LEABANK PRIMARY **SCHOOL**



HE AKONGA MUTUNGA KORE

Newsletter for 16th June 2023

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

Dear Parents/Caregivers

Term 2 - Week 8

PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCE NIGHT

Parent Teacher Interviews will be held in week 10 of this term, **Wednesday 28th June 2023**. Interviews will be held between 2:00pm and 7:00pm. School will finish at 1:30pm on this day to allow the interviews to start at 2:00pm. Please keep this date free to meet your child's classroom teacher.



This is a great opportunity for you to find out what is happening with your child's learning throughout the year, and their homework requirements and also share any information about your child that you feel would help them learn at school.

We have sent text messages to parents with pre-booked appointment times. Please send us a reply text message to confirm your appointment time. If the times do not suit you, please let us know ASAP and we will do our best to give you the best time possible.

Booking slips will be sent home to parents who have not made any bookings. Please return the slips to school as soon as possible.

MIDDLE SCHOOL FIELD TRIP

The Year 3 and 4 Syndicate are going to Auckland Zoo. This trip will be on **Tuesday 27th June**. The children will be travelling to and from the Zoo by bus. The bus will be leaving at 9:00am sharp and will return to school before 2:50pm. Please make sure your child arrives at school early on this day in full school uniform and covered shoes.

Fruit for morning tea and a packed lunch will be provided for all students. If your child does not eat the free school lunches, they will need to bring their own. A water drinking fountain is available, however, your child may want to bring their own bottle of water - **NO FIZZY DRINKS**.



There is no cost for this trip. Permission slips have been sent out and we will need them back by the end of next week. Parents who volunteer will **NOT** be able to bring any other children/person with them on the day because you will be supervising a group of children.

MATARIKI PUBLIC HOLIDAY DAY

Matariki is a star cluster that appears in the early morning sky in Aotearoa during the mid-winter months. The star cluster is well known worldwide and can be seen around the globe at different times of the year. It is one of the brightest clusters in the sky, containing hundreds of member stars.

Matariki will be on **Friday 14th July**, marking the reappearance of the constellation.

UNEXPLAINED & EXTENDED ABSENCE

Leabank School closely monitors students' attendance. If your child/ren are going overseas or cannot attend school for an extended period of time, please call the office and let the school know or you can email our attendance officer at attendance@leabank.school.nz



An automated text message is sent out every morning for children who are absent from school unexplained. To avoid getting these messages, please contact the office.



100% ATTENDANCE FOR THIS WEEK

Students selected with 100% attendance for this week are;

Georgia Ainuu	Siteri Veiqaravi	Ezra Shortland	Wyatt Neho-Collis
Room 5	Room 9	Room 11	Room 18

Each week we will select 4 different students from each syndicate for 100% attendance.

UPCOMING EVENTS IN TERM 2

Tuesday 27th June - Middle School Zoo Trip

Wednesday 28th June - Parent-Teachers Interview Night

Friday 30th June - End of Term 2

Friday 14th July - Matariki (during school holiday)

Yours sincerely

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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.

19 JUNE – 30 JUNE

STILL SPACES AVAILABLE.

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

Sign up now!

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