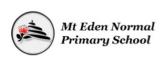
## MENPS News

Te Whare Akoranga o Maungawhau | 25 July, 2019









#### From The Principal

Kia ora koutou

Welcome to Term 3, and I trust you had an enjoyable break.

The term ahead has many highlights to look forward to, and you should by now have received a list of key dates, which you can also download <a href="https://example.com/here">here</a> via our website. A major event coming soon will be our Y3/4 Production, showcasing the talents of our middle school classes in what is sure to be a memorable experience for all those involved. Next week, we celebrate Book Week with fun reading-related activities, including the opportunity to dress as a favourite literary character on Thursday, 1st of August.

Many of you will have noticed work progressing on our 4-classroom renovation in Block 1. These will be refreshed and modernised as individual learning spaces (as opposed to open plan modern learning environments). We continue to take the view that this model works best for our learners and our approach to curriculum. Works are also underway to upgrade three of our Junior bathrooms, (which are over 20 years old and definitely due an upgrade!). The disruption is minimal, with works expected to be completed by the end of the term.

An important reminder also that children are under no circumstances to be left unsupervised before or after school (before 8.15am or after 3.15pm). In particular, we have recently noticed a number of children left waiting to be picked up on the playground after hours. It is against Board policy and unsafe to leave children unsupervised in this way, even for a short period of time. Before and after-school care options are available for those who need to take advantage of this due to work commitments.

Finally, a belated acknowledgement to legendary New Zealand singer, songwriter and all-round music icon Tim Finn, who generously visited our Y6 students at the end of last term. Tim answered questions and performed with the children in connection with their 'Parihaka' topic.

This was a fantastic experience for all concerned, and a rare opportunity to talk to such a renowned artist about his work.

Ka kite anō au i a koutou

Alan Jackson

#### **Principal**

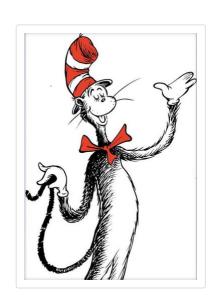


#### Notices and Reminders

- Assembly Friday 26 July, 2.30 pm in the school hall
- Book Week next week!

#### **Book Week**

**Next week** is "Book Week". On **Thursday August 1st,** children will be dressing up as their favourite book character. Start thinking about your costume!

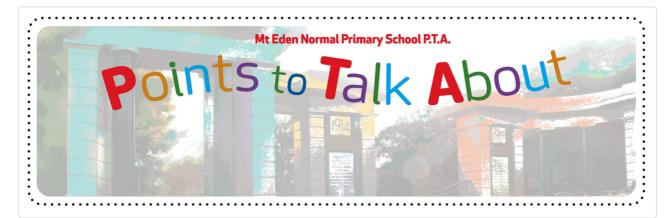


### MENPS Community Calendar

Click to view, download or subscribe and keep up to date with what's happening at MENPS

SPORTS NOTICES





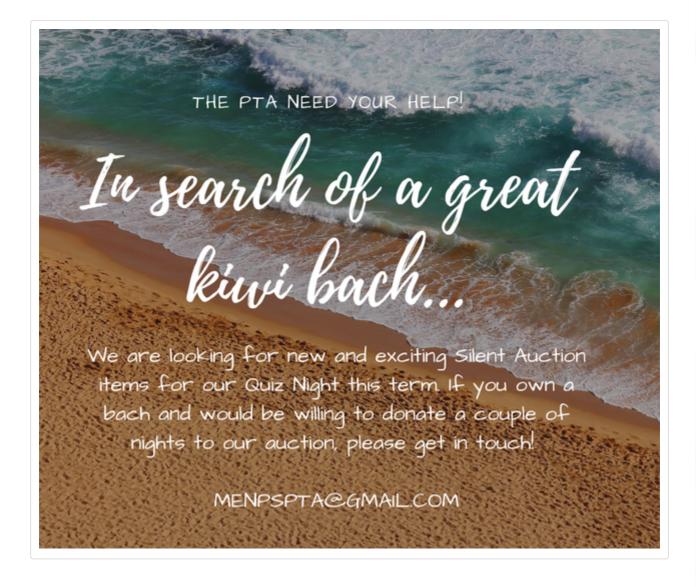
### **SAVE THE DATE! 7TH SEPTEMBER**

# MENPS QUIZ NIGHT

Mark you Calendar, line up the babysitter, the MENPS parent event is coming soon! More details to follow next term, watch this space...

