What a beautiful few sunny days we have had. Because of this warm weather can you all please ensure your children:

- have a named sunhat (brimmed ones are best)
- wear lighter clothing so that they do not overheat when playing outside
- have all clothing and shoes named

# Safety at the Gate

I realise that finding a parking spot is an issue after school. However, please do not come into the staff carparks. Last week, a child was nearly hit by a car manouvering in a very crowded car park. If you have a mobility permit there is a mobility space in the smaller carpark where you can park and display.

Asthma Waikato are offering a free workshop for anyone wanting information about managing their child's asthma.

The session will be held on the 9th November at 9.15am in the Bankwood School staffroom.

Please let the office know by Friday 30th October if you are interested in coming.



Upcoming Events		
Day	Date	What
Wed	4 Nov	Road Patrol Training - Y5
Wed	18 Nov	Y4 - 6 Athletics
Fri	27 Nov	Tabloids Y1-3
Wed	2 Dec	Cluster Athletics - Y5 & 6
Wed	9 Dec	Celebration Picnic Reports go home Disco - Y3-6
Thurs	10 Dec	Y1 and 2 Disco 2-3pm
Mon	14 Dec	Y6 Leavers Party
Tues	15 Dec	Final Assembly - Y6 parents only
Tues	15 Dec	School finishes at 12.15pm



## Back to the Future



Room 12 imagined we were time travellers who travelled 10 years into the future to visit our school. We wanted to see how our culture of kindness had grown. Back to the present-day, and our class wants to share our experiences with you...

## A CULTURE OF KINDNESS WILL LOOK LIKE...

- ♦ When the teacher gives you a smile.
- ♦ Friends saying, "Hello!" Being nice.
- Kids involving each other in their games. Asking, "Do you want to play?"
- ♦ Your friend gives you a hug if you are sad.
- Others helping you with something like a project, or work such as math or reading.
- Students would manage to do the right things.
- ♦ People are respectful.
- The school will be clean. No rubbish anywhere.

## A CULTURE OF KINDNESS WILL SOUND LIKE...

- My favourite teacher saying, "Morena," in a happy voice.
- Laughing and saying, "Let's play!"
- ♦ No back-stabbing, put downs or gossip.
- ♦ Kind words. Laughter and happiness.
- The kids and teachers are having a good day.

### A CULTURE OF KINDNESS WILL FEEL LIKE...

- ♦ A warm hug.
- ♦ A warm feeling in your heart.
- ♦ A warm spark of joy in your stomach.
- ♦ Love inside of you.
- ♦ If someone feels down , you'll go and cheer them up.
- ♦ Everyone will be happy and no-one will be mad.
- ♦ Always a friend by your side and you don't feel alone.
- The teacher is impressed with your work.

### THINGS FROM THAT FUTURE SCHOOL THAT WE WOULD LIKE TO ENCOURAGE MORE OF TODAY...

- ♦ Make someone smile or laugh every day.
- ♦ BE The NICE KID!







