

# NEWSLETTER

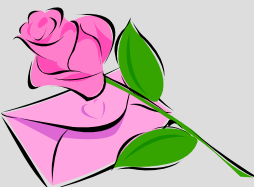


## WELCOME

Welcome to Shafika, Shafi Alam, Rafika Begum and Rafique Mohammed, Grace and Samuel Chang, Jadiel Toto-Taval, Jackson Tiarua, Promise Akaroa-Hamo, Nikki Vannak, Angel Ponlok, Ayushi Singh, Krisnita Kumar, Sounak Ghosh, Joseph Dunn, Jesicah Nangaiti, Ronchelle Hapeta, Julia Ponlok, Ronan Emberson, Henry Tuiavi'i, Jake Porea-Desai, Isaia Rayno, Wipani Matarangi-Harmer, Zeejay Lowe and Benjamin Field. *We welcome all children and families to our school and hope you will have a happy and enjoyable time with us.*

## OUT OF ZONE BALLOT

Thank you to all the families who were proactive in applying for places at our school for 2011. I am happy to report that all the applications for 2011 have been successful.



## WORLD TEACHERS DAY

The Board of Trustees took this opportunity to thank the wonderful staff at Redoubt North for their commitment to teaching and care of the children. All staff received a flower buttonhole and a special morning tea.

## SCHOOL PROPERTY DEVELOPMENT

We are about to embark on two new major property developments.

The Performing Arts Centre is to be extended in size to cater for more students and families. The roof will be removed and a second tier of seating added. The stage will also be extended and facilities upgraded.

A sports complex is also due to commence construction during the next couple of months. This will house courts, changing rooms and offices and will be situated on the field at the rear of Endeavour pod. This is going to be an exciting time, during the next 12 months.

## SUMMER UNIFORM

As it is Term 4 we have a Sunsmart Policy in school and all children are required to wear a school sunhat. Please check your child has their hat with them daily and that it is named. Hats may be purchased from the school office for \$15.

We would also request that children transfer into shorts from trackpants as the classrooms are very warm. Children soon get overheated and become unwell. Thank you for your support in this matter.

## TENNIS COACHING

This term the Enterprise students have been having tennis lessons and are even planning their own tennis tournament! Thank you to Grasshopper - New Tennis for Kids Programme for funding this programme into our school. Also a big thank you to the coaches, Jono Frankle and Dan Kelly from Manukau Tennis. You have been awesome!



Above: Top tips from coaches Jono and Dan.

Left: Peter Johnson volleys back with style to Stanton at training on Thursday morning.



29 October 2010

WELCOME

Ballot

World Teachers Day

School Development

Tennis

School Uniform

Have A Go Days

Touch

Australian Exam Results

Breakers Basketball

Community Notice

Term dates



29 October	World Teachers Day
11 Nov	Parent Group Meeting 2pm staffroom
23 & 25 Nov	New Entrant Visit Days for 2011
24 Nov	Board Meeting
10 Dec	Reports home
15 Dec	Last day of Term 4
1 Feb	School Starts 2011

## “HAVE A GO” MORNING

The children of Explorer pod had the chance to “have a go” at a range of sports with the expert coaches from Primary Sport, funded by the “Find Your Field of Dreams” Foundation. The children kicked, ran, hit, threw and laughed with delight around soccer, rugby, basketball, hockey, netball, relays, cricket, handball and volleyball. We all hope the programme returns next year for us to enjoy again!

## AUSTRALIAN EXAM WINNERS



**Congratulations to these children for achieving such great results in the recent Australian Exams. Well done!**

Andre Banbury	Year 8 English Credit
Drayton Lyden	Year 8 Maths Credit
Drayton Lyden	Year 8 English High Distinction
David Hoang	Year 7 Maths Credit
Alan Hoang	Year 7 Maths Credit
Henry Man	Year 5 English Credit
Henry Man	Year 5 Maths Credit
Jonathan Venema	Year 8 Maths Credit
Lisa Howe	Year 8 English Distinction
Ansheet Maharaj	Year 5 English Credit

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Lydia Venema	Year 8 English Credit
Andrew Lee	Year 6 Maths Credit
Joel Abraham	Year 6 Maths Credit
Anglea Hann	Year 7 Maths Credit
Anjana Naidu	Year 6 Maths Credit
Anjana Naidu	Year 6 English Credit
Sonny Deol	Year 6 Maths Credit
Brendon Kuoy	Year 6 Maths Credit
Analeah Petaia	Year 7 Maths Credit

## TOUCH TOURNAMENT FOR Y7 & Y8

The Redoubt North Boys and Girls Touch teams competed in the South Eastern Zone Touch Tournament on Wednesday 27th October.

The boys played 8 games against different schools which included teams from Sir Edmund Hillary, Buckland’s Beach, St Kentigern, Farm Cove, Pakuranga, Elim, Somerville and Ferguson Intermediates. The player of the day for the Redoubt boys team was Soviktra Kang and the captain was Alex Evile.

The girls team played 7 games. The player of the day for the girls team was Liana Gafa and the captain was Maria Tuii.



## THE BREAKERS BASKETBALL

*Recount written by Theresa Niu - Endeavour Three*

“This is unbelievable! Am I dreaming? Someone pinch me!”

We had just arrived at the New Zealand Breaker’s training stadium on the North Shore and my head was spinning with madness.

Everyone exited the bus and we sat with the most amazing sight in front of us. The smell of scrumptious, irresistible, delicious snacks filled my nose as we ate our morning tea. A tall figure named Hayden told us a little bit about the Breakers and organized us into three groups.

He led us into the huge building where we saw two basketball courts and a huge black bench. Everyone raced to get a seat. While we were finding our seats the Breakers were training right in front of us. It was as if we had a front row seat to one of their games.

The number ones had the first tour around the stadium.

The Breakers left the court and we got our own training session. There were lots of cheaters and plenty of winners. There were heaps of challenging games and tasks that I couldn’t even do. Just before we left we got five of the players to autograph our books.

This experience really inspired me to reach my goals because ...

- they get to eat pasta
  - they are sponsored by Nike
  - they get about 12 pairs of shoes a year.
  - they have two spas. One hot and one cold.
- ... and they get to challenge for a table tennis champions belt. Perhaps I should become a basketballer and not a singer!!



### **O.S.C.A.R**

Before & After school care & School Holiday programmes starting 2011 at Hilltop Community Centre, 30 Hilltop Road, Flatbush, Manukau  
**Phone 2620064**

**2010**

**Term 4 ends 15 Dec**

**2011**

**Term 1 starts 1 February**