# LEABANK PRIMARY SCHOOL



HE AKONGA MUTUNGA KORE

# Newsletter for 5<sup>th</sup> May 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 2

#### **ROTUMAN LANGUAGE WEEK**

Next week is Rotuman Language Week. The theme for this year is: "Vetakia 'os Fäega ma Ag fak hanua - Sustaining our Language and Culture."

This theme was chosen in 2022 to build on the previous year's focus on Sustainability. The theme has resonated well with the Rotuman community and they have decided to extend it to Rotuam Language Week 2023.



To celebrate Rotuman Language Week, students can come to school dressed in their Rotuman traditional dress on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> May.

#### 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 19**th **May 2023**.

#### **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.

Please ensure you bring a copy of your **child's birth certificate** or **passport**, **proof of address**, and **plunket book** or **updated immunisation records**. Children born overseas must have a valid visa document.



#### 100% ATTENDANCE FOR THIS WEEK

It's a new term and each week Students with 100% attendance receive a special treat every Friday. Below are the students with 100% attendance for this week:

ROOM	RECIPIENTS'
2	Hope, Jessica, Muhammad, Roman, Tamiyah.
4	Akirah, Benjamin, Eniketi, Manawa, Pittman, Ruvarashe, Sharav, Shohid, Sofia.
5	Antoni, August, Ietiataia, Kaiya, Khyarn, Lanitta, Tiah, Tristan.
6	Aiyana, Anna, Francie, Kevin, Korlaiyus, Niko.
7	AJ, Elena, Jose, Kitione, Malia, Penateti, Quentin, Skye, Tyler, Xia.
9	Adonai, August-Teena, Mararei, Siteri.
10	Calaiah, Caleb-Storm, Elizha, Houston, Lameko, Mason, Meron, Onyx, Roselyn, Tobias, Volantis, Zariah, Zayden.
11	Angee, Brendon, Foetuese, Karson, London H, Mysha, Seften, Tanya, Tevita, Yazmin
12	Abygail, Ana, Brian, Cyprus, David, Elijah, Isileli, Jazanah-Arire, Patrick, Peyton, Riaan, Richard, Rose, Royal.
13	Alex, Anthony, Caitlin, Charnces, Fontayn, Hato, JT, Kellen, Luca, Mia, Nirosha, Saber.
14	Adonai, CJ, Elijah, Julia, Mikaere, Patterson, Riya, Ryder, Soni, Soul, Teena.
15	Ariah, Ariana, Ayvah-Leigh, Cohryn, Giavanni, Lilly, Luca, Marinda, Mohammad, William, Yash.
16	Anaru, Anshuman, Avik, Buddy, Drishti, Ezekiel, Isyss, Jehonathan, JJ, Madison, Nikailah, Shakhani, Tongatu, Tyler, Tyson, Walter.
17	Ahurei, Atonina, Bentley, Carolyn, Fine, Josh, Kal, Katalina, Khaleel, Larenzo, Nevaeh, Shivikesh, Shravya, Sophie, Tavien, Wade.
18	Alopa, Devontae, Edward, Elexarain, Eljaye, Harlem, Haven, Lyla, Marcus, Marzel, Sam, Wyatt.
21	Abigail, Aniston, D'john, Dayton, Ellenlina, Fuia, Jordan, Kardenyah, Kashmia, Krisvenson, Liam, Pene, Riemel, Shay.
22	Ava, Brittany, Christina, Izaiah, Khloe, Penina, Shazim, Zephyr.

### **UPCOMING EVENTS IN TERM 2**

Pink Shirt Day - Friday 19th May

Samoan Language Week - Sunday 28th May - Saturday 3rd June

King's Birthday - Monday 5th June (School closed)

Yours sincerely

R W Maddren Principal

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Fäeag Rotuam Rotuman Language Week

# Vetakia 'Os Fäega Ma Ag Fak Hanua SUSTAINING OUR LANGUAGE AND CULTURE





#### St Elizabeth Anglican Church



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



BAG OR USE THE SUPERMARKET PAPER BAGS



## 8am - 1pm Saturday 6th May

182 Finlayson Avenue, Clendon Park.



# **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.

Mon - Fri for 2 weeks.

9.30am - 12pm at Leabank School.

15 MAY - 26 MAY

Commitment to all classes and up to 30 hours.

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

Sign up now!

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