

Stoke Kindergarten

Kia ora, Konichiwa, Malo e lelei, Tolofa, Kumusta and Hello to everyone,

April 2014

Welcome

We would like to welcome Destiny Hewetson Talamaivao to our morning sessions. We are sure that you will enjoy your time here with us.

Farewell

Sadly we will soon be saying farewell to Chloe Sellers and Lucia Wood, as they will soon be turning 5 and will begin their journey through school. Thank you to their families for all the help and support they have given during their

Programme

We have had another very busy term with lots of activities and things to do so we are ending the term, Thursday 17th April, with an 'Imagination Day' for both our morning and afternoon children. On this day we leave the equipment in the shed, and let our children's imagination take over. This has been a very successful day in the past and we are really looking forward to seeing what games the children will come up with this time.

Check us out!

Did you know you can find us in cyber space? Nelson Tasman Kindergartens has a website where we have our own page with heaps of stuff about us. Check it out and let us know of any suggestions or improvements you may have.

www.nelsontasmankindergartens.com

We are also on Facebook! Megan (Gabby's mum)



has set up a **Stoke Kindergarten FLG** page. Like us on Facebook and keep in touch with happenings at Kindergarten.

Clean up week

We are having a clean up week next week from Monday 14th—Wednesday 16th.



This will happen during session time and we would appreciate your support as this is an opportunity to ensure our equipment gets a really good clean to prevent the bugs spreading into next term.

If you are able to help do a few jobs, even half an hour of your time, it would be very much appreciated, please add your name to the list by the sign in sheet.

Fence Post



Donations are always welcome to help us reach our goal of \$100 to buy our fence post

Hats are not compulsory in terms 2 & 3

Enviroschools

We are now part of the Enviroschools community. Enviroschools is working towards a vision to have a generation of innovative and motivated young people, who instinctively think and act sustainably.

We have started our journey to help our children develop skills, understanding, knowledge and confidence with having a look at the waste in our lunchboxes. We are aiming for zero waste lunchboxes and we have a display area at Kindergarten for you to have a look at with examples and ideas for parents to use.

It is also a good time to look at whether the lunch boxes are full of healthy choices. The benefits of good choices made when we are young can last a lifetime.

Reminders

Lost Property - We have got an accumulation of lost property currently at Kindergarten. Please have a look and see if any of the items belong to you.

Trike-a-thon - Sponsorship money from the Trike-a-thon is now due.

Term dates - Term 2, 5th May - 4th July. Term 3, 21 July - 26 Sept. Term 4, 13th Oct—18th Dec