

14-06-2022

## COMING EVENTS

Please note, these dates can be subject to change

**13<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup> Jun:** Foodbank Appeal

**Tues 14<sup>th</sup> Jun:** Freshmoves Performance @ Baycourt

**Wed 16<sup>th</sup> Jun:** Rippa Rugby World Cup

**Fri 17<sup>th</sup> Jun:** Yr 5/6 ARGOS Gym Competition

PTA Pie Day Friday – order tomorrow :-)

**Tues 21<sup>st</sup> Jun:** Tui & Ruru Cross Country – TBC

**Wed 22<sup>nd</sup> Jun:** PTA Matariki Ball

**Fri 24<sup>th</sup> Jun:** Matariki Public Holiday

**Wed 29<sup>th</sup> Jun:** Parent/Teacher Interview, School Closes @ 12.30pm

**Wed 6<sup>th</sup> Jul:** Kea Community Event - Matariki Celebration

**Fri 9<sup>th</sup> Jul:** End of Term Two

**Mon 25<sup>th</sup> Jul:** First Day of Term Three – yaaay!

**Current School Roll – 551**

## Text Number for Absentees

**027 584 2592**

If your child is going to be away from school please text 027 584 2592 before 8.55am to let us know.

## Parent/Teacher Interviews 😊

**Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> June**

**School Closes @ 12.30pm**

Jump online and book your Parent/Teacher Interview now! Visit [www.schoolinterviews.co.nz](http://www.schoolinterviews.co.nz) and use the code **dd8p6**. Remember school will close at 12.30pm so please make alternative arrangements for your child/ren.

## Matariki Ball

The PTA will be hosting a Star Themed Matariki Ball on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> June in the school hall.

This will take place as follows:

5.15 - 6.15pm - Tui/Ruru

6.30 - 7.30pm - Kea/Weka

Tickets for the Matariki Ball will be sent home later this week. Children are asked to complete the colouring-in competition on the back of the ticket for spot prizes! Parents please fill in the ticket (contact details) and send with a \$2 coin with your child on the night of the Matariki Ball. 🍷🍷🍷

## Before School – Wait Outside the Hall Please

ALL children are asked to wait outside the hall if they arrive at school before 8.30am. If children/parents arrive at school before the 8.30am bell they are asked NOT to go to the classrooms. Thank you 😊

## Turf Canopy Dome & Thank You TECT

The Ōtūmoetai Primary School Board of Trustees are looking to commit funds towards a Canopy Dome to be built over our turf in 2022/2023. This will mean that our students, school, and community will be able to use our turf all year round and in all weather conditions.

The Canopy Dome will allow classes to participate in PE lessons, sports training/practices, Kapa Haka, Jump Jam, Performing Arts, assemblies and other outdoor activities under shelter from the sun and rain!

The Canopy Dome will be open to the public during daylight hours and we believe it will further meet the needs of our active community. We will only be able to see this amazing dream through to fruition with the support of grant funding towards this awesome project. We are delighted to announce that we have secured \$115,000 from TECT. We would not be able to proceed with this project without their financial support and we are truly grateful for their generous contribution towards this project. Thank you TECT! 🥰🥰🥰



**TECT**

## Photolife Class and Individual Photo

### Ordering Deadline

Details for ordering your child's photos online went home last week. The free postage offer expires at midnight, Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> June. If you have misplaced your Unique Shoot Code, or if your child has it stashed in a safe place, please call PhotoLife 0800-501-040.

### Yummy Stickers

Keep munching and crunching your way through the Yummy Apples and fill up the sticker collection sheets. We earn sports equipment for our school for every completed sticker sheet we send back. Please pop the stickered forms into the PTA box. Thanks!

Zara McIndoe  
Principal/Tumuaki  
Ōtūmoetai Primary School

**It's PIE WEATHER. Bring your pie order form to the hall tomorrow morning.**



# FOOD BANK APPEAL

## 13<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> June

**We are running our Schools' Appeal and need your help.**

**Please bring a non-perishable item of food to school to donate to the Community Foodbank.**

Below are some suggestions on food items we are running low on and always need.

- +Tinned Soup                      +Tinned Fish                      +Tinned Tomatoes                      +Creamed Corn
- +Cereal (Weetbix, Cornflakes) +Rice                                      +Pasta/Pasta Sauce                      +Canned Vegetables
- +Peanut Butter/Jam              +Baking Supplies                      +Long Life Milk                              +Milo
- +Shampoo/Conditioner/Soap/Wet Wipes              +Nappies (over 16kg), Wet Wipes, Toilet Paper, Toothbrushes

Thank you - the people in our community who get support from our Foodbank are so very grateful for your generosity.

**Please check Best Before and Expiry Dates and bring 'in date' items to the boxes in the office.**

# PIEDAY FRIDAY



This Friday (17<sup>th</sup> June) is Pie Day Friday – yum yum! ☺ A delicious HOT pie can be ordered for lunch for only \$3.50. Please fill in the form and return it with the correct money to the outside hall kitchen window from 8.30-9am tomorrow Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> June. Your pie will be delivered to your classroom at lunchtime on Friday. Late orders will not be accepted.

**Name** \_\_\_\_\_ one form per child please **Room** \_\_\_\_\_

**Chicken & Vegetable \$3.50** \_\_\_\_ (number of pies @ \$3.50 each)

**Mince \$3.50** \_\_\_\_ (number of pies @ \$3.50 each)

**Mince & Cheese \$3.50** \_\_\_\_ (number of pies @ \$3.50 each)

**Apple \$3.50** \_\_\_\_ (number of pies @ \$3.50 each)

**Total \$ enclosed** \_\_\_\_\_

Please return this order form to the outside hall kitchen window from 8.30-9am tomorrow Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> June.

### School Facebook Page

Our school Facebook Page (Ōtūmoetai Primary) is the number one place for school updates and current events. Please make sure you 'Like' our school Facebook Page to be 'in the know'! Otherwise, check our school website [www.ops.school.nz](http://www.ops.school.nz) or your child's Seesaw Page.