



Geraldine Primary

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Flyer

Monday 30th January 2017

A big welcome back to all of our school community. I trust you have all had an enjoyable break over the holidays and that your children are all ready for the term ahead.

This is a quick flyer to let you know about our **Information Evening and Family BBQ** on Wednesday 1st February.

From 5-5.30 the teachers in the Middle (Rooms 1, 10, 11, 12, 17) and Senior (Rooms 2, 3, 4, 5) Syndicates will be in their classrooms to share information and answer any questions that you may have about the classroom programme.

The Junior Syndicate (Rooms 6, 7, 8, 9, 13) will meet together in Room 6 from 5-5.30, where the teachers will outline their syndicate programme and answer any questions.

Please feel free to go between classrooms if you have more than one child. Teaching staff are also available for further discussion during the BBQ.

From 5.30-6.30pm we will have our family BBQ, sausages are available for purchase for \$1.50 and families are welcome to bring a picnic dinner. The school pool will be open and there will be some sports gear available.

Swimming

All classes will commence the swimming programme from tomorrow (Tuesday 31 January). Children will need to bring named togs, towel, sunscreen and a bag to put wet togs in.

If your child has had diarrhoea there is a two week exclusion before they can swim again. Children must bring a note for their teacher if they are not to swim for any reason.

Waitangi Day Monday 6th February 2017

Please note that school is closed on this day.

Newsletters

For term 1 these will continue to come home every fortnight commencing next Thursday 9th February. They will also be placed on our school website. From the start of term 2 we are hoping to email out our newsletters as well as continuing to put them on our website.

If you wish to have your newsletter emailed, please provide your email address to the office: office@geraldine.school.nz We would appreciate this contact being through email in order to get the accurate email details.

We are moving towards all school newsletters to be either emailed to parents or available on the website. We will continue to mention this throughout the term in order to have a smooth transition to this new system.

Looking forward to working with you and your children this year.

Andrew Leverton
Principal