



Lichfield Community Newsletter

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Kia ora e te whānau,

Thank you to Trinity Lands for their kind donation recently of \$3,000 to our school. This will certainly help with our current projects.

We are proud to be hosting the Putaruru Schools' first ever All Abilities Sports Festival thanks to the Halberg Trust. This event will be held over three weeks. See inside for more information. Anyone is welcome to come along and show their support.

This Wednesday, 3rd September Ruben the Road Safety Bear and his team of presenters will be coming to visit our juniors students. This friendly purple character is the Waikato Regional Council's road safety mascot who helps children aged up to around 7 years old in the Waikato region learn about safe behaviour around footpaths, roads and traffic.

Today Lichfield School supported Daffodil Day with a fun coin trail fundraiser. Tamariki showed kindness, generosity and community spirit while raising funds for cancer support.

On Friday we celebrated Grandparents' and Special Persons' Day at the end of Book Week, with a special assembly, including a parade of book character costumes. Whānau enjoyed stories, laughter, and celebrating the joy of learning together.

Please remind your child about expected bus behaviour. Respectful, safe actions help everyone enjoy the journey. Following the rules keeps our tamariki, drivers and community safe while travelling to and from school.

Our annual Agricultural Day is coming up next term, if you are competing, please make sure you have returned your registration form by Monday, 15th September. A big thank you to Catherine Munday who has kindly offered to polish our trophies for the big day.

Ngā Manaakitanga
Karen Care
Principal

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Notable Quotes:

"Be who you are and say what you feel, because those who mind don't matter, and those who matter don't mind."

- Bernard M. Baruch

"You've gotta dance like there's nobody watching, love like you'll never be hurt, sing like there's nobody listening and live like it's heaven on earth."

- William W. Purkey

Maths at Home

How much money is there?

\$



Last issue's answer: 439

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Lichfield School Attendance Rate Tracker (year to date)



71.11% of students have attendance rates of greater than 90%



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Room 4 Math word Problems



PUTARURU SCHOOLS ALL ABILITIES SPORTS FESTIVAL

Students from Putaruru and surrounding areas - whether at school or home schooled - are invited to join a fun-filled sporting experience made just for those who don't usually get the chance to try traditional activities!

TUESDAY 2, 9, & 16 SEPTEMBER

LICHFIELD SCHOOL

12 - 2:30PM



**Come along
and support
our awesome
kids!**

If you have any questions please contact Lawrence at lawrence@halberg.co.nz



1. Kylie had 5 dragons in one cave and 200 in another cave. How many dragons are there altogether?



2. Matilda had 500 pens. Her friends took 80. How many did she have left?



3. Maddie had 123 apples, 23 pears and 2 plums. Matilda had 6 pineapples. How many pieces of fruit are there altogether?



4. Poppy and Estelle had 3 trees of pineapples. One tree had 17 pineapples on it. Another tree had 6 pineapples on it. The last tree had 101 pineapples on it. How many pineapples are there altogether?



5. Regan had 7 boxes of felts. Each box holds 9 felts. How many does Regan have altogether?

What's On

Regular School Events

Wheels Day: Wednesday
Bible in Schools: Friday 10:55am
House Time: Friday 11:45am
Assembly (All welcome): Bi-weekly Friday 2pm
Sausage Sizzle: Friday

September

Tuesday 2nd All Abilities Sports 12 - 2.30pm
Friday 5th School Assembly @ 2pm
Monday 8th LSSG Meeting @ 1.35pm
Tuesday 9th All Abilities Sports 12 - 2.30pm
Student Led Conferences
3pm - 6pm
Friday 12th Duffy Role Model Assembly @
11.30am
Tuesday 16th BoT Meeting @ 6.30pm

Nga Kupu o te Wiki

Ko te reo he taonga

Here's this week's kupu to learn with your children:

pouaka makariri -fridge

Ka haere au ki te tiki
miraka i te pouaka
makariri.

I will go and fetch the milk
from the fridge.

Student Led Conferences

Student Led Conferences are happening next week on Tuesday, 9th September.

This is your child's opportunity to share all their hard work and learning with you from this term.

Please make your booking now via our Skool Loop app under > Bookings. We hope to see all families attend.

Student Led Conference Information



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BOOK WEEK



Lichfield School Board of Trustees

A school board is a group of people (members) working together towards common goals to govern their school.

If you would like to stay in the loop of what is happening, you can find a copy of the board minutes on our website under; Community - Board of Trustees

The Lichfield School Board of Trustees are:

Jonathan Cole, Vanessa Macneil, Aaron Pascoe, Mark Rivers, Gypsy Pye, Shona Cassels and Karen Care.

Next Meeting - Tuesday, 16th September

6.30pm in the staffroom



bot@lichfield.school.nz

Lichfield School Support Group

The LSSG is a group of dedicated parents who run fundraising and community building events throughout the year.

New members are welcome, so come along to our next meeting or offer to help out at our next fun event.

Next Meeting - Monday, 8th September

1.35pm in the hall



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Room 4 Math Answers: 1. 205 2. 420 3. 154 4. 124 5. 63



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