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Victory
Primary School

Newsletter No 17, 02 November 2017

Kia Toa Be Victorious

Ngā mihi nui ki a koutou. Greetings to you all. Kia ora, Namaste, Mingalaba, Sua's dei, Talofa Lava, Malo e Lelei, Kia Orana, Bula, Hola

We are pleased to welcome these new students and their families to Victory and look forward to their journey of growth and learning with us:

Maraea Daisy Elis Van Preston Caleb Tyson

Ngā mihi nui ki a koutou.

It is a very exciting time at school at the moment. We have had a busy beginning of the term with some of our senior students moving into the library area to work as our new building project gets underway.

Please remember to call in and see your child's teacher if you have any queries about the class programme or school life.

There are many events happening this term for our students and families so please look out for newsletters and details below.

Please join our facebook page - 'Victory Primary School' to also keep up to date. Our newsletter is always on the school website - <http://www.victory.school.nz/> as well.

Ngā mihi
Helen Taylor-Young
(Principal)



Important Reminder for Absentees

If your child is absent from school it is important that you let the school office know either by **calling on 5484779**, emailing admin2@victory.school.nz or **texting 021 029 84330**. If you are calling the school please clearly give your name, your child's name and room number and the reason for absence.

2017 Cawthron Science Fair

We are so proud of students from Victory Primary School who represented our Kura in the 2017 Cawthron Science Fair and won Gold, Silver and Bronze prizes for their science investigations. Students from Nga Mana Kakano and the Senior Syndicate worked hard in term three on their science projects



The sun is out, it's time to wear hats in Term 4!

Bucket Hats are available at the school office for \$5.00 each. In align with the schools policy it will be compulsory from next week for children to wear hats or otherwise play in the shade.



Last Day Term 4 2017: Wed 20th December
First Day Term 1 2018: Tues 7th February

Parent Cafe

This is an informal meeting for parents and caregivers to get to know one another and build on the home/school partnership. The meetings are on the first Friday of the month during school terms. The next meeting will be on Friday 1st December, 2.30-3.00pm, All welcome.

Food for Families Healthy Lunches are available on a Monday and Tuesday for \$2. Order on the previous school day by 9am at the office. Please state what sandwich filling you would like - peanut butter, jam or marmite.



Free Friday Dinners

5.30pm to 6.30pm every Friday at Victory Community Centre - bring friends and family.

Kia Toa Awards

Ako Tahī	Michaela
Mahi Tahī	Biak & Jessi
Room 2	
Room 3	Alexis
Room 4	Lucy
Room 5	Hazel
Whānau Ti Kouka	
Whānau Harakeke	Caleb
Whānau Koromiko	Amokura &
Naydene	
Room 11	
Room 12	Oliver
Room 13	Ryan
Room 14	Bawi
Room 16	Lola
Room 17	
Room 18	Lucian & Biron
Room 19	Zeb & Gabriel



Pop in, have a cuppa, use the internet. 'Be Well' Nurse here Monday to Thursday 8.30-5pm. No appointment necessary, come for help with minor illness, injury assessment, blood pressure, information and assistance to access other services. Call in or phone 5468389



Every Tuesday and Thursday 9 to 11.30am follow the yellow line from the Centre. All welcome 0-5 years



As per the schools policy please ensure that if your child needs to take any medication during school time that a parent/caregiver brings this medicine to the school office with details.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

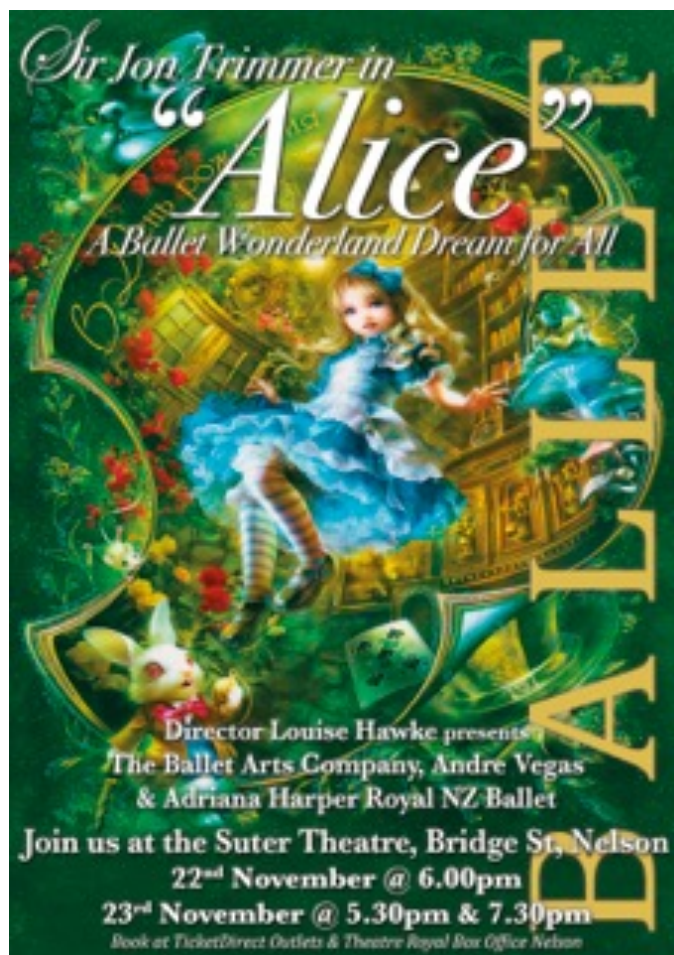
Want to throw people and not get into trouble?!

Do AIKIDO - the peace promoting Martial Art for all ages. Classes on Wed and Fri. We take new students until 3 Nov. Check out our facebook, www.aikidonelson.co.nz or call Callum 021 069 4211.

DRIVING MENTORS NEEDED to help former refugees gain their Restricted Licence. Volunteers are given full training, support and full use of our dual control car. Email rdtnelson@redcross.org.nz or call Margo 021 255 8550. A little bit of your time and patience can make a huge difference to the learner and their families.

Pattison Swim School starting 23 November

Interested in learn to swim classes or swim squad for your children? Pattisons Swim School is starting for the season on 23rd November. To enrol visit www.pattisonswimschool.co.nz or call Jordy on 5480932.



Oral Health



Did you know?

Friday 3rd November is National Oral Health Day

Dental care is **FREE** for children until their 18th birthday and enrolling is EASY!

Ring the phone numbers below or follow the link to access the online pre-enrolment form and let us do the rest.

<https://www.nmdhb.govt.nz/public-health-service/a-z-public-health-topics/oral-health/>



**NELSON MARLBOROUGH
COMMUNITY ORAL HEALTH SERVICE**
Nelson: 539 5324 | Stoke: 539 5321 |
Richmond: 539 5320
Motueka and Tasman Mobile
0800 833846
0800 TALK TEETH – 0800 825 583



The 2017 Nelson A & P Show is on 25th and 26th November. There are many sections where pupils (and parents!) can show their creative talents. Give it a go this year. Schedules are available online at www.thenelsonshow.org.nz or from the A & P Office at Richmond Park."