LEABANK PRIMARY SCHOOL



HE AKONGA MUTUNGA KORE

Newsletter for 28th April 2023



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Greetings, Tena koutou, Kia orana, Talofa Lava, Fakalofa Lahi Atu, Namaste, Malo e Lelei, Hola, Ni hao, Xin chao.

Dear Parents/Caregivers

Term 2 - Week 1

IT'S TERM 2

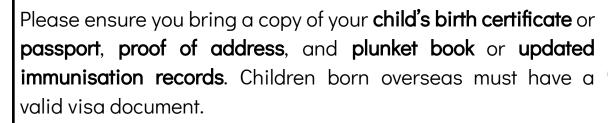
Welcome back to Term 2 to all returning students. We hope you had a happy, fun-filled and safe holiday. We would also like to extend a warm welcome to all new students and families at Leabank Primary. We are excited to see everyone back, feeling refreshed and ready to learn for this busy term ahead of us.



This term we have 10 weeks - this goes through till the 30th of June.

NEW ENROLMENTS

If you have a child that will be turning 5 soon and will be starting with us, please come into the school office to complete an enrolment form.





PINK SHIRT DAY 2023

Leabank School has joined the Pink Shirt Day 2023 movement to Korero Mai, Korero Atu, Mauri Tu, Mauri Ora – Speak Up, Stand Together, Stop Bullying!

Pink Shirt Day is about working together to stop bullying by celebrating diversity and promoting kindness and inclusiveness. It's about creating a community where all people feel safe, valued and respected, regardless of gender identity, sexual orientation, age, ability, religion or cultural background.



Celebrated annually around the globe, Pink Shirt Day began in Canada in 2007 when two students took a stand against homophobic bullying after a new student was harassed for wearing pink. We've been celebrating Pink Shirt Day in Aotearoa since 2009 and the campaign grows stronger and larger every year.

This year pink shirt day will be on Friday 19th May 2023.

SCHOOL HOURS

It is concerning how many students are arriving late to school each day. Please ensure that your child/ren arrives at school before school starts at 8:55am. Students disrupt class when arriving late and also miss out on valuable learning time.

School finishes at 2:55pm and we are regularly seeing a lot of children still waiting to be picked up after 3:30pm. We do try to supervise these children but often have meetings after school. Please collect your children on time as children get unsettled and upset when they are collected late.



UPCOMING EVENTS IN TERM 2

Rotuman Language Week

- Sunday 7th May - Saturday 13th May

Pink Shirt Day

- Friday 19th May

Samoan Language Week

- Sunday 28th May - Saturday 3rd June

Kings Birthday

Monday 5th June (School closed)

Term 2 End

Friday 30th June

DIGITAL LITERACY BASIC COMPUTER COURSE ONLINE AVAILABLE FOR OUR SCHOOL COMMUNITY

Free computer course and purchase a \$60 new Chromebook.

If you need a Chromebook in your family. Come along and complete this program. WINZ can support those who need assistance with payments, contact me for more details.



Sign up with your **Full name** and **Date of Birth**, these should **MATCH** your **Passport** or **Birth Certificate**.

Monday 15th May – Friday 26th May for 2 weeks. 9:30am – 12:00pm at Leabank School. Commitment to all classes and up to 30 hours.

Criteria: Ages 16-65 years. Have **NO** Qualifications, less than 80 credits.

SIGN UP NOW!

Contact Julie Segi at 021 0293 7189 or email julies@leabank.school.nz

Yours sincerely

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St Elizabeth Anglican Church UP ON MENSWEAR, WOMENSWEAR, KIDS CLOTHES, BABY CLOTHES & SHOES

We have lots of pre-loved clothes in stock, so for ONE DAY only we're inviting everyone to fill a BAG for \$3.00



BRING YOUR OWN REUSABLE BAG OR USE THE SUPERMARKET PAPER BAGS PROVIDED.



8am - 1pm **Saturday 6th May**

182 Finlayson Avenue, Clendon Park.

