

Wednesday 6th September 2017

Dear Parents and Whānau

Lateness to School

There is a growing number of children who are arriving late to school, some on a regular basis, which is causing concern. School starts at 8.55am so children need to be here then.

If children are late they need to report to the office before going into class.

Data actually shows that children who arrive to school half an hour prior to the start of the day actually perform better academically and socially.

School Cross Country



Weather permitting we will be having our school cross country races down on the domain just past the surf club this Friday 8 September.

Racing will start as close as possible to 10.30am with the girls Y6 race the very first to get underway.

Children can dress in house colours as long as it doesn't inhibit their running but all children need to have shoes and their polar fleece / sweat-shirt and a **named** water bottle.

If children need to bring any medication it needs to be **in a named plastic bag**. This will be collected by the class teacher placed alongside the first aid kit.

School Disco

The school disco will now be held on **Friday 15 September 5.30 – 7pm**.

The theme is **"fluro"** so dress up in something that will **glow!**

A gold coin donation entry, sweets, drinks, pop-corn, chippies and glow sticks all on sale.

This should be plenty of fun for all so bring your brothers and sisters along too.

At the end of the disco parents must come into the hall to collect their children please – the safety of our children is paramount.



Production Tickets



Tickets have been selling well so if you want to purchase some or get some reserved please see Renee Temple ASAP.

The school will be watching the very first performance of **"Once Upon A Revolting Rhyme"** on Monday morning .

Tickets are now on sale for all children and their families to purchase - \$5 per seat for the Tuesday and Wednesday night performances.



Regards

Martin Madden

Principal