



**Week 2 Term 4
2019**

Pet Day News: It is in three parts this year. For every part, pre-schoolers are most welcome to bring their pets on Tuesday 5th or to do their crafts on Wed 6th or travel over to Papanui Junction for their amazing Pet Day on Thursday 7th. If any of our pets can make the journey, they can be entered on the day. The men's cake decorating competition is one of the highlights. Any brave entrants from Pukeokahu? For our Pet day Celebration, we will provide sausages and a cuppa. (Any home baking will be welcome, I'm sure!)

*Pukeokahu Pet Celebration Day. Tuesday 5 November 2019
Come and join us for a sausage, cuppa and chat at 12.30pm
Pre-schoolers and any grandkids/hangers-on staying in the district are
welcome*

All types of animals are welcome: horses, dogs, lambs, calves etc (as long as they are not feral!). It is okay if you need to collect your children from school before lunch to help bring the animals for "judging".

About 1pm we will have "the judging" which will be informal with fun categories.

***Lambs:** best led, calling, hungriest (please bring a bottle of milk) best name.*

***Dogs:** The best sitting, best led, best name, best groomed*

***Other Animals:** The most unusual, friendlies and best name.*

Best Dressed Animal

***Tricks:** open to all animals. Judge's decision.*

Craft Day activities information for Papanui Competition is attached.

Community Consultation: As the BoT and Staff look ahead to 2020, they would appreciate you adding comments to the 4 questions that will be displayed in the classroom during the Pet Celebration afternoon.

1. What does a strong partnership between Home and School look like for you?
2. What can our School do to ensure that learning is equipping your children for the future?
3. What do you want for your children when they start school?
4. What do you want for your children when they leave Pukeokahu in Yr 8?

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Upcoming Events

Labour Day Holiday: Mon 28 Oct

Year 5-7 Students' Parent's Information evening for the Positive Puberty programme at St Jo's 6-7 pm Tues 29 Oct

Year 5-7 Students:
Positive Puberty Programme: Wed 30 October at 8.40am

Hall Meeting:
7.30pm Tuesday 29 Oct at the Hall

Kapahaka/Swimming lessons
Monday 4 November. Please wear sports uniform

Pets' Celebration
Tuesday 5 November at 12.30pm

Pet Day Crafts at School
Wednesday 6 November

Pukeokahu Hall Fundraiser Walk:
15/16 November at Mangaohane

Cultural Festival:
Friday 22 Nov at Raetihi School

Enviro Schools Bronze Reflection
Friday 29 November

Papanui Athletics:
Monday 2 December

BoT Meeting:
Tuesday 3 December

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