



# Hampstead School Newsletter

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## PTA Meeting



**PTA** Our next AGM will be held at the meeting on Tuesday 27 March 7.30pm in our Staffroom.



**Board of Trustees Meeting** 7.30pm Wed 21 March in the Staffroom—you are welcome to attend.

## Student of the Week

Mya Pink from Rm 10 was recognised in assembly last Friday for her pride in work presentation and positive attitude to work.

Te Reo



**Visiting Authors:** This week we have two NZ authors visiting the senior area of the school— they will be sharing their work and encouraging the students to get into their own writing.

**Cancer Society Mufti Day Friday 16 March:** The Cancer Society is an organisation we regularly support— this year we have a **Mufti Day with a colour Yellow theme**— or just plain mufti if it suits. Students can bring a coin which we will forward onto the local Society.



**Jump Jam:** Each morning the Senior School have been starting with a energiser session led by senior students. We have Brett Fairweather the original promoter of Jump Jam coming along Wed 28 March.

**Our Choir:** Our Senior Choir led by Miss Hetherington has begun its practices each Thursday. Their work builds to the Music Festival held in term 2.

**County Swimming Sports** were held on 6 March. **Places:** 3rd in 200m **Relay Team**; Freestyle 50m 2nd, Backstroke 50m 8th **Amelia**; Freestyle 50m 6th, Backstroke 50m 6th, Breaststroke 50m 1st **Harrison**; Freestyle 50m 4th, Backstroke 50m, Breaststroke 50m 5th **Paige**; Freestyle 50m 6th **Milla**; Backstroke 50m **Rongomai**. **Well done Team** for both the individual and Relay events.



## Our Swim Team.

**Cyber Safety:** Keeping safe on the internet is a skill for students. Constable Fran

Clark will be sharing ideas with senior students over the next week. At home we suggest you keep in touch with the devices your children are using, look at the sites they are visiting and who they are in touch with. Have some boundaries— decide on a time limit, sharing devices and regulate the games that can be accessed.

**Inter-school Cricket Tournament:** Held last Wednesday this saw our team playing against town and country teams from throughout the county. The 11 students were supported my Mrs Doak who managed the team— our thanks to her!!! The group enjoyed their games

**Open Afternoon:** an opportunity to come along, have a look in the classroom and interact with your child. On **Monday 9 April 1.30-3pm** we are inviting parents, friends, grandparents of students to come along and share some of what is happening in classrooms. Our curriculum topic work will have a Technology theme, after looking around for an hour, those visiting will be invited outside for a game— which you are welcome to watch or join in with.

Regards Peter Melrose

Tumuaki/ Principal

**Union Meeting: We have been advised by the NZEI Union, that teachers will need to attend a meeting on Wednesday 14 March. We will send children home at 12.30pm this being the most practical time. We apologise for any inconvenience.**



**Room 5** visited the Office last Thursday to share their poem. Plenty of action and excitement was had!

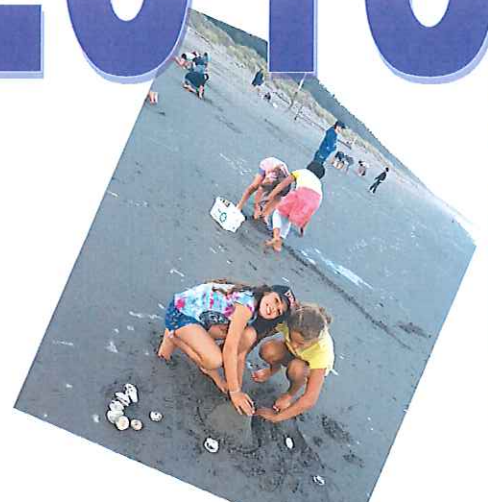
## Coming Up Next

- ♦ **County Triathlon** 15 March
- ♦ **School Photos** 19 March Heritage Photos is offering class, individual and family photos.
- ♦ **Easter Break** a reminder that the Easter Holiday Break consists of Friday 30 March, the weekend as well as Monday 2 April and Tuesday 3. School restarts Wednesday 4 April.





# CAMP 2018



**Hampstead Rugby Club**  
 Bridge Street Clubrooms 10am-1pm  
 Muster day Saturday 17th of March  
 Subs payable on the day and eftpos available  
 New players welcome  
 Under 6s up to under 11.5s  
 Any Questions contact  
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 YOU CHANGE YOUR ADDRESS OR  
 PHONE NUMBER SO WE CAN  
 UPDATE YOUR CHILDS RECORDS.  
 THANKS

