

## COMING UP

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## **Dunsandel School News and Notes**

# The Weekly Family Newsletter

# Monday 18 November 2024



### **Key Information in this Newsletter**

- This Week and Coming Up
- 2025 School Year News

## **News and Notes from the Principal**

Nau mai, haere mai.

Ngā mihi nui kia koutou katoa

I hope everyone had a safe long weekend. We have only 4 weeks of the school year to go. There will be plenty happening in these four weeks, so I encourage you to keep up to date through the school newsletters and class newsletters.

We will have an **Assembly** this Friday starting at 220pm. All welcome. The children from Rooms 4 and 5 will be sharing.

**School Pool** – Mr Happer has our school pool ready for swimming. A reminder for children bring their togs and towel each day as each class has a session scheduled daily.

**School Accounts** – School accounts have been sent home today. If you have any questions about your account, please speak with Felicity.

**School Lunch** – While it is nice for your child to have a sweet treat occasionally, we ask that you **DO NOT** include sweets, chocolates and lollies in their lunchbox. We also discourage juice and high sugar milk drinks, eg Calci-Yum or Just Juice as they seem to make the children thirstier. If your child has a yoghurt or any other food requiring a spoon or fork, please provide them in their lunchbox. Thanks for your understanding.

## This week

Friday 21 November – School Assembly 220pm

#### **COMING UP**

**Tuesday 26 November** – Year 6 half day visit to Ellesmere College

Wednesday 27 November – Canterbury Athletics

Friday 29 November – Final Frday Assembly for 2024 220pm

**Tuesday 3 December** – Board Meeting #8

Wednesday 4 December – Year 6 Surf trip

Wednesday 4 December – Music Recital 6pm @ Dunsandel School Hall

Wednesday 11 December – End of year Assembly at Ellesmere College 630pm

Friday 13 December – Last day of school 1200pm close (buses will run at this time)

### The 2025 School Year

Next year we will have six classrooms which means we are looking closely at the make-up of these classes. It could mean for some children that they 'miss' a teacher or classroom they were expecting to be in. Our class make up for 2025 is as follows:-

Room 6 Year 5/6 Mrs Kim Jones Monday to Thursday and Mrs Linda Douglas on Fridays

Room 5 Year 4/5 Miss Tracey Harrold

Room 4 Year 3/4 Miss Esther Weir

Room 3 Year 2/3 Miss Lydia Wilson

Room 2 Year 1/2 Mrs Anna Robinson

Room 1 Year 1/NE Mrs Lizzie Ewing

We will welcome Mrs Jones and Miss Weir to our teaching staff. They were part of our Teacher Only Day on Thursday and are looking forward to being part of our school in 2025.

Have an awesome week.

Ngā mihi

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Dave Robinson; Principal/Tumuaki/Punong-guro

Click here for our School Calendar on Google. School Calendar can be accessed on our School App.

### **Buying Uniform**

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Go to the **Mainland Uniforms** website - personalised page for our school: - <a href="https://www.mainlanduniforms.nz/241-">https://www.mainlanduniforms.nz/241-</a>

This link is also on the home page of our school website.

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#### **Community News**

