



Developing Independence Through Learning

**RUKUHA SCHOOL**

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# Newsletter Term 2 Week 1



**KIA ORA** Welcome to Term 2!

We hope everyone enjoyed their holiday break, it has been awesome to see everyone back refreshed and ready to learn.

The PTA fundraiser is finishing tomorrow, get your orders in if you would like to be apart of it!

Pink shirt day is coming on the 20th of May.

Dust off those bright shirts and be ready to join the fun and support the anti bullying movement.

First Credit Union will be starting up their school banking again this term.

Winter is coming, there is information within this news letter regarding uniform requirements.

Please remember to complete the digital devices survey, to let us know your feedback:

<https://forms.gle/CBUeKAXcqz5ughKJ9>

**Have a fantastic week**



## **Camp!!**

We are in the very early stages of planning for the Senior Camp in Term 3. My apologies for the later than usual communication around this, however we needed to be sure Covid restrictions had well passed us before committing to organising camp. I don't have any firm numbers yet, but to give you a heads up, it will likely be in Week 7 or 8 of Term 3, and an approximate cost of \$350.

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Runty Jackson

Deputy Principal

# GUMDROPS DESSERTS

## FUNDRAISING MENU

### PTA Fundraiser

If you would like to support our PTA, please grab an order form and enjoy some amazing looking desserts!

Please be aware there are no cash sales and payments need to be made to the below PTA account (not the school account).

Please return order forms by **Wednesday May 4.**

Pickup date **Friday 13 May.**

Please collect from **Rukuhia School Hall** at school pick up time.

Please make all payments to **Rukuhia School PTA**, account **12-3122-0283284-000** using **'Gumdrops'** & your **student's name** as reference.



## Production

There will be no school production this year. This is to allow Room 4 & 5 to go to camp during Term 3 and also due to the uncertainty of covid restrictions.

Hopefully we will be able to bring our production back in 2023.





# School Banking Update

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First Credit Union wishes to advise parents that School Banking will resume in Term 2.

If you wish to open an account, please get an application from the school office!



**If you are unwell and have any of these symptoms:**

- fever
- cough
- shortness of breath
- sneezing or a runny nose

**then please don't enter this building.**

For updates and more information on keeping yourself safe, visit **Covid19.govt.nz**

**Stay home  
if you are sick**

New Zealand Government

# Important Dates

## Important Dates this Term:

BOT Meeting - 17th of May

Pink Shirt day - 20th May

Queen's Birthday - 6th of June

LWS Senior Winter Sports - 10th of June

Matariki - 24th of June

BOT Meeting - 28th of June

Last day of Term 2 - 8th July

BOT Meeting - 26th of July

## Term Dates

### **Term 1 2022**

Tuesday 1st February—14th April

### **Term 2 2022**

2nd May—8th July

### **Term 3 2022**

25th of July—30th September

### **Term 4 2022**

17th of October—TBC

## **Public Holidays 2022**

6th of June                  Queen's Birthday

24 of June                  Matariki

24th of October          Labour Day

**Please note events are Covid level dependant and events could be postponed or cancelled.**



# Uniform Supplier

**Logo U2 are now able to offer your school uniform to be ordered directly from their online shop**

[www.logou2.com](http://www.logou2.com)

- A note from Logo U2: Please wash our shirts inside out. When printed apparel is turned inside out when washing the printing will last longer as it is not getting rubbed against other clothing.

**Logo U2**  
Proudly NZ



**first**  
credit union

First Credit Union provides a school banking service to all pupils at Rukuhia School.



# Uniform

## Boys

### TOP

- Regulation Rukuhia School Monogrammed Polo Shirt
- (Plain Navy or Black Thermals may be worn underneath)
- Regulation Navy Polar Fleece

### BOTTOM

- Regulation Navy Shorts
- Regulation Navy Long Pants (Plain Navy or Black thermals may be worn underneath)

### SCHOOL SHOES

- Plain Black School Shoes – with black laces
- Plain Black Velcro School Shoes
- Plain Black School Sandals
- Plain Black Socks





## Girls

### Top

- Regulation Rukuhia School Monogrammed Polo Shirt
- (Plain Navy or Black Thermals may be worn underneath)
- Regulation Navy Polar Fleece

### Bottom

- Regulation Navy Skorts – (Plain Navy or Black stockings) or black socks *only* may be worn underneath)
- Regulation Navy Long Pants (Plain Navy or Black thermals may be worn underneath)
- Regulation Navy Shorts

### School Shoes

- Plain Black School Shoes– with black laces
- Plain Black Velcro School Shoes
- Plain Black School Sandals
- Plain Black Socks

### Regulation Hat

Compulsory during terms 1 and 4

# School Reminders

## School Times

8.30am	Classrooms Open
9.00am	School Starts
11.00-11.30am	Morning Tea
12.45-1.40pm	Lunch
3.00pm	School Finishes

## Office Hours

8.30am—3.00pm  
office@rukuhia.school.nz  
07 843 6967

## Absentees

If your child is going to be absent from school for any reason, could you please call the office before 9.00am. If the phone is unattended please leave a message.

## Signing In & Out

If you are late for school or need to take your children out of school for any reason during school time, parents/caregivers must come into the office and sign them out and then sign them back in if they are returning before school finishes.

## School Bank Account

If you are wanting to make online payments to the school below are our bank account details:

12 3152 0019783 00

Please make sure you note the child's name and what the payment is for.

