



Message from the Principal

Teacher Only Day this Thursday 22 Oct

Don't forget that school will be closed on Thursday. Peterhead School has been selected for '**Project Prima Volta**' which is a very sought after music programme. We are having this day to allow professional development for our staff, so that we can commence this programme in 2021.

I apologise for any inconvenience this may cause, especially just following two weeks term holiday and falling over Labour weekend but we have had to take this opportunity when it came.

There will be no teachers or Homework centre available to supervise your children on this day.

We thank you in advance for your support.

New Students commencing in Term 1, 2021

Management is in the process of planning classes for next year. All new students who will be attending Peterhead in 2021 need to be enrolled now. Please pick up an enrolment form from the school office and return this with a Birth Certificate and Immunisation form as soon as possible.

Don't forget that we now have **Cohort Entry** which means we have two start dates for new entrants each term - if your child has turned five before 3rd February 2021 then they will commence this day. If they turn five after this date then they will commence in week six.

SunSmart School

In Term 4 and Term 1 it is compulsory to wear a sun hat. We have caps @ \$20 each and bucket hats @ \$15 available at the school office. Children will be required to sit in the shade during break times if they do not have a sun hat. Please also note that **no long pants must be worn** during Term 4 and Term 1.

Congratulations Kalarny Collier who competed at the u13 regional champs and their team won the 'B' grade. She is the youngest in the team and did brilliantly. Well done Kalarny!

BOT Meeting- Next meeting is Wednesday 28 Oct.

Martin Genet

Principal

Uniform - Our new uniform may not be available until later in this term but don't forget that we will be phasing this in over 12 months which means the children can continue to wear the current school uniform. Polo shirts have been discounted to **\$10** and Sweatshirts to **\$30**.

Kia ora koutou Taiohi whānau

During Term 4 the **Taiohi** (Intermediate) students will have an activity week to replace our ski trip.

We have chocolates left for the students to fundraise for this EXCITING week. Please keep selling these to help cover your child's activity week and return all funds from sold chocolates or any unsold chocolate to the school office as soon as possible.

Just head on into the school office to pick these up. **Some students still have money to return. This must be returned as soon as possible.**

Rakau/Taiohi Swimming- last week to swim

Rm 17	9:15 - 9:45 am
Rm 18	9:45 - 10:15 am
Rm 19	10:15 - 10:45 am
Rm 21	10:45 - 11:15 am
Rm 20	will be split amongst the other Int classes.
Rm 12 & 13	11:15am - 11:45am
Rm 16	11:45pm - 12pm
Rm 14 & 15	1:00pm - 1:30pm

Kākano & Māhuri Swimming

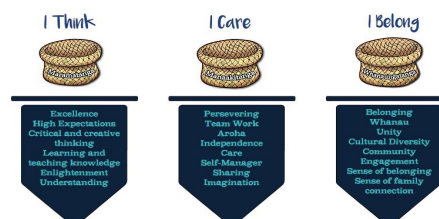
Week 3	Week 4
Rm 1 & 10	9.30-10
Rm 5 & 8	10-10.30
Rm 6/7 & 9	10.30-11
Hub & 4	11-11.30
Rm 2 & 11	11.30-12
Rm 3	12-12.30
Rm 3 & 8	Hub & 11
	Rm 6/7 & 10
	Rm 2 & 4
	Rm 1 & 9
	Rm 5

Children must bring togs, towel, goggles & swimming cap if able, and a warm top to wear for after the swim.

This is a **compulsory part of the curriculum** and **ALL students** are expected to participate. If your child is unable to swim, please contact your child's teacher with a note or Medical certificate. Non swimmers will stay at school and complete school work.

**Positive
Behaviour
for Learning**

Our focus for this week is Kia U, Kia Mau and our three kete. We will be revisiting our class and school expectations. By following these expectations we are sure to have an amazing Term 4.



House T Shirts



These are now available for purchase at the school office and are \$20 each. Please come in and see us to arrange size and payment. These will go fast.

Basketball -

Tuesday 20th October -

Yr 1-2

PH Rockets vs HNP Cubs 4pm Sports 1

PH Potiki Vs HNP Pums 4pm Sports 3

Yr 5-6

PH Breakers vs Whare Tapere 6:30pm Sports 1

Thursday 22nd October -

Yr 3-4

PH Knicks vs St Josephs Owls 4pm Sports 2

PH Raptors vs HNP Cheetahs 4:30pm Sports 2

Yr 7-8

PH Thunder vs Heretaunga Heat 5:40pm Sports 2

PH Lakers vs Hawks 7pm Sports 1



Parenting Programmes - Term 4

Building Awesome Whanau, Hastings

Parenting with confidence 0 - 10 years. 6 x 2 hour sessions. Tuesday 27 Oct - 1 Dec from 9:30 - 11:30am.

Call Family Works on 876 2156 for more information. Courses are free of charge but Koha is appreciated. Please note that there is no child care available.

Keyboard Lessons start this week

If your child would like to attend keyboard lessons, please send \$30 to school or this can be taken off your AP account if you have one running. There will be 8 lessons and these will be on piano theory this term.

Volleyball - Wednesday 21st October

PH Cougars 1st St Matt Angels 2nd HN Fantails

PH Aces 1st Poukawa Spikers 2nd Bridge Pa

Students play every Wednesday, 1st game 5:05pm 2nd 5:35pm. All games are played at the Hastings Sports Centre, Railway Road, Hastings.



Absences! Please help us to keep your tamariki safe!

For the safety and wellbeing of our tamariki it is important that you notify us before 9.30am every day that your child is away.

If your child does not arrive at school we will endeavour to ring, text or email you ASAP.

Our text line and email are available 24/7.

Please contact the school with the following details:

1. Childs name
2. Room number
3. Reason for absence (if sick what is wrong with them)
4. Expected day/time of return (for tangi/sickness only)

Texting only - 022 1013913 any time

Please note we now only have the one number to text.

Email - absent@peterhead.school.nz any time

Phone - 8798 570 leave a message or speak with our lovely office ladies

Congratulations to our Kete Award winners this week...



Faith Sanele
Oriwia Thompson-Smith
Noah Mackenzie
Ford Thompson



PH Thunder Basketball Team



MonieWhite-Thomas
Dontay Shannon
Jordan-Skye Taituha
Kora-Leigh Ranginui
Valene Cunningham
Bison Makoare

Dates To Remember

(Please check dates regularly as they may change)

Teacher Only Day	22 October
HB Anniversary Day	23 October
Labour Day	26 October
Term 4 Ends	16 December

2021 Term One Begins 03 February 2021

Waitangi Day	08 February
Good Friday	02 April
Easter Monday	05 April
Term One Ends	16 April
Term 2 Begins	03 May
Queens Birthday	07 June
Term 2 Ends	09 July