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Create high standards and big goals for yourself.

Though you will have setbacks, never shy off.

Determination and perseverance will lead the way.

Welcome back to Term 2. Already the temperatures are dropping and students must be in the right uniform for winter and a good jacket. Being warm is essential for your child to be able to concentrate and learn in class. The provision of a good healthy lunch to sustain your child throughout the day during the colder months becomes very important.

Car Park:

A reminder that if you are in the Pick-Up/Drop-Off zone **you do not vacate your car**. Parents who want to come down to the classroom must park in a proper car park to keep the Pick-Up/Drop Off zone free for those parents who are doing exactly that.

Basketball/Miniball:

The season began this week. Already we have discovered that there are clashes between games times and other sports code. If this is going to be an ongoing problem and your child is unable to play Basketball/Miniball please let me know as soon as possible.

Below are the coaches and practice times for each team:

- Year 1/2 – Matua Miu: Practice Mon, Tues - 12.40 - 1.05pm
- Year 3/4/5 – Whaea Tiana Paul: Practice Fri 12.40 - 1.05pm
- Year 6 – Matua Dennis Iraia: Practice Wed – 3.15 – 4.15pm
- Year 7/8 – Matua Hemi: Practice Mon – 3.15 – 4.15pm

We will put out a weekly draw on paper as soon as they come to hand. The draw will be posted on the school website www.rp.school.nz and is also available on the Rotorua Basketball Assoc website.

Please feel free to direct any enquiries through the school office and I will get back to you as soon as I am able.

Canteen:

Open from this Friday 5 May and every Friday from then.

Term 2 Menu: American Hotdog \$3, Soup & Bun \$2.50, Muffin \$2.00, Popcorn \$1.50, Fruit juice \$1.50, Moosies \$1.50

Please order before 9am at the Hall kitchen window.

Kapahaka:

This Sunday we have a Housie Fundraiser at the School Hall.

Date: Sunday 7 May

Time: 10am - 5pm

Where: Rotorua Primary School

Housie Packs: \$50 which includes 2x Super Housie 1x Fast Cards and a teno.

Packs will be handed out on the day.

Kapa Haka Practice

Friday 19 May Whaea Rangipo will be in school to start practices for our Nationals Campaign. On this day she would like to practice from 1pm – 6pm. Whaea Erena needs \$5 from each child who will attend this practice, to buy afternoon tea. Please pay this at the school office.

Contact Details:

If you have changed any of your contact details since last term can you please update them at the school office.

Easter Raffle Results:

1st prize: Ticket No. 67, 2nd

prize: Ticket No. 5, 3rd

prize: Ticket No.68

The Tiki Syndicate would like to thank all those who supported this fundraising event.

Absentees:

If your child is going to be absent from school please contact the school before 9.00am or leave a message on our answerphone.