



Parent Interviews:

Thank you to all those parents and caregivers who met with their child's teacher last week. If you missed making an appointment and would still like to discuss your child's learning please contact the class teacher or the school office.

Attendance:

If your child is going to be absent please make sure you inform the school **before 9.30am**. You can do this by leaving a message on our answerphone, using the school app, or emailing the school office.

Students who are absent from school without a reason are marked as Truant.

Wattie's Cans for Good:

Many thanks to those who kindly donated cans of food for this initiative. We were able to deliver 242 cans to the Salvation Army foodbank.

Community of Learning (CoL) Te Maru o Ngongotaha Kāhui Ako:

Rotorua Primary School is one of 12 schools in this CoL Ministry initiative. The schools are working through a way to improve the pedagogy (the way teachers do things) especially Cultural Responsive and Related Pedagogy implemented by Poutama Pounamu with Waikato University. To date there have been observations of teachers in their classrooms.

We are now on the next stage: surveying teachers, students and whanau. Year 4 – 8 students have completed this survey at school. We are sending a survey home (one per family) with this newsletter and are asking if you could complete this and return it back to your child's teacher or the office asap.

All responses are anonymous. We would really appreciate your input as the responses collated will be used to help the school make important decisions about future professional development.

For any further information please contact either Whaea Kath (Room 10) or Whaea Missy (Room 4)

Upcoming Events for Term 3:

Mon 3 – Fri 7 Sept: Tech Arts for Y7s and Y8s

Mon 17 Sept - Duffy Role Model Assembly

Tue 25 Sept – CBOP Winter Sports Field Day

Fri 28 Sept – End of Term 3

Upcoming Events for Term 4:

Mon 15 Oct – Start of Term 4

Thurs 18 Oct – Powhiri for Fred Whata, our newly appointed Principal.

School Uniforms:

Schooltex is now online and so parents can now order uniform items at

www.thewarehouse.co.nz/c/schools

Whaea Missy in Room 4 has so many very small black jerseys with **no name** on them. A Gold coin donation will persuade her to part with some. They will need washing.

There are also some small to middle sized school logo jerseys for \$5.00.