



# Team Youens News

## 16.10.10



### Dear Parents

Welcome to Term 4. How the year continues to whizz by. The children always look as if they have grown another cm or two after the holidays. They have come back refreshed and ready for the challenges of the new term. This term, we talk to the children about moving to Year 2 next year. Some of them think that they will be in their first class for a long time. You will find out on the last day, which class your child will be in next term.

### Dates for the Term

**17.10: Positive and Negative Photos**

**18.10: Bandanas for sale for Canteen**  
*[teens with cancer]*

**22.10: Room 5 assembly**

**25.10 Labour Weekend holiday**

**28.10: Team photos and R. 4 class photo**

**05.11: Room 3 assembly**

**05.11: School disco**

**19.11: Room 4 assembly**

**03.12: PTA Family Fun Night**  
**Visit to West Harbour Gardens -**  
*date to be confirmed*

**10.12: Y1-2 prizegiving**

**15.12: School finishes for the year at 12.30**

### Activity Fee

There is no activity fee for this term :o), but we do need new glue sticks. Please send \$2.50 to your child's teacher to purchase one for your child. Thank you

### Library Days

Room 3: Thursday

Room 4: Monday

Room 5: Thursday

Room 6: Thursday

Please ensure your child's book is back by their day, otherwise they will not be able to choose another.

### Warmer Weather

This week's weather has been changeable, the hot times indicating it is time to look for lighter clothing for us all. Shorts and short

sleeved t-shirts for the children. If it is cool in the morning, put the children's sweat shirt on them, then they can take it off during the day. Sometimes, when it is hot, and the children's faces are pink, we insist they take off their sweatshirt, even when you have said that they are not to. At times, it is hard to judge the weather for the day, in the morning.

### School Uniform

Please name the clothing that your child will take off, so if left somewhere, we can return it promptly. If you buy second hand uniforms, PLEASE re-name the uniforms with your child's name on the clothing. If not re-named, we have no way of returning the articles of clothing to the new owners.

Hats are compulsory this term,

### Topic Study

The topic for the term is

### 'Reaching Out to Others'

We will be discussing going to visit the residents at West Harbour Gardens on Hobsonville Road. The outcome of the term's unit will be a visit, taking with us some decorations, we have made for their Christmas tree, we will make some goodies for morning tea and sing some Christmas songs. The children are at an age where they want a lot of things for themselves and we are hoping they will begin to 'reach' out', think about and give to others. We have lots of great activities planned for the children

### Maths

Weeks 1-5 Number

Weeks 6-9 Symmetry, Measurement

### Phys Ed

Weeks 1-5: Jump Rope

Weeks 6-9: Ball Skills

Regards

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