

9.3.2021

Pānui 6 - Wiki 6

Tēnā rā koutou katoa e te whānau,

There are just over 5 weeks to go until the end of Term 1 2021! We would like to kindly remind whānau of the last day for this term which is **FRIDAY 16TH APRIL 2021**. Kura will finish at **1.30PM** on this day.

As per the Prime Minister's announcement, Auckland is currently operating under Alert Level 2 restrictions. Cabinet will meet later this week to review alert levels.

A reminder to all of our Kura whānau that we need to keep ourselves and our whānau safe. It's important that we continue to follow the rules.

*It's all right to feel over this right now* but we all know what to do, we have done this before and we will do it again, together. Kia Kaha whānau!

### IN TODAY'S PĀNUI

- ❖ **Health & Safety @ Alert Level 2**
- ❖ **Key Dates**
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### HEALTH & SAFETY AT ALERT LEVEL 2

Please remind your tamaiti/tamariki about the 6 health measures below so that they are well aware of what is expected when onsite at Kura during Alert Level 2. The more confident our tamariki are, the easier it will be for them to settle in.

While everyone is onsite at Kura at Alert Level 2, we **MUST ADHERE** to the following health and safety measures

#### **1. Good hand hygiene and cough and sneeze etiquette**

Regular washing and drying or sanitising of hands will take place when entering the akomanga, before and after breaks and activities. Tamariki will also be encouraged/reminded to cough and sneeze into their elbow and resist touching their face.

#### **2. Staying home when sick**

Quite simply if tamariki or kaimahi are sick, they should stay home. (Whānau are encouraged to phone their GP or Healthline and get tested if a doctor or health professional recommends to do so).

If tamariki do become unwell while at Kura, whānau will be contacted immediately to collect their child/ren.

Anyone who is self-isolating, or who has been advised by health authorities to remain at home while they wait for their COVID-19 test results, must inform the Kura and must stay home.

### **3. Keeping the appropriate physical distance from others**

Maintaining a physical distance so that tamariki and kaimahi are not breathing on or close proximity to each other.

### **4. Morning drop off & afternoon pick up from the top car park**

Morning Drop Off - A kaimahi will be on duty from 8.30am - 8.50am each morning in the top car park with sanitiser for all tamariki to sanitise hands upon arrival. We kindly ask that whānau remain in their vehicles and that tamariki are sent into Kura through the top gate only. Once you have dropped off your tamariki, please move along to allow other whānau to drop off their tamariki.

Afternoon Pick Up - Kaimahi will be on duty from 2.45pm to 3.30pm each afternoon in the top car park. We kindly ask that whānau remain in their vehicles and tamariki will be released and sent to you. Kura Teina tamariki will be released from their akomanga whilst Kōpu & Wharekura tamariki will be released from the Administration block.

### Kura & Kohanga Whānau

If you have Kura students in your car, please drop them off in the top car park or remind them that entry and exit point for students is the top gate to Kura Teina. They will NOT be able to use any other entry point into Kura.

Arriving Late and Leaving Early - If your tamariki arrive late (after 8.50am) or leave early (before 2.50pm) they must enter/leave through the main Tari entrance.

### **5. Ka Ora Ka Ako Lunch Programme & Water bottles**

The Ka Ora Ka Ako Lunch Programme will continue through Alert Level 2. Please ensure that all tamariki bring a named drink bottle to Kura. Disposable cups will be available in each akomanga for tamariki who forget their drink bottles. All water fountains will be covered and there will be no lunch orders until Alert Level 1.

### **6. Official QR Code Posters at all entrances and encouraging whānau to download the NZ COVID Tracer App and use it if they come onsite**

Official QR Code posters are displayed in all main entrances to the Kura. Whānau are encouraged to download the NZ COVID tracer app and use it when you come onsite to Kura

Our vistab system will be in place, to support contact tracing for whānau/visitors who do not use the app.

### **KEY DATES**

Please see upcoming events below;

#### ***Thursday 11th March 2021 – Te Hitori o Te Kura – Te Kura Katoa***

Thank you to those whānau who returned their consent forms for this haerenga. Please ensure that all consent forms are returned by tomorrow morning.

