



Kia ora Parents and Caregivers

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Welcome to the last week of the term. It has been a very good term with some of the best summer weather that I can remember. Just a gentle reminder that many children do slip back in their learning over the holiday breaks and some short, fun reading and writing sessions at home over the holidays would be of benefit. Best wishes for a restful break, if you get the chance.

PB4L (Positive Behaviour for Learning)

Our second Values Assembly this term will be held on Friday. Values Certificates are awarded to the two children in each class most demonstrating our key values of Respect, Responsibility, Caring for others and Perseverance.

PTA Sandpit project

All classes are having a great time "rearranging" the sand in the sandpit today and tomorrow if needs be. We are creating a border around the edge of the sandpit to plant shrubs in. To do this we are excavating the sand around the edge and replacing the sand with topsoil. Children will also be involved in planting the shrubs later in the week.

Toys at school

Just a reminder that we really don't want to have toys at school as the risk of them being damaged is too great. The same goes for cards; there is enough to do in the teacher's busy days without having to sort out the inevitable disputes about trading etc.



Thought for the day

Perseverance - Diamonds are nothing more than chunks of coal that stuck to their jobs. – Malcolm S. Forbes

Robin Harris, Principal



Student Council Fundraiser

On Friday 13th April Salford School is holding an

SPCA

Animal shirt day.

Bring a gold coin to school so we can make a sign saying, 'SPCA'.

The money will go to the Invercargill SPCA.

You are allowed to wear a different T-shirt to school as long as it has an animal on it.

School shorts, skorts & track pants must still be worn.



REMINDERS

- Daily—Heat-ups - see website.
- **Wednesday**—Subway Orders (Order by 9:00am at the Office)
- **Friday** - PTA Sausage Sizzle—\$2.00 each
- 10 Apr—Governance Meeting
- 11 Apr—House Day—starting 1.00pm
- 11 Apr—PTA Committee/AGM mtg
- 13 Apr—Values Assembly—Parent / Caregiver catch-up—Rm 12
- 13 Apr—Student Council—SPCA Coin trail and Mufti day.
- 13 Apr—Last Day for Term 1
- 30 Apr—First Day of Term 2
- 15 May—Invercargill Chess Tournament
- 29 May—Governance Meeting
- 4 June—Queens Birthday
- 22 June—Southland Primary XCountry

Keep visiting the website for regular school updates and messages being loaded to School Stream

THE PTA NOTEBOOK

Thank you to all the families who have been able to bring driftwood along to school. We now have quite a nice little selection in the sandpit.



The PTA team welcomes you to join us at our **next meeting and also AGM on Wednesday 11 April 2018, at 7.30pm**, in the school staff room. If you're interested and want to hear what we're getting up to, come along.

On behalf of the Salford School PTA, Gillian,
Committee Member

Congratulations:

On the 17th of March, our marching team, the "Southern Stars Blue Jays" went to Auckland to compete against 19 other teams from around New Zealand.

We got first in technical and display in the Plate Division.

Everyone cried because they were so happy.

Paityn and Sophie



On March 23rd, I went to Winton to take part in "Kids Carts". I geared up the pon and we walked over to the birdcage, doing a circuit around the cage twice. We trotted up to the start mark and raced down the track. I got fourth place. Mr Hanna interviewed me on the microphone after the race.

Paityn—Room



Sports Update:

URGENTLY need Year 5/6 Hockey and Netball Players.

Whack n Run has been over subscribed and we have registrations for Term 2 and Term 3 waitlisted.

Netball—we can put our players through for Years 1-4—but not year 5/6 at this point.

Hockey—1 registration for Year 3/4 and only half a team for Year 5/6. Any Hockey players out there?

REGISTER NOW.....

Salford School **HOUSE DAY** to be held on **Wednesday 11th April**—starting at 1.00pm. Children to arrive at school in School Uniform and to change into "House" clothes at lunch time.

WAKATIPU—GREEN

HAUROKO—RED

TE ANAU—BLUE

MANAPOURI—YELLOW

If you don't know what School House your child/children have been allocated, please check with classroom teacher or complete request form on SchoolStream