

Concord School **NEWSLETTER**



28 March 2024

Kia ora whānau

EASTER - School will be closed TOMORROW Friday 29 March, Monday 1 April and TUESDAY 2 April. We then have one more full week before the term ends at 3.00pm on Friday 12 April.

Duffy Role Model Assembly - Next Thursday 4th April at 9.30am we look forward to welcoming writer Nathan Gray to our school for a Duffy Role Model Assembly. Whānau are welcome to join us.

School Lunches – Here is another petition to stop the Government cutting the free school lunches programme, if you would like to sign it: https://our.actionstation.org.nz/petitions/savehealthy-free-school-lunches

Pet Day - ** Friday 5th April ** Friday 5th April ** There are two competitions the children can enter:

- Baking competition (savoury, sweet and decorated categories). This is to be completed at home
- Art competition students can create an artwork of their choice of their pet or favourite animal. Each class will do this, although additional entries can be done at home.

Homework for the students this fortnight is to organise and possibly trial a recipe for the baking competition. Also if they want to put additional entries into the art competition they can do this.

Parents and pre-schoolers are very welcome to come along and join in the fun.

Futsal – This week the Concord Shooters Lost to MHS Arsenal and the 'Player of the Day' was Sophie.



The Concord Strikers drew 2-2 with Andy Bay White on Wednesday and the 'Player of the Day' was Charlie.

There is no futsal next week due to Easter.

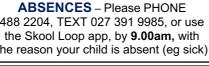
Dates to mark on your calendar:

- Fri 29 Mar Tues 2 Apr EASTER
- Thurs 4 Apr Duffy Role Model
- Fri 5 April Pet Day
- Fri 12 April End of Term 1 at 3.00pm

Steve Turnbull Principal

the Skool Loop app, by 9.00am, with the reason your child is absent (eg sick)

488 2204, TEXT 027 391 9985, or use





Congratulations to our Duathlon Winners!

The winners of our senior duathlon last week were:

Year 3/4: Individual – Jude, and Aya Teams - Keesha-Maree & Charlie, Elijah & Stella

Year 5 & 6: Individuals - Arnold, Cassius-Jay, Nikos, Popo, and Nono

Teams - Brooke & Luca, Hannah J

& Jakob, Orla & Amreen



EASTER RAFFLE RESULTS Congratulations to the winners of the Parents' Group Easter Raffle:

1st Prize - Inflatable pool - Card 37/4 Tanya 2nd Prize – Weekend holiday – Card 72/5 Mike

Easter Hampers:

Card 32/3 - Reddy Card 30/2 - Pita Card 24/3 - Melissa Card 45/5 – Hugh Card 73/10 - Belinda Card 71/5 - Coral

We hope you all enjoy your prizes! Many thanks to everyone for your support of this fundraiser.





Clever Cats - No more Clever Cats this term

EASTER EGG HUNT

Find one of 120 wooden Easter Egg cut outs

FRIDAY, 29TH MARCH 10:00AM ONWARDS 12 PARKS IN GGI Concord - Emerson Street Playground, Mulford Park Green Island - Memorial Park, Elwyn Crescent Park Abbotsford - Matthew Street Playground, Lambert Street Playground, Severn Street Playground

Fairfield - Skatepark, Walton Park

Waldronville - Delta Drive Park

Ocean View - Ocean View / Braids Hill reserve playground

Brighton - Domain park

Netball is back! Train with the Southern Steel!

Join the Steel for a day of fun skills and game sessions on Sunday the 7th of April: Years 1 - 6: 10am - 11:30am; Years 7 - 10: 12pm - 1:30pm. Edgar Centre, Dunedin.

Cost: \$20pp. Registration: https://www.sporty.co.nz/viewform/287078







Wild Gunedin Origini Mahasa NZ FESTIVAL OF NATURE 19 - 28 APRIL 2024

Wild Dunedin Festival 19 - 28 April

This year's Festival has 140 events and activities about nature for all ages all over the city. With discounted deals on albatross, penguin and boat trip, kids go free at Orokonui Ecosanctuary and Larnach Castle, films, crafts, scientific talks, garden tours, a walk around Sutton Salt Lake and guest Suzy Cato, there's a lot happening. Full programme and bookings here http://www.wilddunedin.nz



Community Oral Health Service

0800 ORAL HEALTH (0800 672 543) (free from cell phones)

Head Lice

Please continue to be vigilant in checking your child's hair often and treating when

necessary

Don't forget to check our Facebook page for information, messages, photos & videos:

www.facebook.com/concordschooldunedin





Together We Learn and Grow

Ako Tahi, Tipu Tahi