

**IMPORTANT DATES**

9 September	Maori Consultation Meeting
13-16 September	Middle School Production
15 September	Inter-School Cross Country
16 September	PTA Meeting – 7.00pm
17 September	Calendar orders close
	Inter-School Cross Country save day
21 September	Numeracy Evening
22 September	Middle School Cross Country 2.15pm
	BOT Meeting 6.15pm
24 September	Term 3 finishes
11 October	Term 4 begins

Dear Parents / Caregivers  
Kia Ora

Room 11 and Mrs Saunderson received the School Banner for the wonderful learning that has been happening in the classroom. The Respect Trophy went to Takara Olzen (Room 1) for her honesty shown when she gave a teacher an envelope containing money she found in the playground – the money was safely returned to its owner later that day.

**CHOCOLATE ASSEMBLY**

**Congratulations to our Chocolate Prize winners on Friday last week.**

The parent team of Kim Shannon, Linda de Kriek and Debbie Harvey did an extremely good job of rewarding

our top individual sellers, top classes and also anyone who participated with a lucky dip.

**Winners**

1st	Hannah Barnett	Room 17
2nd	Alyssa Houston	Room 1
3rd =	Sophie Wu	Room 5
3rd =	Ryan Cullinane	Room 18
3rd =	Byron Smith	Room 21

**Westfield Vouchers****Seniors:**

Alex Anslow	Room 2
Jasmine Suppaya	Room 1
Julian Bischkopf	Room 1
Dylan Hamilton	Room 4

**Middle:**

Anya Powell	Rom 18
Benjamin Miles	Room 5

**Juniors:**

Dylan Davis	Room 9
Kenzo Santayana	Room 10
Xavier Williams	Room 15

**Class prizes:**

Senior:	Room 1
Middle:	Room 18
Junior:	Room 17

Thanks to everyone for your role in raising over \$4000 (there is still a large sum outstanding and we would appreciate that money coming in as soon as possible). The projectors have arrived and will be installed in the classrooms next week.

**NUMERACY EVENING**

The Mathematics team at Sunnynook School are holding a Numeracy Evening on September 21 from 7pm. The aim for the evening is to:

- Inform parents and caregivers of the teaching of Mathematics especially numeracy at Sunnynook.
- To share how we assess students.
- To share information on National Standards in Mathematics.
- To give parents an opportunity to experience maths in action.

We would appreciate you completing the tear off slip at the bottom of the Newsletter if you are considering coming to the meeting. Children are welcome to attend.

**MAORI PARENTS MEETING**

Whanau of our Maori students should have received a notice regarding the Meeting on tonight – THURSDAY 9 SEPTEMBER at 7pm in the staffroom. I would encourage you to attend.

**PRODUCTION**

Next week the Middle School will be performing their musical production: "Colours of Aotearoa". The children are busy practising the dances and songs to entertain everyone.

**Seating in the Hall will be boosted by tiered seats yet there is never enough room for everyone at night so I would encourage parents to come in the afternoon session on Wednesday or share the viewing over the two night performances. The staffroom will be open each night so parents who have already seen the show can wait with a cup of coffee or tea. Entry is by large gold coin donation per person.**

The Production sessions will be:

<b>Senior School:</b>	Monday 13 September at 1.45pm
<b>Junior School and local pre-schools:</b>	Tuesday 14 September at 1.45pm
<b>Parents:</b>	Wednesday 15 September at 1.45pm and 7.00pm
<b>Parents:</b>	Thursday 16 September at 7.00pm

All children need to be at school for the evening performances by 6.30pm. Year 3 children to meet in Room 6 and Year 4 children meet in Room 5. At the end of the performance your child must be collected from these rooms. We expect all children to participate in our performance as it is part of our curriculum. We would appreciate it if pre-schoolers did not attend the evening performances.

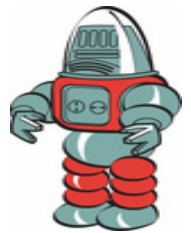
The **2011 SCHOOL DATES** are:

- Term 1 begins Tuesday 1 February to Friday 15 April
- Term 2 begins Monday 2 May to Friday 15 July
- Term 3 begins Monday 1 August to Friday 7 October
- Term 4 begins Tuesday 25 October to Wednesday 14 December

**GALA SATURDAY 13 NOVEMBER**

Gala meeting on Thursday 16 September at 7pm – please help by attending.

This week, we will be accepting good quality **toys and games** – although this is not a restriction! Pop them in the box!! Think about adding a few luxury items to your weekly shopping. Each time your child donates an item to the school, your child will go into a draw for the Fair Golden Ticket which is drawn weekly. The winner will receive a free sausage, drink, bag of candyfloss and also tickets for some of the rides on the day of the Fair.



**PTA CALENDAR AND CARD PROMOTION**

Parents are invited to view their child's artwork which is on display in their classrooms on the wall or in a folder. Your child's art is used as the header for the 2011 calendar and gift cards which make wonderful gifts for \$12 each.

**NORTH SHORE CITY COUNCIL AND NORTH HARBOUR RUGBY**

North Shore City Council and North Harbour Rugby would like to invite, FREE of charge, all students 16 years of age and under to support North Harbour - **North Harbour vs Wellington** on Sunday 10 October and **North Harbour vs Taranaki** on Saturday 23 October. All students will be able to attend free of charge with a ticket that you can order from Mrs Bates.

**CHATHAM CUP SOCCER FINAL**

**FREE TICKETS**

If you are interested in attending the 2010 Chatham Cup Final (Bay Olympic v Miramar Rangers) on Sunday 12 September at 2.00pm at North Harbour Stadium please collect your FREE ticket from Mrs Bates.

Regards

Peter Mulcahy

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**NUMERACY EVENING – 21 SEPTEMBER AT 7PM**

Yes, I/we will be attending the Numeracy Evening.

Parent/s Name: \_\_\_\_\_ No. attending: \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Room No \_\_\_\_\_

Parent contact number \_\_\_\_\_