#### ***Thursday 25th March 2021 – Te Rā Kaipara mo ngā KKM o Tāmaki (Tau 1 – 8)***

A detailed pānui for the above haerenga will be sent out next week.

#### ***Tuesday 30th March 2021 – Haerenga ki te Whare Pūpuri Taonga (Tau 1 –6)***

A detailed pānui for the above haerenga will be sent out next week.

### **Thursday 1st April 2021 – Teacher Only Day**

Kura will be closed on the above date for Teacher Only Day. All kaimahi and kaiāwhina will partake in a full day of professional development.

### **Friday 2nd–Tuesday 6th April 2021 – Easter Holiday Break**

Kura will be closed for the above period for the Easter holiday break. Kura will resume as per normal on Wednesday 7th April.

### **Wednesday 7th–Sunday 11th April 2021 – Haerenga ki Aotea (Tau 7 – 13)**

An updated pānui for the above haerenga will be sent out in the coming weeks. If you have not confirmed your child/ren's attendance on this haerenga, please inform the Tari asap.

### **Friday 9th April 2021 – Haerenga ki Te Whare Toi o Tāmaki (Tau 1 – 6)**

A detailed pānui for the above haerenga will be sent out closer to the date.

### **HĀKINAKINA**

With the recent move in alert level, all sporting programmes and fixtures have/will resume this week including Swimming Lessons (Tau 1 - 3), YMP (Tau 4 - 13) and Miniball games.

Please ensure that tamariki have the necessary equipment for their sessions

Mondays - Swimming Lessons for Tau 1-3

Wednesdays & Fridays - YMP for Tau

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### **Paoro Iti/Miniball - Season 1,2021 - \$95.00 per player**

Please see upcoming grading games below;

Tues 9.3.21

Kura Weta vs. SNK Flames

3.45pm

Court SC

Fri 12.3.21

Kura Mokonui vs. SMS Saints

4.30pm

Court SC

A friendly reminder to all Miniball whānau to familiarise yourself with the interim health & safety measures that are currently in place at Breakers Gym under Alert Level 2. This information has been shared with you via email.

### **Poitūkohu/Basketball - Secondary Season - \$100.00 per player**

In preparation for the upcoming Secondary Basketball Season, we would like to ascertain the number of Wharekura students who would like to register this year.

Please see information below;

Suitable for: All Tau 7 - 13 Girls & Boys (Tau 7 & 8 can only play in U15 grades)

Fees: \$100.00 per player (includes NH Membership) due 16th April 2021

Grades: U15, U17, U19 Girls & Boys

Game nights: U15 - Wednesdays, U17 - Thursdays & U19 - Fridays

Various Venue: North Shore Event Centre, YMCA Northcote, AUT Akoranga Dr

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**If you would register your tamaiti/tamariki, please return the section below via email by Friday 26th March 2021. Teams will only be entered if there are sufficient players.**

\_\_\_\_\_ would like to play Secondary Basketball this year.

She/He will play in U15 / U17 / U19 grade.

I/we \_\_\_\_\_ are interested in coaching/managing/umpiring this year.

Parent signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date

\_\_\_\_\_

### **Netipaoro/Netball - Winter Season**

In preparation for the upcoming Secondary Netball Season, we would like to ascertain the number of students who would like to register this year.

Please see information below;

Suitable for: All Tau 1 - 13

Grades & Fees: Year 1 & 2, Year 3 & 4, Year 5 & 6 - \$55.00 per player  
Wharekura (Tau 7 & 8 can only play in Year 10) - \$95.00 per player

Game days: Saturdays

Venue: Year 1 - 6 at Pinehurst School, Wharekura at B & T Netball Centre

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\_\_\_\_\_ would like to play Netball this year.

She/He will play in Year 1 & 2 / Year 3 & 4 / Year 5 & 6 / Wharekura grade.

I/we \_\_\_\_\_ are interested in coaching/managing/umpiring this year.

Parent signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date

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### **TE REO MĀORI NIGHT CLASSES**

There was an awesome turn out at the first Beginner and Intermediate Te Reo Māori Class held a fortnight ago with over 80% of enrollees being members of our Kura whānau. Kei runga noa atu koutou!!!

There are still spaces available in both levels and if you are interested in signing up, please come along to the Kura tomorrow night at 6pm with your photo ID (passport preferred).