

25 September 2015

Kia ora koutou

Well here we are at the end of another term, and how quickly it has flown! It has been a term of significant illness so we hope the holiday break enables everyone to recharge his or her batteries ready for our last term of the year.

This term we welcomed Mrs. Wendy Hickey onto staff as one of Room 12's teachers. Unfortunately due to ill health Wendy is no longer able to continue in her role. I want to take this opportunity to thank Wendy for her efforts and dedication to our children, we are very grateful for the time Wendy was able to be with us and we look forward to her visiting next term.

Thank you to everyone who has supported the Runathon. As indicated yesterday the fund-raising prize giving will be held next term, we will advise you of the date once confirmed. Please make sure all monies are returned if not already, thank you.

Next term we look forward to hosting our very first **Grandparent's Day**, being held on Friday 13<sup>th</sup> of November. Please share this with grandparents now so they can diary the date and we look very forward to welcoming them all on this day.

In line with our Sunsmart Policy **everyone** is expected to wear a sunhat when outdoors next term. Uniform sunhats are available through the school office. Please help your child remember to bring their sun hat to school from the first day back. Children without sunhats will be directed to shade areas during break times.

Have a wonderful holiday break with your children, keep safe, and we look forward to seeing everyone back on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> October ready to go by 8.50am.

Nga mihi nui

Vicki Saunders  
Principal