



Principal's note:

Kia Ora Koutou,

Sunhats TERM—these can be purchased from the office.



Thank you to everyone who attended the Meet the Teacher evening last week. This is a good opportunity to find out about class routines and expectations early on and to meet other parents from the classroom that you may not already know. Great for developing those friendships and relationships with your children spending so much time together.

Thank you to Mary Foley and Gillian Smith for also speaking about the Board of Trustees and the PTA at this evening.

We are fortunate to have not only passionate staff at Salford School but also passionate parents and whanau members who give their time for the Board of Trustees and also the PTA. Thank you to the whanau and their families who are involved in these aspects of Salford School life, your time is precious and we appreciate you spending it on the children at Salford School.

High Expectations is one aspect of the New Zealand National Curriculum that we have been discussing as a staff and with the children in our classrooms as we establish and set up routines for the year ahead. The curriculum document states:

High Expectations - *The curriculum supports and empowers all students to learn and achieve personal excellence, regardless of their individual circumstances.*

We have goal setting interviews coming up on the **26th and 27th February**, this is an opportunity for you, your child and their teacher (Kaiako) to meet and discuss expectations and goals for the first part of the year. We look forward to seeing everyone at these meetings and working together for the children's learning.

Child Safety

The area down Salford Street by the hall is a no stopping area on both sides of the road. It has been signposted as such by the council. We please ask that you adhere to these road rules as children are crossing the road before and after school here. There have been a few close calls due to children having to cross between parked cars and not being able to see the road and cars not being able to see them.

The fast sweeping corner is a hazard enough for the children without parked cars adding to it.

Tu meke to all of the children who cross in this area. They are being careful, vigilant and looking out for each other with the vehicles being in the way. If you have a mobility sticker / tag for your car you are permitted to park in the mobility parks in the staff carpark on Lamond Street.

School Anniversary

We are seeking photos, memorabilia, anything about Salford School from years gone by to share with the children and the community. If you have anything, or know of anyone who might, please bring it in to the office or email it through. We are happy to scan anything so that you can keep your important pieces.

We are looking forward to sharing as much as we can with the children but are struggling to gather items and information at the moment.



PB4L:

This week our PB4L (Positive Behaviour for Learning) focus is Noho Haepapa - Responsibility. The children will be exploring ways that they can be responsible at home and at school. Some ideas that the children mentioned at our hui this morning were; wearing their sunhats, hanging up their fleeces or picking up any they find on the ground and hanging them up, being responsible for their learning and to let others learn, and more.

Dates to remember:

Wednesday 19th February – ENRICH Parent meeting 7 – 8pm at Enrich@ILT Don Street. This meeting is for parents with children who are attending Enrich@ILT this year.

Monday 24th and Tuesday 25th February -Year 5 and 6 First Aid training with St John Ambulance.

Wednesday 26th and Thursday 27th February – Goal Setting Meetings. This is a 10 minute time to focus on your child and their learning direction for the first half of the year. A chance for you to talk with the teacher and your child about their learning and set some goals together.

Thursday 27th February – Nigel Latta. Nigel Latta is being brought to Invercargill by ChatBus Invercargill. (Salford School is part of this group) He is presenting a talk about parenting at the Civic Theatre from 7pm. All money raised from this event (ticket sales etc) will go towards getting Chatbus (Mobile counselling service) up and running in Invercargill with Salford School being one of the schools to benefit. Tickets are available from the Civic Theatre Booking office in Esk Street.

Tuesday 24th March – Year 5/6 pubertal change evening in the school hall with Evelyn Mann. (Time is yet to be confirmed) This is for Year 5 and 6 children and their parents. Parents are welcome to attend without their child but children are not permitted at this session without a parent in attendance.

Nga mihi nui

Sarah Gibbs,
Principal



Te Anau	28
Hauroko	30
Manapouri	36
Wakatipu	11

Goal Setting Interviews

Our 3-Way Goal setting interviews will be held for all Students on **Wednesday 26th February and Thursday 27th February starting at 3:30pm.**

Room 7 will have some interview space open on Tuesday the 25th February owing to teacher availability. This is the only room to have interviews on Tuesday.

