

# Cloverlea School Newsletter

## Term One 2016



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Thursday 31 March

Tena Koutou. Greetings to all parents and families

I trust everyone enjoyed the Easter break. The break was a welcome relief after a very busy eight weeks of school. There are now only two weeks of Term 1 left before the first holiday break.

### ***Easter Fair***

The wet conditions put a dampener on Easter Fair but it was still a success. At this time it looks like the Fair will have made around \$2, 000 for the School Council. Thank you to everyone who helped and sent things along for this.

### ***Athletics Sports Tomorrow- at the Massey Track***

Thank you to those who have volunteered to help at the athletics tomorrow. There are just enough at each activity. Any further offers from those who go to watch will be appreciated. The children will leave school by bus at 9.15 a.m. and we plan to start at 10.00 a.m.

### **Please ensure all children have these items:**

- a tee shirt or top in their house colour; school top if they don't have a coloured top
- shorts, warm clothing to wear between events, sun hat, sneakers or light shoes, sunscreen
- lunch, snack bars and energy food, drink (drink bottle)
- medication if needed, insect repellent
- a suitable bag (day pack) to carry their gear in

### ***Parent/Teacher/Pupil Conferences***

Parent/teacher/pupil conferences are on next **Wednesday 6 and Thursday 7 April**. Children in Te Wai Puna (Rooms 10 & 11) do not have a conference at this time as they follow a different cycle.

To book a time **go to [www.schoolinterviews.co.nz](http://www.schoolinterviews.co.nz)** then enter the **Code mq6yp**. Follow the prompts to make a booking. Parents who do not have access to a computer at home can ask your child's classroom teacher or Mrs Sanders to help book a time.

**Parents please note that school will finish at 2:15 pm on both days of the conferences as the first conferences begin at 2.30 pm. Children who are not able to go home at this earlier time will be supervised until 3.00 pm.**

### ***PTA***

***Clothing Sale Fundraiser*** started today. All items will be sold for \$2. The sale will continue next week during school hours until next Friday 8 April unless all items are sold prior to this. This Friday's sale (1 April) will not be during school hours with the school away at the Athletics Sports but will be from 3 pm to 6.30 pm.

***Term 2 Fundraiser-*** Selling Whittaker's range of chocolates. These will sell for \$2 each. They will be sent home with the eldest child on 11 or 12 May. A notice will be sent home at the beginning of Term 2 asking those who do not want to sell chocolates to complete a form and return it to school. There will be spot prizes and a prize for the top seller.

*Kevin Payne*  
*Principal*

**We remind everyone that there will be an assembly to farewell Mr Payne on Thursday 14 April, at 2 pm, last week of term. This will be a special assembly in which our children, our kapahaka and choir will be performing.**

**Following the assembly there will be an afternoon tea for parents and guests. We would like to invite all parents and caregivers.**

**Staff and BOT**

**For sale** – Large office desk with an adjustable computer keyboard shelf. Offers to the office

**Takaro AFC – Junior Football Club** - - details [www.takaroafc.org.nz](http://www.takaroafc.org.nz) or email [juniors@takaroafc.org.nz](mailto:juniors@takaroafc.org.nz)