Ponsonby Primary School Te Kura o te Rimu Tahi

Kia orā Parents and Whanau,

What an amazing final assembly we had yesterday. It is so hard to believe that the year is finally ending.

Yesterday, we farewelled our Year 6 students at Assembly as they leave us today for their next phase of learning. We are so proud of them and their achievements and we know that they will be successful wherever they are next year. We thank all our families for coming together to celebrate their children at Graduation this week.

To those families we are farewelling, thank you for your continued support and positive contribution to the Ponsonby family, it has been very much appreciated. While we are at the end of a year, our Senior Leadership Team's minds are firmly on next year. We are looking forward to 2023 as we have some great plans underway on the curriculum refresh, but most importantly we are looking forward to seeing your children back at school.

Today, you would have received a google link for our goal setting day which will take place on the 1st of February. We have changed the format slightly from previous years, you will be able to choose from two time slots for your children to attend. The children who are currently in Yr 0 and the new Yr 1 children in 2023 will be different. They will all attend school with their teacher from 9am-11am on Wednesday the 1st of February.

Please have a lovely break with those you care about, please take care and be safe. We need everyone back at school safe, happy and rested!

I wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Ngā mihi

Sanjay Rama



Week 9 Term 4

REMINDERS

2023 STATIONERY

Links to order 2023 stationery are on the website

GOAL SETTING DAY Wednesday 1st of Feb

FIRST DAY OF TERM 1 Thursday 2nd of Feb



City Mission Food and Gift Drive 2022 Thank you to everyone for your donations.



Cara's Christmas Trees

Fresh, Real Xmas Trees at 19 Clifton Rd, Herne Bay

Open 8am - 7pm

Fresh trees daily. They are beautiful, full, & bushy

All in water out of the sun & rain. We trim the trunk end for you.

Eftpos, cash or PayWave

M. 0212111246

Instagram: caraschristmastrees

Leaving the school?

It's the end of 2022 school year! A couple of important notes as your students move to a new school.

Not sure if your new school is using Kindo? If you're not sure if your new school is using Kindo, you can either ask the school directly or go to "My Details" in myKindo and click on the list of schools to see if your new school is listed.

New school IS using Kindo. If your new school is using Kindo, simply click on the new school from the list in "My Details" of your Kindo account and you'll be attached to the new school's menu. Any balance on your Kindo account will remain available to spend with the new school. If you have personalised accounts on your myKindo portal, there may be a slight delay as the schools switch records over.

New school is NOT using Kindo, or you no longer need Kindo. You may need to close your account (you can keep it open if a sibling will be starting within the next 14 months). If you need to close your Kindo account:

Please stop any regular automatic payments now.

Use the "Close Account" button within the "My Details" page on myKindo. You can either withdraw your account balance or choose to donate your balance to the school. Please note that all withdrawals will be made via electronic payment to your New Zealand bank account. Kindo is unable to process cash withdrawals.

If you are wanting to withdraw your Kindo account balance, or make a donation that exceeds Kindo's threshold (currently more than \$10,000 total within one year), Kindo will need to undertake some identity checks on you to comply with its obligations under the Anti-Money Laundering (AML) and Countering Financing of Terrorism (CFT) Act 2009. Please action the withdrawal or donation in your Kindo account as outlined above and if these AML checks are necessary Kindo will advise of the next steps required in this regard. Kindo has endeavoured to make this process as pain-free as possible and appreciates your patience. More information is available here https://support.mykindo.co.nz/portal/en/kb/articles/closing-your-mykindo-account

2023 Stationery

Please follow the link below to order your child's stationery for 2023

https://www.myschool.co.nz/ponsprim