



Wednesday 23 September 2020

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Principal: *Taitu'uga* Geoff Si'ave

*Kia Ora , Talofa, Greetings, Namaste, Kamusta, Guten Da Bula, Bore da,
Konichi Wa, Anyoung haseyo, Malo e lelei, Salaam Alaikum*

The end of term has approached us very quickly!!
Hope you all have a safe and happy holiday break

We're putting out this extra newsletter because there are some important pieces of information to let you know of before the term break.

Quick news and reminders

- Bus stop Modifications - 28th September - 19th October (The Shirley Road entrance into the school will be restricted the first week back Term 4) Please make alternative arrangements for dropping off and picking up your child.
- End of Term Three - Friday 25 September
- Start of Term Four - Monday 12 October
- Health Curriculum Consultation - Thursday 15 October - see separate notice
- Pasifika families fono - Wednesday 14 October 6pm - Staffroom. Meal provided, families welcome.
- Teacher Only Day - **Thursday 12th November** (Adds on to Show Weekend) **Note change:** Last week we mentioned that the Teacher Only Day would be Monday 16 November, adding to Show Weekend, but we have since learned that Banks Avenue and Shirley Primary are taking the Thursday 12 November for TOD so we are doing the same for the convenience of our families.

Enrolments for Secondary Schools for 2021 - These should have been completed already. Contact the school if you have not yet had confirmation of your enrolment application.

To ensure a smooth transition for our Year Eight students who are moving on to secondary school in 2021, we will be sharing information with high schools. This is essential for the secondary schools as they make decisions around class placements. Student achievement levels and information about learning support which has been in place at Shirley Intermediate will be passed on. If you would like more details about this please contact: Tamara Drew, Learning Support Coordinator- tamarad@sis.school.nz or 385 2229 ext 718.

Enrolments at SIS for 2021

Enrolments should be completed by Friday 23 October (Week two of term four). This will help tremendously with our transition process. Being informed about a child helps us to provide appropriate support, to arrange class placements, and begin to form a learning-focused relationship with your child

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and whanau. During term four we will be inviting the 2021 new pupils and parents/caregivers to attend an Introduction session with one of our leadership team. Enrolment forms can be printed from our school website or contact the school office for a paper copy.

We're working in your area

Shirley Road – Bus Stop Modifications

What

Undertaking minor adjustments to this bus stop including; footpath replacement, renewal of the bus stop shelter, moving of the kerb and channel.

Why

The purpose of this project is to improve the bus stop facilities. This includes the installation of a double bus bay, and the installation of a new bus shelter.

Where

60 Shirley Road Bus Stop #43908 adjacent to Shirley Intermediate School

When

Work will start on 28th September 2020 and is expected to be completed within 3 weeks. Day Shifts, Monday to Saturday 9am to 4pm.

Contact

The contractor is Fulton Hogan Ltd. Phone 03 336 5100 between Monday and Friday 7am to 7pm.

Details:

Please follow the directions provided by the onsite traffic management team.

Street side parking will be temporarily unavailable throughout the duration of the works to allow for safe conveyance of vehicles around the work site.

There may be temporary footpath closures/cordoned off areas.

A temporary bus stop will be set up adjacent to #56 Shirley Road for the duration of the works.

There will be noise disturbance during the works but this will be kept to a minimum.

Thanks for your patience as we work in your area

Noise

Other projects

There may be increased noise, dust and vibrations during work but it shouldn't impact on your power, water, gas or phone services

Safety is our biggest priority so please keep children and pets away from worksites.

Please put your bins out as usual before 6am on your collection day. Our crew will move and return them if needed.

Learn more about our work.

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