



Windley School

E tipu nga rakau iti

7th March 2018
Week 6 Term 1

Namaste,

It is March already and we are well into our Learning Inquiry "Migration". This is an opportunity for new families to tell their story of how they came to New Zealand and why. We all migrated to New Zealand at some point in time, whether we are new here or we have been here for many generations. Here is some migration work from some of our students.



ERO

The Education Review Office (ERO) is reviewing our school next week. The last time they came was in 2015. Then they put our school on a longitudinal review. This meant that ERO supported the school to improve in;

- Action specific teaching and learning for our underachieving target students.
- Cultural context and content for Maori and Pasifika students.

Rhys McKinley

UNION MEETING

On **Monday 19th March** all teachers from Windley School will be attending a paid union meeting at Te Rauparaha Arena. The teachers will be leaving school at 1.30pm to arrive at the meeting by 2pm. Therefore, the Windley School Board of Trustees is asking for all students to be collected at **12.30pm** on this day. For those who are unable to do this we will have some teacher aides staying behind to look after your child in the library. A notice will be coming home closer to the day of the union meeting.

MISSING STUDENT PROCESS

When a student goes missing, we will do a quick scan of the school, toilets, hall, and out of bounds areas.

If the student can not be located;

- the office will phone home to let the family know their child is missing.
- we ask them to phone us if they appear at home.
- we will phone them if they appear back at school.
- we ask the family whether or not they want us to call the police.
- if there is no answer from home we call the police if the child has not appeared back at school.

Staff News

Windley School is part of the Porirua East Group (PEG) of schools that have formed a Community of Learning (CoL) or Kahui Ako. As a group of schools we work together to achieve better outcomes for our students across Porirua East. We are currently working through the setup of structures and processes for the group to operate as a group. We are appointing teachers to positions within the group. Congratulations to Melanie Gill for being appointed to our Kahui Ako as the 'within school teacher'. This means that Melanie will be working on behalf of the group for about half a day a week as well as doing her usual work here at Windley School.

Student News



Over the last few weeks we have had Harold helping us learn about being healthy physically and emotionally. Thanks to Kapa, Ben and Harold for their work with our students.



Parent News

Many thanks to the parents who promoted \$5 parking at Windley School during the SOL3 Mio concert. Many thanks to the grandparents who came to help with parking as well. The school made over \$1000 towards new kapa haka piu piu.

REMINDERS

Hats, Hats, Hats

Thanks to the families who have sent along extra hats for the students to wear. The students are very grateful for your generosity. If there are hats at home that are not used, please send them to school. All students must wear a hat outside in Terms 1 and 4.

Year 7 Vision Screening - Information for parents

Regional Public Health provides a vision screening programme for all Year 7 students.

- **Vision** – pupils will be advised of results at the time of screening. If further assessment is recommended you will be notified by mail.
- **Children who wear glasses and/or are under professional care and have regular checks will not require a vision check from our service.**

Non-consent – please notify your school if you do not want your child being screened.

This screening is not a full assessment of your child's vision. If you have any concerns, please see an optometrist.

BREAKFAST IDEAS

EGGS ON TOAST

Eggs-ellent ways to have eggs on toast!

- Soldiers
- Poached
- Scrambled - add herbs for extra flavour
- Microwaved

DID YOU KNOW:
Eggs are a great source of protein which helps to grow strong healthy muscles

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EASY OMELETTE

- 2 large eggs
- 2 Tbsp. water
- Pinch of salt and pepper
- 1 Tbsp. low fat spread
- ½ cup filling – eg cheese, tomato, capsicum or your favourite vegetables

In a bowl mix eggs, water, salt and pepper well. Melt spread on medium heat in a medium sized pan. Pour in egg mix covering whole pan. Using a spatula, pull in cooked egg from the outside. Tilt the pan so uncooked egg can fill gaps until the bottom is set and egg looks slightly wet on top. Add fillings on one half of omelette and then gently fold other half on top. Slip on to a plate and enjoy!

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