



L'Archipel

Grandir Ensemble dans la Diversité

NEWSLETTER

Term 3 Week 1 | 26 July 2017

What Has Happened

Our School Production

What an amazing 2 nights of performance by all children of our school! Dressed up in beautiful costumes, the children looked stunning.



Dream Team Encounters: Parris Goebel and Tim Tipene

The last week of term 2 was Dream Team Week. To inspire our students to strengthen their leadership abilities, Parris Goebel, an outstanding dancer and choreographer, who has worked with many famous artists, and Tim Tipene, an award winning author founder of Warrior Kids, shared their experience with our Years 5 and 6.

Here are 2 students' testimonies about these inspirational speakers:

'He was really funny and I liked how he told us his story with lots of expression. He had a sad family life but he still was successful and I liked how his teacher changed his life, making him want to write and now he is a famous writer.' (Margot on Tim Tipene)

'Parris Goebel was very inspiring. I think she made all of us in the class want to follow our dreams. Her advice was that even if people come to you and tell you you are not capable of doing it, you actually can, like she did'. (Siaan on Parris Goebel)



Junior Dance classes

In week 9 last term Ruma 10 children had a fantastic time practising dance moves on some of well known music tunes. We were learning dance steps for 'Makarena' and other popular songs and at the same time having lots of fun.



What Is Happening

Sports

Friday is our day for outdoor games and sport activities.

We are learning to play in groups and teams and practising a variety of skills: counting and sharing in maths, throwing, catching, skipping, hopping, etc., in physical education, participating, sharing and being an active team player in Social Studies.

The weather was nice and sunny so everybody was making the most of it!



School Assembly Certificate Recipients

Vesna's Home Group: **Lucas** for 'always finding interesting ideas to write about and an increasing effort in completing his written task'.

Beatrice's Home Group: **Teana** for 'her excellent efforts in class discussions and in completing her tasks .'

Florence's Home Group: **Philippe** for 'his enthusiasm towards learning and his interest in everything we do. Great attitude!'

Music certificates recipients



Well done to all L'Archipel students who received so many rewards for their musical skills! A special mention to Manon who collected no less than 6 medals and 2 cups! What an amazing performance!

L'Archipel's new members: Welcome to Lili and Sean and their families, and to Ouaffa, our new stagiaire.



Events to come

Week 2 - Wednesday 2 August - Vector EPRO 8 Challenge - Mount Albert Primary

Friday 4 August - Ruma 11's assembly, 9.15am in the hall

Week 3 - FRENCH WEEK -

Tuesday 8 August - Lactic Turkey orienteering race for years 5 and 6 - Auckland Botanic Gardens

Tuesday 8th August - Milk and Cookie evening for New Entrants to Year 2 across ropu in Rooms 2 to 6

Wednesday 9 August - Ponsonby Intermediate Roadshow, 2pm in the hall, whole School

Friday 11 August - French Week's Kermesse Day 9.10am-1pm - parents helpers needed!

Week 4 - Monday 14 August - James Cook students at RRS (from New Caledonia)

Short Notices

Children need their **book bags (Ruma 10 and 11) and their Cahier de Liaison (Ruma 11) every day** so that all can take part in the regular class activities. The **Poem book** for the juniors should stay in the book bag so that children can add poems over the week and read them every night.

Tena Koutou Greetings Talofa lava Bonjour

Milk and Cookie Evening - let's break up winter! Tuesday 8th August 5:30 to 6:30pm

An opportunity to come with your child for a relaxing and calming before bedtime reading experience.

5:30pm-6:30pm and kindly hosted in The Village (Rooms 2 to 6 on the field) on Tuesday 8th August. Week 3 of term.

This invitation is open to all New Entrant to Year 2 students in The Village, Te Whānau Whāriki, Mua I Malae and L'Archipel.

It would be great if your child could wear their pyjamas and please bring some of your favourite stories to read with them. If your child has a favourite teddy who would like to join us please bring as well.

Please inform your child's classroom teacher if there are any milk or food allergies so we can cater for these.