Limehills School Newsletter

7 February 2019

WELCOME BACK!

Welcome back to everyone, especially our new entrants, Angus Officer, Jussi O'Brien and Charlee Frew. Also, welcome to Thomas and Esther Percy and Dhalani Ruki-Materoa who have joined the senior school. A warm welcome is extended to all our new students and their families.

Alerts!!!!

- Please email or call the office to confirm bus arrangements. All prior arrangements from last year have been cleared and your child will default to the bus they are registered to unless you have been in contact to advise otherwise.
- After School Care starts Monday 11th February. Please contact the office for details or to make any bookings.
- Our annual Bikewise programme is starting on Monday 11th February. Please make arrangements to have your child's helmet and bike at school on Monday, with working brakes and tyres pumped up. Please contact your child's teacher if you need to make arrangements to drop your child's bike off over the weekend or if your child does not have a bike, we can help to find one.
- Triathlon is on Friday 15th February. Students will be training next week so need to bring togs, towel and goggles every day from Monday onwards. Students should also wear running shoes and suitable clothing to run in.
- Touch starts on Friday 15th February. A link to register your child will be sent out via Seesaw and the school app or email the office if you can't access these links. The cost is \$14 per child and names must be registered by 12pm tomorrow.
- Newsletter will go out on Wednesdays, a hard copy is handed out to the eldest child in each family and it's put on the website.
- School assemblies take place at 2.15pm on Friday afternoons, beginning tomorrow.
- Please ensure you have subscribed to the school app and updated your alert subscriptions. This is a valuable way to stay in contact regarding administrative issues. Please contact the office if you have any problems.
- Please ensure you are connected to your child's teacher through the Seesaw app. Academic and classroom information will be updated using Seesaw. Please contact your child's teacher if you have any problems.
- A uniform order will go out next week.
- Please remember that all students must wear hats during breaks and outside activities in term 1. Please ensure that students have water bottles.

What's On Diary

<u>February</u>

11-15 - Bikewise 15 - Triathlon 25 - BOT meeting

March 15 - Central Athletics

April 1 - BOT meeting 7-10 - Stewart Island Camp (Y6s) 8-12 - Outdoor Education week 10-13 - Stewart Island Camp (Y5s)

October 14-18 - Deep Cove (Y8s) 14-18 - Wellington (Y7s)

House Captains

Congratulations to the following students who were voted House Captains for 2019.

<u>White - Otapiri</u> Lilly Vining and Charlie Diack

<u>Green - South Hillend</u> Blake Howes Kollat and Tarquin Gilmour

<u>Yellow - Kauana</u> Carson Lange and Avril Foulstone

<u>Blue - Oreti</u> Blake Davies and Aniska de Klerk

Good luck in your leadership roles. Let's all remember our RIPPERS when we take part in any challenges.

Responsibility | Integrity | Participation | Perseverance | Empathy | Respect |