finals in Dunedin on November the 6th.

This was Halle's first tennis tournament and she was very nervous but very happy with her outcome despite playing against boys.

WELL DONE HALLE AND NOAH.



SALFORD STUDENTS ACHIEVE WELL at the GYM SPORTS NZ NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS.

Kyla Lynch-Brown and Jasmyn Trask competed at the 2014 Gym Sports NZ National Championships during the holidays in Auckland.

Kyla picked up 9th overall out of about 75 competitors (only 20 go through to the final day) in Step 5 Unders artistic gymnastics - notably a 2nd in beam in the whole of NZ for grade.

Jasmyn was 9th in the Step 4 Individual 9-11 years aerobics final.

WELL DONE GIRLS.

NEW WEBSITE PAGE

Look for the new website page which is just under the News Centre.

OUR STUDENT STORYTELLERS.

Students are doing excellent work and this is their showcase.

Welcome to Salford School—We welcome to Salford school New Entrant students, Piper Manning-Dowling, Kaytlyn Fair, Khloe Chilton-Perry, Addi Sweeney, Jeremy Thomas and Camella Garcia. Transferring to Salford from Auckland is Chante Graham Yr 3 and from Christchurch Airene Pulu Yr 1 and Sioli Pulu Yr 5. We will enjoy being a part of your “educational journey” and know you will enjoy your time at Salford.

