The weather has changed dramatically over the past week. The days start out cool and then often warm up. Layering of clothing is best so children don't overheat. Or they can pop a pair of shorts in their school bag to change later if needed. Please NAME all belongings.

Next Thursday 22nd March, there are Paid Union Meetings, which teachers are entitled to attend. Some will attend at 9am and the others at 1pm. Programming will be different at these times.

Reminders:

School Photo Day

Next Wednesday 21st March, Masterpiece Photography will be in our school taking class photos. They will also photograph individual or family groups on request. Please complete the envelope sent home last week and return to school by Friday 16 March. Payment to Masterpiece can be made by cash, cheque or internet. See details on back of envelope.

Tryathalon -Thursday 15th March (Postponement 23 March)

Tuakana Team - Rooms 1-4 start on the field at 11.50am.

Teina Team - Rooms 9-12 start on the field at 12.30pm.

Bikes are to be put outside Rms 10-13 before school and collected at 3pm.

Lost Property - The green bin that sits outside the back door into the Admin block is full to overflowing. PLEASE check to see if some things come from your home.



Sports Notices

required.

Miniball Wednesday 14 March Tigers 4.50pm YMCA 2

Headlice Alert!

Please check your child's hair and treat if

contact the office, as product is available if

necessary. If you need advice please

Friday 16th March **Wolves YMCA**

Touch Monday 19th March Bears vs HDS Thunder fld 2, 5.15pm

Wednesday 14 March Blades 6.24pm

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Day	Date	What
Thursday	15 March	Tryathalon Y3-6
Wednesday	21 Mar	School Photos
		(class & individual)
Friday	30 Mar	Good Friday
Monday	2 Apr	Easter Monday
Tuesday	3 Apr	Easter Tuesday
Friday	13 Apr	Term 1 ends
Monday	30 Apr	Term 2 begins

Regards - Kay Cleaver, Principal



When I went swimming yesterday I tried tricks in the pool. I tried doing handstands and I liked doing the starfish and the best one, was snake tag.

By Taylor



As I got into the freezing, cold water I ballet danced to the other side because I was so cold. I started to get goose bumps and I felt nervous. I took a deep breath then I ducked under. When I did, I felt a lot warmer. My goose bumps went away and I didn't feel nervous any more. So, the teacher put plates out. We got into groups of four buddies. I had Jade, Sariah and Rangimaria. First, we did tunnel diving, then we did snakes. Next, we did floating like a starfish, then adding underwater. Lastly, was handstands. It was so much fun and when I got out, I was so, so cold. By Char

As I get into the pool I just dive down into the water. When I got up I was freezing like ice. What we were doing in the pool was like playing a game. There were plates with writing on them. We had to do what it said on them. When I got out, it was freezing. By Kymani





As I get in the water I am cold for a little bit. After, I just plop under the water. Guess what I can do now? I can swim without a flutter board. Sometimes I do the ballet dance. It's really funny. I laugh and laugh. Guess how I feel when I get out? I feel frozen! I catch the goose bumps! By Paige

As I glide into the pool I do a ballet dance. It feels like I stood in a bowl of ice cubes. I shiver from head to my toes. I diver under!!! I am warm now. The teacher says, "Get out now." I swim to the ladder and I get out. "Brrrrrrrr, I'm cold." By Tiakina





As I get in to the pool my eyes open really wide. I try to talk but I can't. It feels like an ice cube, super-duper cold. When I bend my knees the water went up to my chest. When we got out, that was even colder. Everyone felt like ice blocks. By Peightyn



