



# MASCOT

15th February 2018

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

School has settled into a steady routine and all of the 28 new students are happy and learning with new friends and teachers. We are proud of the way our students, staff and community quickly make new people welcome. This week, teachers are completing formal assessments.

Just before 3pm is a busy time for the class and teachers need to have every child's attention to complete end of day routines. After 3pm teachers are always available for a chat so if you are picking up your children from school, please wait outside the classroom until 3pm.



**BEACH SKILLS DAY** — Many families have not sent back their Beach Skills Day Notices. Please do this straight away. It is a very difficult trip to organise and we need everyone's notices back. Another notice has been sent home today. We do need more helpers, kayaks and lifejackets. If you have any of these please let us know. We need all the help we can get.

## Coming Events

### FEBRUARY

18th—Paeroa Street Races fundraising  
20th—Pie Day Lunch \$2  
23rd—Beach Skills Day (Bowentown)  
27th—Pie Day Lunch \$2  
27th—Bikes In Schools  
27th—Wellington Trip fundraising meeting 7pm

### MARCH

1st—Junior Swimming Display  
7th—Senior Swimming Sports  
9th—Ohinemuri Swimming Sports  
20th—Board of Trustees Meeting

**PAEROA STREET RACES**—Miller Ave are once again running the internal gates within the race circuit and **VOLUNTEERS ARE STILL NEEDED** for three shifts throughout the day. Forms have been sent home with students but if you have not received one, please contact the office. Once again, this is a great fundraiser for the school and any help on the day is greatly appreciated.

**TUESDAY PIE DAY—20TH FEB** we will be having a Pie Day Fundraising day. \$2 mince & cheese pie orders will be taken for lunch. Place your \$2 in an envelope with your child's name on the front and hand into the office in the morning.



# Celebrating Success in Our School

The following children have been acknowledged for their outstanding behaviour in school.

Kayzhanique Rm 9  
Te Tahi Hartnett Rm 10  
Hayze Te Moananui Rm 5

Natasha Rm 6  
Zaak Te Moananui Rm 8

## HIGHLAND GAMES FUNDRAISER—

Thank you to everyone who helped with the food stall fundraiser at the Highland Games. We did amazingly well considering the weather with great feedback on the day for our Scottish themed meals of Pea, Pie and Pud and bubble & Squeak. A big thank you to Laurene Stepanicic for encouraging us to give it a go and we have been invited back next year to run a food area.

**TOTARA SPRINGS SPORTS CAMP IS COMING UP AGAIN**—28th August to 31st August. Any parents thinking about attending the camp this year contact Phil Gurnick on 021 109 0491.

**LUCKY BOOK CLUB** orders for Issue 1 Term 1 2018 are due back by Friday 16th.

## 2018 WELLINGTON TRIP PARENT

**FUNDRAISING MEETING**—this is our first fundraising meeting. Tuesday 27th February at 7pm.

**SCHOOL INFORMATION**—Our weekly newsletter, The Mascot, is sent home on Thursday afternoons with one student from every family. This is the main avenue for sharing events with families. We also have a school website ([www.millerave.school.nz](http://www.millerave.school.nz)) which has a link to our school calendar and our School Stream App. The School Stream App will also have copies of newsletters, school event information and contact links. You can download our app from the Google Play Store and select Miller Avenue School. If you need help with this, see Mrs Penwarden in the office.

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Bank Account: 03-1572-0010292-00

**NETBALL CO-ORDINATOR**—We are lucky to have Stacy Taylor as our new netball co-ordinator. Permission to play forms will be sent home shortly with more information about the netball season. Anyone interested in coaching a team can leave a message at the school office.

**SUN HATS**—This term is a compulsory sun hat term. Please remember to name your hat by getting embroidered for \$3 per hat or we have a white pen in the office if you need. There are hats still being handed in unnamed.

## Public Notices

**FRIDAY NIGHT FRIEND-ZY**—Starts again this FRIDAY 16TH FEBRUARY AT 6PM FINISHES 8.30PM. FOR REGISTRATION AND FUN ACTIVITIES. PLEASE COME TO THE WHARE MANAAKI - PAEROA CAREHOUSE. ALL CHILDREN AGED 8 - 12 YEARS WELCOME, \$2 PER PERSON - SUPPER PROVIDED, (07) 862 9129 FOR QUERIES TO JAGAR WRIGHT

**PROFESSIONAL TENNIS** coaching lessons Wednesday nights starting 14th February Paeroa Squash and Tennis Club From ages 5 to adults -all abilities For more info and to register txt Meiana Prout 0274966822 or [meiana.prout@gmail.com](mailto:meiana.prout@gmail.com)

**PROFESSIONAL CRICKET** coaching lessons with Mike Cotter will be starting on Monday afternoon 3.30-5.30 at the Paeroa College nets (by the bus bay). Suitable for boys and girls with suitable shoes and a great attitude. No charge, all welcome.

**CONGRATULATIONS TO YONGYUK YALA** for showing outstanding skill and attitude at cricket training. Mike Cotter.

**RENTAL ACCOMMODATION WANTED** for working couple with two children and three dogs. Honest & reliable. Please phone 07 825 4534 or text 027 351 7653

**BREAKFAST IDEAS**

## EGGS ON TOAST

Eggs-ellent ways to have eggs on toast!

- Soldiers
- Poached
- Scrambled - add herbs for extra flavour
- Microwaved

**DID YOU KNOW:** Eggs are a great source of protein which helps to grow strong healthy muscles



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## EASY OMELETTE

- 2 large eggs
- 2 Tbsp. water
- Pinch of salt and pepper
- 1 Tbsp. low fat spread
- ½ cup filling – eg cheese, tomato, capsicum or your favourite vegetables

In a bowl mix eggs, water, salt and pepper well. Melt spread on medium heat in a medium sized pan. Pour in egg mix covering whole pan. Using a spatula, pull in cooked egg from the outside. Tilt the pan so uncooked egg can fill gaps until the bottom is set and egg looks slightly wet on top. Add fillings on one half of omelette and then gently fold other half on top. Slip on to a plate and enjoy!



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and Public Holidays.*

**Ph: 07 863 8733**

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### **HOMEBASED EDUCATORS REQUIRED**

Can you provide a safe and nurturing home filled with fun, play and education? Do you have a passion for supporting children's interest, learning and development? This is a great opportunity to start a career in home based early childhood education.

We offer free resource and equipment library, free training, and professional development opportunities, regular organised outings, and ongoing support and play ideas from our qualified early child teachers who will visit you each month.

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**For further information,  
Contact Mel on 0800 543 996 Ext 2 or  
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## Paeroa Vet Services

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