

KIMBOLTON SCHOOL

August 31, 2022



A common question I have repeatedly been asked through my career in education is how can parents help their children at home, to support their education. Whilst the answer to that can be complicated and differ based on the individual student and their families, a common, simple and valuable answer is always, “Talk to them.” Get your child to tell you what they have been doing, what it means and how they enjoy it. Let the conversation flow from there. My own personal belief around other ways to help at home is, ensure they get a lot of sleep, drink a lot of water and eat healthy most of the time. Anecdotally, I have clearly observed the link between healthy lunchboxes and concentration, which leads to increased academic gains and performance at school.

Later on in this newsletter you will see a blurb about Daffodil Day. I would like to mention here how proud I was of our school. Although I need to do the final Maths we have raised over \$350 for the Cancer Society. That is around \$8 per child.

Finally, I would like to quickly thank the staff here at Kimbolton. Next week I will be away for a few days, having some wisdom teeth removed. It is so good to know that Kirsty will step in and lead the team effectively in my absence and that things will progress positively. Education really is a team effort and that has been highlighted in recent times.



Have a good couple of weeks.

Greg

Values

The two values we are currently focusing on are below.

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WAKA Award Winners.

Well done to the four students drawn out of the WAKA box at assembly.

- Quinn, Marleigh, Neave, Madison, Maddie

Award Winners

Well done to recent class award winners.

Room 1: Emmett and Ella M

Room 2: Indie and Madison

Room 3: Leah and Wyatt

Principal's Award: Ruby and Lane



Speeches

Congratulations to Keeliarn, Solomon, Lachie and Nate for representing us at the cluster speech finals. A special well done to Nate for finishing third.

Writing with Mr Codyre

This session was held last week. Hopefully those parents that attended found it worthwhile. If you missed it, but would like to know more about what we do, Greg is happy to sit down individually and go through it with you.

Daffodil Day

Last Friday we celebrated Daffodil Day. I was very proud of the efforts in the dress up competitions and it was exceptionally difficult to judge.

Congratulations to all prize winners and in particular Madison and Maddie, for placing first and second.

As a school we raised over \$350, which is a fantastic effort for a small school like Kimbolton.



Room 1 Camp

This is currently being organised, but the dates are confirmed as November 15 - 17. It will be in Wellington and initial interest for parent helpers has gone out.

Final information and consent forms will come out on September 13.

Pet Day

This is set down for Friday, November 4. More details to follow.

A notice has gone home for intent to enter lambs, calves and goats for judging.

The dog show will return this year, hopefully with more obedient dogs.



Key Dates

Some dates to put in your calendar now.

Cross Country: Friday, September 23

Athletics: Friday, November 25

Pet Day: Friday, November 4

Parent / Teacher Conferences: Wednesday, November 9

End of Year Prizegiving: Monday, December 12

Last Day of School Year: Wednesday, December 14. 1pm finish.





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PET DAY IS COMING

Friday, November 4



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Sunday 11th September

11.00 am to 4.00 pm

(meet the coach between 11.00 am & 2.00 pm)

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PET DAY

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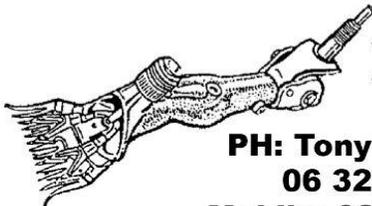
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