7TH SEPTEMPER 7PM BALMORAL BOWLING CLUB



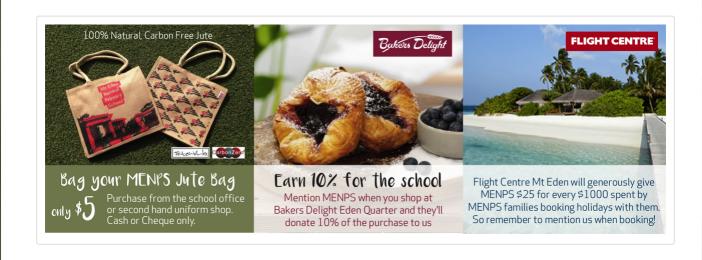


### Yummy Apple Stickers

Don't forget to collect your yummy apple stickers and earn cool sports equipment for our school

A copy of the collection sheet can be downloaded from the Yummy Apple Website <a href="www.yummyfruit.co.nz">www.yummyfruit.co.nz</a> or collected from the office.





## Second Hand Unitorm Shop

Friday, July 26th School Hall Kitchen, 8.30 - 9.00am, Cash only

Donations of clean and tidy items are greatly appreciated. Please drop off to the office.





### Supporting Our School Through Fundraising & Fun Events

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Follow us on Facebook Keep up to date with the PTA on Mt Eden Normal Primary School PTA page

menpspta@gmail.com

mteden.school.nz/pta

#### **COMMUNITY NOTICES**



#### Term 3, 2019: WILD WIGGLES & SQUIGGLES (Mixed Media on mdf Tiles)

This is an extremely fun & tactile mixed media program. We experiment with indian ink, modelling paste, paint, pastels, pencils, splattering, dribbling, marbling and more. No less than 15 separate artworks come together to form this dynamic, textured masterpiece.

#### NOW RUNNING FOR 10 WEEKS!!

Thursday 25th July to 26th September 3:15pm-5:15pm in the Art Room with HANNAH

## **ART CLASSES**

AT SCHOOLS, AFTER SCHOOL

Term 3 2019 @ Mt Eden Normal Primary School

Fine Young Artists is an inspirational fine arts programme designed for children who are passionate about

Every term, children take part in an exciting new programme based on the works of well-know local and international artists. Our 8-week course is the perfect way to develop your child's artistic potential.



ENROL NOW! www.fineyoungartists.co.nz P: 09 6341995 E: enquiries@fineyoungartists.co.nz



## The FUN way to learn another language!

Free Trial lesson if you don't join!

French Tuesdays 3.15-4.15 pm At Mt Eden Normal Primary School in room 20

French Wednesdays 10.30-11.30 am for 2.5-5 year olds in Remuera

Mandarin Saturdays 9.30-10.30 am 2.5-6 year olds in

Remuera

Professionally developed program for young learners

Lots of fun activities, drama, music and games

Experienced and trained native language teachers

Supported by fantastic fun activities online at Babelzone

The cost is \$22 per lesson. There is a yearly membership pack fee of \$59.50 which gives you access to Babelzone, downloadable songs and a songbook.

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### Mt Eden Normal Primary School Year 6 Students' Invitation

OPEN MORNING:

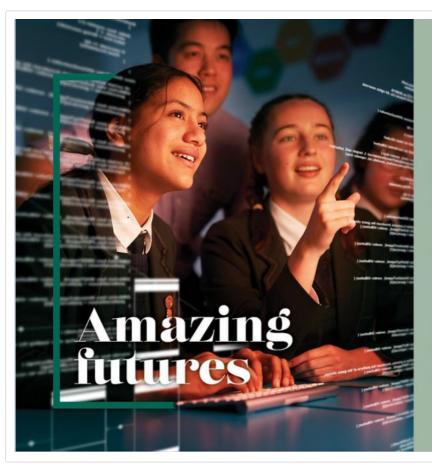
Wednesday 7 August - Visitors meet in the Kowhai Intermediate School hall at 9:30 am.

PARENT INFORMATION EVENING: Wednesday 7 August 7:00 - 8:00 pm in the school hall

If you would like a meeting with the Principal, Associate
Principal or Deputy Principal please phone 846 7534 or email:
Louise Broad - principal@kowhai.school.nz

Barbara Cloonan - ap@kowhai.school.nz Tom Mackintosh - dp@kowhai.school.nz

Out of Zone enrolments close on Wednesday 4 September 2019



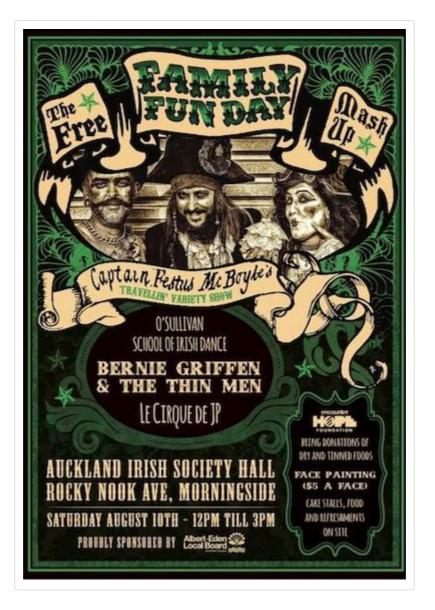
St Cuthbert's

Open Day

Wednesday 7 August

9am - 11am

Register at: stcuthberts.school.nz







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