



Free and Healthy School Lunches!

Free and healthy lunches are coming to Onekawa School next term!

We are in the process of selecting providers and working through the logistics of delivering lunches to 350 children!

One of our main priorities is ensuring the food provided is what most children would like to eat.

I will share with you in next week’s newsletter a sample menu so your children know what to expect.

We are very excited to be part of this programme and are grateful to the Ministry of Education for inviting Onekawa School to take part.

Moveathon – This Tuesday 22 September!

The Moveathon is taking place this coming Tuesday 22 September!

We would really appreciate it if every child can collect donations for completing this fun event. This is the major fundraiser for team Pipi this year.

Please return donations and the form to the school office before the end of next week.

Children have had the first of two practices this week; be sure to ask them what it was all about.

Providing the COVID level drops to 1 on Tuesday, parents and caregivers are very welcome to attend and watch the fun.

Children are encouraged to wear their house colours for the event. There will also be house points awarded and spot prizes handed out.

Term 4 Sport options

Year 1-4 Miniball (Thursdays)

Year 3-4 Miniball (Thursdays)

Year 3-4 Cricket (Fridays)

Year 4 T-Ball (Thursdays)

Year 5-6 Softball (Wednesdays)

Year 5-6 Cricket (Saturdays)

Year 5 -6 Miniball (Mondays)

Permission slips have been given to children that have shown interest (cricket out on Monday) and need to be returned by Wednesday 23rd September. Please check the days as some sports clash. If children have already committed to a sport and want to change their minds please send a written note by Wednesday to the teacher in charge of the sport.

Thanks,

Nicole Schinkel, Teacher in Charge of Sport

P.S. Please return Soccer and Netball uniforms from this term as soon as possible.

Onekawa Jaguars Hockey Team

I was delighted to receive an email from another school’s coach who the Onekawa Jaguars played earlier this term. It reads:

“Onekawa thrashed us, but I was so impressed with the way that your team conducted themselves. They were humble winners, a really nice team to play.”

Thanks, and congratulations to our coach Carmen and the Jaguars... we are very proud of you!

Reminder - School Hats

School hats need to be worn next term. Hats are available from the office for \$15. Colour choices are blue or red 😊

Important Dates Coming Up...

Tuesday 22 September	Moveathon
Friday 25 September	Term Three Ends
Monday 12 October	Term Four Starts
Thursday 22 October	Teacher Only Day
Friday 23 October	Hawkes Bay Anniversary
Monday 26 October	Labour Day