

End of term is fast approaching. To make it clearer, I have listed the upcoming events and provided details for you.

Friday 6th December – Year 1-3 Tabloids – Potiki team and the Year 3 children from Teina will be involved in tabloid activities. This starts at 9.30am-11am.

Wednesday 11th December – Assembly – Certificates for librarians, road patrollers and Year 1-5 'Being the Best We Can Be' children.

Friday 13th December - Potiki Team Disco - Between 2pm and 3pm, the Potiki children will have a disco afternoon in the hall. We have decided to do it this way to give all of our little people the opportunity to dance with their peers. You are welcome to come and dance too.

Friday 13th December - Teina and Tuakana Disco - Children have been given a slip inviting them to the disco. This permission slip **MUST** be returned to the office before the disco.

Teina (R9-12) - 5.15-6pm

Tuakana (R1-4) - 6.15 - 7.15pm

Drinks and chips will be for sale for \$1 each - Entry is free.



Tuesday 17th December - Celebration of Learning

Because of the unpredictable hot weather, we are holding this event earlier in the day than normal. For the past few years we have come together as a school to share an aspect of The Arts with each other. Weather permitting, we will meet under the large sail system at 10.15am. Potiki team, followed by Teina and then Tuakana team will perform for us. When finished, we all go onto the field to eat our morning tea. Please bring some food and join us.

Wednesday 18th December - Reports go home - Please check your children's bags.

Thursday 19th December - Final Assembly honouring our Year 6 students

The final assembly for 2018 will start at **11am sharp**. Because of space in the hall we only invite the parents/whanau of the Year 6 children. If your child is not Year 6, please do not attend.

Thursday 19th December - Last Day of Term

School finishes at **12.15pm**. All children will be released at this time. Please make arrangements for this early school finish.

School starts in 2020 on Monday 3rd February.



Dear Parents, Whanau and Caregivers
Kia Ora Koutou.

4 December 2019

Today, Grant Edwards, Ngahuia Cooper and Vic Rangitaawa took a small group of athletes to compete at the Cluster Athletics at Southwell School. Children competing were Bethel Masoe, Te Ariki Ashby, Spencer Drake, Tinei Vaaitoa, Sylus Te Ngahue, Kalani Raharuhi, Maia Hellyer, Amrutha Lopinti, Neveah Greenland, Sharol Metai, Jasmine Stanley, Rangimaria Tapu-Wahitapu and Helena Talaese. As always our children represented Bankwood School to a high standard.

Lost Property

Can you please check that your child/children have not left clothing at school. Check in their classrooms first and then other unclaimed clothing is hanging in the cloakbay outside Room 13 (the classroom nearest hall) and bordering the field.

Return of school sports uniforms

If you have any sports shirts or shorts at home, please return to the office by Friday the 13th of December.

Reminder - School finishes on Thursday 19 December at 12.15pm.



Kelly Club are running an extra session on the final day of school, Thursday the 19th of December 2019 at Bankwood After School Care from 12.30pm to 3.00pm for a cost of \$13. Our sessions from 3.00pm are running as usual.



Please book on line at www.kellyclub.co.nz and choose Bankwood School Kelly Club Extra Session

Email: waikato@kellysports.co.nz
Phone Kim 07 839 9017

Fruit in Schools

This is the last week of delivery for fruit in school.



**It's School Holiday Time!!
13-24 December 2019
6-31 January 2020**

Check out our active and fun filled Holiday Programme at our four fantastic venues:

Hamilton Girls' High, Southwell, Te Totara, and Leamington Schools

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GLOBAL FLAVOURS

FRESH ASIAN STIR-FRY

Ingredients:

- 1 tsp oil
- 1 onion, sliced
- 1 Tbsp soy sauce
- fresh or frozen vegetables
- choice of meat, thinly sliced

Brown onion in pan with oil and add meat. Cook for 5min then mix veges through. Stir-fry until veges are just cooked – they should still be a little crunchy. Add soy sauce for flavouring. Serve hot with brown rice or udon noodles.



CHICKEN



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PORK



FROZEN VEG



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Regards, Kay Cleaver, Principal.