

# Ruahine School Reminder Notice

## Term 4 Week2 2022

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### IMPORTANT DATES

- ◆ Monday 31 October School Photos
- ◆ Monday 31 October BoT Meeting 6pm
- ◆ Wednesday 9 November Ruahine School Athletics
- ◆ Thursday 10 November Town & Country Buses Combined
- ◆ Friday 11 November Assembly Lamb & Calf Day Cups & Certificates
- ◆ Friday 11 November Ruahine School Athletics Postponement Day
- ◆ Friday 11 November Town Lamb & Calf Day
- ◆ Wednesday 16 November Interschool Athletics
- ◆ Monday 12 December Ruahine School Prize-giving
- ◆ Tuesday 13 December School Picnic
- ◆ Wednesday 14 December End of 2022 School Finishes At 12.30pm
- ◆ 2023 Tuesday 31 January Term 1 Begins



### A Very Special Day

On Monday 17 October Mrs Lee Gibbs & Mrs Rachel Bowie accompanied 7 of our wonderful ROCKERS to Levin East School to attend a powhiri for Mrs Sarah McCord. Supported by her family, colleagues from Tamaki nui a Rua iwi, education professionals as well as the Ruahine School contingent, Sarah began her Levin East journey. The children & staff were very welcoming with beautifully presented waiata & plentiful kai! There were over 350 students present to welcome Sarah. It was a privilege for our ROCKERS to attend.

Lee Gibbs.

Kia ora koutou,

We had a fantastic start to Term 4 with **Craft Day and Lamb and Calf Day** in Week 1! Thank you to our wonderful PFK for organising a successful lamb and calf day last Wednesday and to the many helpers who made it happen. It was lovely to see so many people enjoying our day with us, including new parents and grandparents for 2023 and past parents and grandparents. We loved seeing you all:-)

We hope you can join us tomorrow afternoon for our **assembly**. Please note that Lamb and Calf awards will be presented at our Week 4 assembly (11 November). If you pop into the office you will see some wonderful Lamb and Calf Day photos on display. Thank you to Bart Bowie for taking such beautiful photos every year on Lamb and Calf Day.



Today we held an **earthquake drill** as part of the nationwide 'Shake Out'. Teachers were very pleased with how quickly and sensibly our students responded with their 'drop, cover, hold'. We hold emergency drills every term so that if an emergency arises our students and staff are prepared and can keep themselves safe. We have emergency booklets hanging in each room of our school so staff and students can quickly refer to the booklet and follow the instructions.

Term 4 flies by very quickly and teachers are busy teaching, assessing and report writing. In order for students to be present for **assessments** we ask that you keep any appointments for after school as much as possible and keep in touch with your child's teacher if you need to take your child out of class. This will help your child and their teacher enormously to get through the end of year tasks. Thank you.

We have a lot happening in Term 4 so please keep checking the calendar and our newsletters to keep up to date! And do let us know if there is anything happening in our community that we can share or that we need to know about.

Kia pai to ahiahi, have a good afternoon,

Sarah McCord  
Principal

# Ruahine School Class & Individual Photos

Monday 31 October 2023



This year we are really excited to have Bowie Photography taking our school photos. Family photos will be taken for the PFK Calendars at a later date.

Please make sure your child/ren have correct Ruahine School uniform, correct shoes & that long hair is tied up.

Please fill out the order form below & return it to the school office by Thursday 10 November. **Each child will need a separate order form.** Eldest children in families will be provided with order forms to bring home.

Remember to provide your child's name, class number & method of payment on the order form.



CHILD'S NAME \_\_\_\_\_ CLASS NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

	COST	NUMBER OF COPIES	TOTAL
CLASS PHOTO 8 x 10 NAMED & LAMINATED	\$13		
PROTRAIT 5 x 7	\$5		
PORTRAIT 4 x 6	\$4		
PACKAGE DEAL—CLASS PHOTO, 5 x 7 PRITRAIT & 4 x 6 PORTRAIT	\$20		
DIGITAL IMAGE <b>PORTRAIT PHOTO ONLY</b> —JPEG (MUST INCLUDE EMAIL ADDRESS BELOW)	\$4		
EMAIL _____			
PAYMENT METHOD PLEASE TICK ONE			
ONLINE TO SCHOOL BANK ACCOUNT NUMBER <input type="checkbox"/>			
BOARD OF TRUSTEES BANK ACCOUNT NUMBER <b>12 3442 0045 840 00</b>			
CASH TO SCHOOL OFFICE <input type="checkbox"/>			
			TOTAL