Interview times can be booked by going to:

<https://www.schoolinterviews.co.nz> - **Kiosk code - qfgec**

If you have any difficulty making your booking—please contact the office.

SPORTS UPDATE:

Touch—Touch registrations have closed and teams finalised. Team drafts have been issued —First game is Wednesday 19 February through to Wednesday 1 April 2020 —Turnbull Thomson Park.

Cricket—registrations are open now. Please register directly with Cricket Southland.

Superstar Cricket—<https://registrations.crickhq.com/register/200038>

Girls Smash—<https://registrations.crichq.com/register/200042>

Thank you to the parents who have come forward as Coach/Managers. Remember we cannot register our teams without parental support.

PLEASE NOTE: Salford has a Sports Coordinator. Channell can be contacted direct on sports@salford.school.nz.

REMINDERS

STUDENT LUNCHES

- **Daily—Heat-ups** - (Food being bought to school for heat ups, **MUST NOT BE FROZEN** for health and safety reasons.) All heatups **MUST** be wrapped in foil or other oven safe covering and cleared named.
- **Wednesday**—Subway Orders (Order by 9:00am at the Office) via the office (envelops can be collected from the office) or online—www.subwayexpress.co.nz/
- **Friday** - PTA Sausage Sizzle—\$2.00 each

WHATS ON:

- **18 Feb**—Governance Meeting
- **19 Feb**—Enrich Parent evening 7 -8pm—Don Street
- **21 Feb**—Health Nurse visit
- **23 Feb**—Invercargill North Rotary—Family Fun day—1-5pm—Queens Park
- **24 Mar**—Pubertal Change Evening—School Hall
- **24/25 Feb**—Year 5/6 First Aid Training
- **25 Feb**—Rm 7 Goal Setting Meetings only
- **26/27 Feb**—Goal Setting Meetings
- **27 Feb**—Nigel Latta—Civic Theatre
- **1 Mar** - Trolley Derby—Rimu Street
- **11 Mar**—PTA Committee Meeting
- **18 Mar**—Phoenix Zone Athletics—Seniors—Waverley Park Primary
Phoenix Zone Athletics—Juniors—Salford School
- **30 Mar** - GRIPP Student Leaders Conference—House Captains
- **2 Apr**—Celebrate Salford—50 Years
- **8 Apr**—Easter Disco
- **8 Apr**—END OF TERM 1
- **9 Apr**—Teacher Only Day—NO SCHOOL
- **29 May**—Teacher Only Day—NO SCHOOL

Keep visiting the website, School Stream, and Facebook for regular school updates/messages.

PTA NOTEBOOK

The PTA held their first committee meeting for 2020 last week. It was a productive meeting where we set our fundraising goals for the year and committed funds to various projects around school. We welcomed Vicky Ramsay to the committee and we're also delighted to welcome back Jan Bartlett as the Teacher Representative. Jan will be taking over from Teagan Smithies, who is going on maternity leave next month. Jenny Winchcombe has agreed to take on the duties of Secretary for the committee.

Thanks to all the volunteers who help out at our very popular Friday Sausage Sizzle. Each term we give away a \$50 New World Voucher to one lucky volunteer. Vicky Ramsay was last year's Term 4 winner. Get your name down quick for Term 2, 2020!!

The PTA has approved the purchase of goalie gear for the senior hockey team. We have also approved the purchase of new sand pit toys for both sand pits.

Mark the following date in your calendar for our next event;

Wednesday 8th April – the Easter Disco.

Our next meeting and AGM will be held on **Wednesday 11th March at 7.30pm**, in the school staff room.

All welcome and there could be baking, so come along!!

On behalf of the Salford School PTA, Gillian



ChatBus Invercargill proudly presents

Nigel Latta (ONZM)



Parenting through primary and secondary years

Clinical Psychologist, author, television presenter, Parenting App creator and all around funny bugger who provides entertaining and informative insights and advice on the mind field that is parenting.

WHEN: Thursday, 27th February 2020

STARTS: 7pm

WHERE: Civic Theatre, Tay Street, Invercargill

TICKET PRICE: \$25

TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM:

ICC Booking Office, 101 Esk Street, Invercargill

Phone: 032 111 692 (additional booking fees may apply)

Web: www.ticketdirect.co.nz



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