


Kia ora/Greetings/Kia Orana

****Teacher Only Day Friday 28th August****

A reminder that this Friday is a Teacher Only Day- School is closed.



Using NZ COVID Tracer

Are you coming into the school grounds at level two? Make this easier for yourself and our staff by downloading the Ministry's Covid App.

<https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=nz.govt.health.covidtracer> or <https://apps.apple.com/nz/app/id1511667597>

You then simply have to scan the QR code rather than having to record your details.

Covid App

Te Hihiri- opening of the new space

Next Monday we are going to be opening the refurbished learning spaces of Te Hihiri. This project has been long awaited and represents a special time for the teachers and children.

Our pēpi (year 1 and 2) and tuakana (year 5 and 6) will move, with the teina (year 3 and 4) remaining in room 24.

New Entrant class

Stephanie Wilkinson will move with her new entrant class to the library space. Stephanie has been working with the children this whole term and I know she and the children are looking forward to moving to their own space!

Project Energise- Sugary Drinks

This week we had Zane from Project Energise visit the junior classes. Zane read the children a wonderful story called Race to the Finish. This story was about different types of drinks racing each other and from this we learnt that **water** and **milk** are the best types of drinks for fuelling our bodies and that more sugary drinks like flavoured milk, sports drinks, cordials and juice should be saved for special occasions or special treats. Zane also gave everyone their very own copy of the story to take home and colour in.



Picking up your children

Help us keep your children safe by following these simple guidelines:

- Find a safe place to park if you are picking up your child. The church car park at the end of Knighton Road is an excellent spot to consider.

Do not:

- Park in driveways or on yellow lines.
- Stop on the road and expect your children to hop in the car.



There is **a lot** of lost property outside Mrs Cowie's office. Please come and claim it! Tomorrow if fine, the lost property will be displayed on the courts.

Please check this for your children's clothing. Named items can be returned to children but unfortunately most of the clothing that is lost is unnamed.



Please name your child's clothing.

Cross Country Results

We're so pleased that the weather held out for the cross-country.

The students were well behaved and it was encouraging to see our Knighton values in play - especially those of Angituu (Success) and Manawaroa (Resilience). I know it was tough for many of them, but the attitude they showed in never giving up and giving it their best meant that many of them, even though they may not have had a placing, achieved success.

Parents - thank you for those who came along. It was awesome to see social responsibility while still being able to have you attend to support and encourage.

We look forward to hosting a Fun Run event, aimed at all students and family/whānau groups participating when it is appropriate to do so.

		Champion	Runner-Up	Third Place
Year 3	Girls	Caiden B	Moana B	Royelle L
	Boys	Zaker K	Joe S	Yousef B
Year 4	Girls	M'Kenzy B	Lily M	Chloe S
	Boys	Levi A	Jonathan E	Zachary R
Year 5	Girls	Buthmi G	Nina B	Tawa M
	Boys	Dontaye R	Matai H	Mateo C
Year 6	Girls	Riley H	Arieta A	Nonoka I
	Boys	Daniel D	Ihaia T	Nathan L

Enrolments for Berkley Normal Middle School

All 2021 enrolments for Berkley Normal Middle School are due by **4.00pm on Wednesday 26 August** - this includes both in-zone and out-of-zone enrolments. *Out-of-zone enrolments must be received at the office by 26 August to be eligible for the enrolment ballot.*



OOZ ballot

The deadline for the out of zone ballot for next term is the 11th of September.

The school's current roll is high for this time of year and class spaces are limited due to class sizes and refurbishment of class space.

There will be another ballot on the 26th of October to help the school prepare classes for 2021.

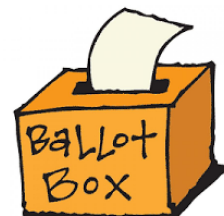


Photo Day Wednesday 9th September

Information about photo day will be coming home today. All children will have both an individual and class photo taken *but* if you would like a siblings photo as well, then please collect a form from the office **BEFORE** photo day. (Siblings must be attending Knighton)

New Entrant children for 2021

To plan for 2021 it is very helpful to be able to predict new entrant numbers for 2021. Do you have a five year old starting at Knighton next year? Do you know of a family with a five year old starting in 2021?! If you do please fill in the form at the bottom of the newsletter and return to the office or email the office at:

knighton@kns.ac.nz

Ngā mihi nui

Stuart Armistead
Principal

Child's Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____ M/F: _____

Parent/Caregiver Name: _____

Address: _____

Contact Phone No: _____ Current Preschool: _____