UPOKONGARO SCHOOL

2024, Term 3, Week 5 Newsletter



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2025 Enrolments

If you have a child turning five next year please watch out for the upcoming ballot. Online forms and physical forms will be available from the 15th of September. It is important that if you have a child turning five next year, that we know as soon as possible to ensure we open enough spaces for them. Please watch out for a small questionnaire that will be sent out later in the term to find out what your intentions are for next year.

Second Van Payment for Term 3 due

Please ensure your child's van payment for the second half of this term is paid for by the end of Week 6 (next week) please. If you have concerns, please talk to Lyana in the office.







Daffodil Day

Friday 30th August is officially Daffodil Day in Aotearoa New Zealand. As this is the date for our Year 5-8 speeches, we would like to celebrate Daffodil Day at Upokongaro School on **Thursday 29th August**. On the front court, we will have a giant chalk-drawn daffodil, where students and whānau can write messages of love to those who have passed on or who are suffering from Cancer. A donation to the Cancer Society of NZ will support with travel for treatment, finding a cure and improving outcomes for cancer patients. The theme this year is "1 in 3," outlying one in three of us will get cancer in our lifetimes.

On Thursday 29th August, students are invited to wear as much as yellow as possible and bring a donation. As Thursday is a Technology Day for our Year 7-8 students, please encourage them to bring their school uniform in their bag, including school shoes if they want to dress in yellow for the morning.

Thank you for your support.

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FRIDAY © TRADE DAY

WHAT CAN BE TRADED?

Any collectable item that is no bigger than a collectors card.



CAN I REVERSE MY TRADE?

Only if the other trader agrees with it. If they don't then you cannot get your items back.

WHAT IF MY ITEMS GO MISSING?

You are responsible to keep your items safe. Teachers are not policemen and will not be launching a full scale investigation.



WHEN CAN I TRADE?

Fridays at break time. If you are caught trading during class time your items will be confiscated for a week.

let the trading begin

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AUGUST

Thursday 29th - Upokongaro School celebrates Daffodil Day Friday 30th - Upokongaro School Speeches

SEPTEMBER

Tuesday 10th - Aranui Cross Country for selected Year 5-6 students Wednesday 11th - Cluster Speeches for selected Year 5-8 students Wednesday 11th - Thursday 12th - EPro8 Championships at Feilding Intermediate

Thursday 26th - Final day of school for Term 3 Friday 27th - TEACHER'S ONLY DAY - No School

OCTOBER

Monday 14th - First day of Term 4

JUICIES FOR SALE

Juicies continue to be for sale through MyKindo and cash at the office. Payment before 9am Friday is appreciated. Juicies are delivered to classrooms at second lunch on a Friday.



Sunday Victor Palm Enter www.ib

Sunday September 1st Victoria Esplanade Palmerston North Enter Online Only www.ibike4kids.co.nz Please note that entries are available online only, and no registrations will be accepted on the day of the event.

A fun event for kids who love being out on their bikes

Uncle Al: 0279362056 Aunty Jaqui: 02102655518 Mr C (Roger): 027 4435771 Mr Wright (Ian): 027 5003660 Miss Gascoigne: 02108587622



