



NZSL

Te Reo Turi o Aotearoa, Te Reo Rotarota o Aotearoa

Along with myself, Room 1 are enjoying learning some New Zealand Sign Language. This has been important for us, as we are learning how important it is to be able to communicate with someone who can't hear what we are saying.

In the mornings we Sign the date.

When we need to go to the toilet, we tug our ear twice.

We are learning to match the alphabet with the signs for fingerspelling.

Keep an eye out in the newsletter for Signs that you could incorporate into your day.

Teri Meling



Whole School Assemblies

There will be two whole school assemblies this term over at Hillcrest High at the Morrison Memorial Theatre. These will be held at 9.00am on Wednesday, 8th August and Wednesday, 26th September. They will just be our normal assemblies where our whole school will be able to be together.

Other School Assemblies

Every other week assembly will be held on a Friday morning at 9.00am.

- ➔ Week 1 - Friday, 31st July (Rooms 11, 1, 13, 8, 6/7, 9 and 4). Room 9 will be presenting an assembly item.
- ➔ Week 2 - Friday, 3rd August (Rooms 12, 17, 14, 3, 16, 2 and 15). Room 16 will be presenting an assembly item.

Photolife Online Shot Key Slips

PhotoLife Photo Shoot Keycodes were sent home last term. Please enter your photo shoot key code at www.photolife.co.nz to create your own PhotoPack.

- Important - the free delivery expiry date of this coming Sunday, 29th July is clearly shown on the website (free delivery means your photo order will be sent to our school for your child to bring home after expiry date).
- Photos orders can still be made after this week, but you will be charged postage for your photos.

Māori Art Class

Our Māori Art lessons started for the term again yesterday. Mrs Trenwith will be taking these classes this term. They are held in Room 8 from 3.15 to 4.15pm and the cost to attend is \$10.00 for the term.

"Making a Positive Difference"

Champions Christian Programme

Champions is due to start again this Friday, 27th July. This is an optional Christian values-based programme that runs every Friday lunchtime out of our Student Common Room. Children learn biblical principles in a fun and interactive way. If you haven't already indicated to us if you'd like your child to take part, please let us know. This is an optional part of our school programme.

Hockey Draws - Saturday, 28th July

8.00am	Silverdale Lions v Whatawahata	at Gallaghers 2 QB
8.00am	Silverdale Leopards v Homeschool Tiger Cubs	at Gallaghers 1QC
9.00am	Silverdale Pumas v Hukanui Tacklers	at Gallaghers 1QA
10.00am	Silverdale Tigers v Marian Rebels	at Gallaghers 2QB
12.15pm	Silverdale Panthers v Ngahinapouri Goldsticks	at Gallaghers 1HA

Please be at the turf 20 minutes prior to your game.

Hockey Results - Saturday, 7th July

Silverdale Leopards	lost 0 - 1	Player of the day: Kate
Silverdale Lions	won 1 - 0	Player of the day: Finnian
Silverdale Pumas	lost 0 - 4	Player of the day: Cailyn
Silverdale Tigers	won 2 - 0	Player of the day: Rowan
Silverdale Panthers	won 4 - 0	Player of the day: Annalise



Gymnastics Classes - Term 3

Last term Gymnastics lessons were really popular and we plan to continue these again in Term 3. All lessons are taught by trained coaches from Hamilton City Gym Sports. Lessons are suitable for any age and ability. They cover all key fundamental gymnastics skills and movement patterns within the sessions, to build each student's strength, flexibility and co-ordination. Lessons will be held at lunchtime in the Student Common Room and go for 45 minutes. This allows children time to eat their lunch. All children take their lunch to the Student Common Room. Depending of student ability we plan to send some of our capable senior students along to Gym Sports again this year to compete against students from other schools. We have 10 spaces per group available. Please register by Monday, 30th July (Week 2 of this term). Lessons commence next week.

Mondays - Seniors (Years 4-6); Tuesdays: Juniors (Years 0-3). Please return the slip below if you would like your child to participate.

Michael Harrop - Principal

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Gymnastics Return Slip

Child's Name _____ Room: _____ Year: _____

Please tick:

Yes I would like my child to participate in the lunchtime gymnastics lessons

I have paid via bank transfer

I have paid cash at the School Office