

# NEWSLETTER

## 31st August 2011

### What's on this week

#### Thursday 1st September

Playgroup 9.00:11.00am

#### Friday 2nd

Assembly Rooms 3 & 4

Omata Cross Country 1pm

#### Monday 5th

Postponement day

Omata CC

#### Tuesday 6th

Yr 5/6 Coastal CC 1pm

#### Wednesday 7th

Yr 5/6 Coastal CC PP day

#### Thursday 8th

Y7/8 Inter-school cross

country at Omata 1pm

rain or shine

### Coming Up

#### Wednesday 21st

Taranaki Cross Country at

Hawera

#### Friday 23rd September

This is the confirmed date

for the Room 6 fundraising

Quiz Evening.

### Football

There will be no 11th grade

practice on Friday

#### 10.30am

11th v CTS

at Omata

13th v Waitara

at Manukorihi Park 2

#### Sunday 4th

9th/10th grade tournament

9am-12pm

Bats and Pigeons

at Manukorihi Park

### Friday Lunch

#### 11.45am

Toasted Buns \$2

Spaghetti/Cheese

Ham/Cheese

Baking \$1

Drink \$1.50

### Bakers

Lisa Smith/Zoe Barrett



### Omata Cross Country

Thank you to John and Lynda Mathews for once again allowing us to run our cross country on their Waireka property this Friday 2nd September commencing at 1pm finishing approximately 2.15pm. Postponement day is Monday 5th September. Please park on the school field as there is no car access to the course except for the emergency vehicle. The course has some sharp stones in places so children need to run in suitable footwear. Parents, grandparents and friends all invited to come and support the students.

**Definitely: NO PETS.** Please keep to the designated areas, keep off hills and construction sites. Please respect that this is Private Property so there is no entry prior to the event.

The 5 year olds may go home after their runs but we expect that all other students will stay until the finish to support the other runners. Thank you

### Race Programme **First race starts at 1:10pm**

Races 1 & 2	9 year girls and boys 1500m
Races 3 & 4	10 year girls and boys 1500m
Race 5	5 year olds 350m
Race 6	6 year olds 500m
Races 7 & 8	7 year girls and boys 750m
Races 9 & 10	8 year girls and boys 1500m
Races 11 & 12	11 year girls and boys 2000m
Races 13 & 14	12-13 year girls and boys 2000m

### Taranaki Rugby Afternoon

Everyone had a very exciting afternoon on Friday with members of the triumphant Taranaki team. Thanks to them for bringing along the prized log of wood for photo opportunities.

### Chess Team

Congratulations to the Year 7/8 team who finished first in Division Two at the Taranaki Schools Tournament last Friday. (ie:5th overall)

### Alison Mooney 'People Interpreter'

In a few weeks time we are organising Allie to come to New Plymouth for some seminars for principals and staff and we are fortunate that Allie has offered to run a session for the community. Please see flyer attached. I have listened to Allie twice now and I would really recommend this to everyone. Limited tickets are on sale now from the office and will be offered to the Oakura Community next, so don't miss out.

### Room 6 Camp Fundraisers:

**Raffle:** \$100 worth of products kindly donated by Lunar Organics. \$2 ticket at the office

**Quiz Night:** Friday 23rd September. (**note date change**) Get your teams of 6 adults organised now for a fun night out. If you would like to come but do not have enough for a team let Bronnie know and we will put you with a table.

### Cup Cakes

Room 1 & 3's cup cake making day last Thursday was a great success. Thanks to the wonderful help from a band of great bakers that assisted the students we were able to raise great funds for the SPCA

### Headlice

Room 3 has a few cases of head-lice so please be diligent in checking and treating your child's hair if there is any evidence of infestation.



### Players of the Day

Football

Hawks - Yannika Harrop

11th - Quinn Steen

Bats - Ashly Rei

13th - Kaya Faloon-Goldby