



NEWSLETTER

Message from
The Principal



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Kia ora koutou!

It's great to be back after my term away from school working on my sabbatical study. I want to start by saying a huge thank you to the leadership team for their efforts over the first term, in running the school in my absence.

Especially Holly and Becky who had to do most of the mahi, and Kathie for all of her valuable knowledge which supported the staff and allowed me to focus on my study. The other great thing about being away from school for a term is that it gives others a chance to shine and change things up a bit. One example was Holly's efforts in revamping and modernising the newsletter. Better still, upon my return, I have learnt that I now only need to write this wee section each fortnight, rather than the entire newsletter. I will take this opportunity to share a few thoughts, educate, provoke and more. But as I'm only allowed a little section, I wanted to say a huge welcome back to the start of the 2nd Term, especially those who are new to our Fraser Family. I am slowly in the process of trying to learn lots of the new students' names! Feel free to pop in and say Hello!



IMPORTANT DATES

- Fri 10th May - **Colour Run**
- Fri 17th May - **Pink Shirt/Ribbon Day**
- Tue 21st May - **Tough Guy & Gal Challenge**
- Tue 28th May - **Showquest Performance**
- Mon 3rd June - **Public Holiday**

Kei te pēhea koe?

GIVE
THES &
GO

Kei te **pai** au 😊

Kei te **māuiui** au 🤒

Kei te **ngenge** au 😞

Kei te **hiakai** au 🍕



COLOUR RUN

On Friday the 10th May we will be holding the annual Fraser Crescent School 'Colour Run'. Whānau are welcome to come and join in on the fun from 2:00-3:00. The very first portion of the afternoon will be for competitive runners who are hoping to qualify for inter-school cross country. Then all students will be invited to take part in a colour run. Please ensure your child is wearing comfortable clothes (that they don't mind getting dirty) and a plain white t-shirt to showcase all of the vibrant colours of the run. .



PINK SHIRT/RIBBON DAY

On Friday 17th May we are fundraising for two very important causes this year! Pink shirt day shows support for a 'No Bullying' stance in our community, and pink ribbon raises awareness and support for the Breast Cancer Foundation. Please send your child to school wearing pink to show their support. Feel free to bring a donation for one or both of these organisations. Alternatively follow this link <https://fundraise.bcf.org.nz/fundraisers/hollyking6229/pinkribbonbreakfast> to donate to our school's Pink Ribbon page.

BREAKFAST CLUB

Thanks to the generosity of many members of our community, we are able to offer Breakfast Club every day in our school hall. Students may arrive anytime between 8:00 and 9:00 and will be provided with food such as cereal, toast and fruit. They will be supervised during this time and are able to head out onto the playground or class after 8:30AM.

If you would like to donate to this amazing initiative, donations of food, money or vouchers can be handed in to our school office.



