

LEABANK PRIMARY SCHOOL



Newsletter for 9th February 2024

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

Dear Parents/Caregivers

Term 1 - Week 2

FAMILY FUN & PICNIC EVENING

Leabank School staff would like to invite all students and their families to a Family Fun and Picnic Night next week **Tuesday 13th February** from 5:00pm to 7:00pm. We have planned a range of fun activities and games that children and parents can participate in.

We will have the school pool open, a bouncy castle and many more activities. You can also meet your child's teacher. Students and their families are invited to bring along a picnic dinner to eat under the trees. If you don't have time to make a picnic dinner, don't worry we will have sausage sizzles, drinks, and ice blocks for sale.



LEABANK SCHOOL UNIFORM SHOP

Starting next week, the Leabank School Uniform Shop will only be open on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:00am to 12:00pm.

SWIMMING

A reminder to all parents that swimming is compulsory for all students as it is part of our school curriculum. The importance of learning to swim and survive in the water is paramount. Please ensure your child brings appropriate swimwear to school on their allocated swimming days.

If for some reason your child is unwell and cannot participate in the swimming lesson, your child is required to bring a signed and dated note to explain the reason for not participating in swimming. We would appreciate your efforts and cooperation in this area.



SCHOOL FEES AND STATIONERY

School Fees and Stationery will be FREE to all students.

Students will receive their stationery in class.

ICE-BLOCK FUNDRAISER

We will be selling ice-blocks for \$1.00 each at school this term from Monday to Thursday at break 2 as a fundraiser for the Senior School Camp in Term 4.

UPDATING CAREGIVER DETAILS

A friendly reminder that if you have a new mobile number or have moved address, please contact the school office and update your details. This goes for your child's emergency contacts as well. It is really important that we have up-to-date contact details should we need to contact you regarding your child or for an emergency.

SAFE SPEEDS AROUND SCHOOLS

A 30km/h speed limit has been implemented on roads around our school from the 26th of January 2023. The school community asks that you respect this speed limit to ensure the safety of children walking and biking to school.

The purpose of a safe speed limit:

- Setting safe and appropriate speed limits outside and surrounding schools improves children's safety. If parents believe their children are safe on the way to school, they will allow them to walk and cycle to school more often.
- The internationally accepted speed to greatly reduce the chances of a person being killed or seriously injured is 30km/h.
- Slow and safe speeds deliver many benefits to Auckland communities including healthier environments, thriving town centres, safe streets for walking and biking, improved air quality, and lower carbon emissions.

UPCOMING EVENTS THIS TERM

Tuesday 13th February	-	Family Fun & Picnic Night
Friday 29th March	-	Good Friday (<i>school closed</i>)
Monday 1st April	-	Easter Monday (<i>school closed</i>)
Tuesday 2nd April	-	Easter Tuesday (<i>school closed</i>)

Yours sincerely

R W Maddren
Principal

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Starting on
Monday 19th
February 2024

10am - 12pm at
Leabank School.

3 days a week for 5
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30 hours - Digital
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Eligibility: Ages 16-64 years. Must NOT have NCEA Level 2 and must be a NZ Citizen.

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