

KIMBOLTON SCHOOL



October 23, 2024

This week sees our first digital only newsletter. Remember to let Judy know if you want a paper copy.

Term 4 is now over a week old and it is going to be a very busy term. You should have received a copy of the community calendar last term, and I will add a few key dates to take note of later in the newsletter.

I hope you all have a good two weeks, and I look forward to seeing you all on November 1, at Pet Day.

Greg



Parent Teacher Conferences

These were yesterday and we trust you left having got the information that you would have hoped to receive. Thanks for your punctuality and also thanks to the teachers for staying on time.

We are always looking for ways to streamline how we keep parents informed of student progress and so if you have any feedback on your conference feel free to get in touch with Greg.

Teacher Only Day

Just to ensure you are aware, there is a Teacher Only Day on Monday, November 4.

2025

We can confirm that the first day of school, for students, is Wednesday, January 29, next year.

The last day will be Thursday, December 11.

Pet Day Entries

We look forward to seeing you all on November 1. Thank you to the KSSC for all their hard work in ensuring well priced, delicious food is for sale on the day.

Pet Day Photo Comp and Dog Show.

We do not have a pets section on our pet day, however we do have a photo competition. So all your child has to do is have a photo emailed to principal@kimbolton.school.nz by Wednesday, October 30 to be entered in the other pet photo competition. Also if your child is bringing a dog, it must be on a lead, and kept well away from the lambs and calves, during their judging.

Kim Kai

Just a reminder that there are no Milos available with Kim Kai in Term 4.

Rural Day

At the end of the holidays we were well represented in the Rural Day Games with two relay teams. One team was Hudson, Jensen and Eve who came second in their race, but fourth overall. The second team was Solomon, Keeliarn and Quinn who were the champions of the best dressed competition.

All students have said they had a great time running through water and jumping over hay bales, amongst other cool stuff. I loved seeing the photos and appreciate the parent support in allowing our school to be represented.

School Photos

This is scheduled for Thursday, November 7. Judy will have more information out by Monday.

Upcoming Dates

November 1: Pet Day.
November 4: Teacher Only Day
November 7: School Photos
November 21: School fun athletics morning.
November 22: Cluster Athletics @ Timona Park.
December 9: Prizegiving
December 13: Last day of school. Ends at 12.05pm
February 21: Cluster Triathlon
March 7: Cluster Swimming Sports
March 27 / 28: Year 7 and 8 Camp - Sixtus Lodge



****STOCK DRIVE****

As a fundraiser for the KSSC we are seeking donations of Dry Ewes!!

We would be looking at collecting Ewes early November (depending on numbers and works space) and all proceeds will go to the KSSC to support the kids of Kimbolton School.

**If you are keen to donate please contact
Hayden Manley on 027 697 8917
by the end of October.**

Oroua Sports Club

Oroua Sports Club Business Meeting

Tuesday 19th November 7pm. Come early at 6:30 to order dinner at the pub.

It would be great if all coordinators of sport and coaches could come along. Everyone Welcome

Kimbolton Kindergarten Opening

It was great to attend the official opening of the new Kimbolton Kindergarten last week.

More details will be updated to the website as they come to hand so keep having a look there. In the meantime you can register your interest for your child's enrolment to kindergarten by emailing

info@wmkindergartens.org.nz

Hellers Sausages

A huge thankyou to Hellers Sausages for Schools for their generous donation of 380 sausages for Pet Day. This support is highly appreciated and valued.

KSSC

Thanks for all your help with Pet Day. The roster is now full :-)

*16 November Cross Hills Fair Parking: We ask for approx 2 1/2 hours of your time to help out on a rostered shift to manage the parking. No experience needed and you get a free ticket to the fair. This is a significant earner for our school and we need to fill the roster with support from friends and family of the school (high school aged children can help).

He rau ringa e oti ai - many hands make light work

The KSSC Committee: Janelle, Heidi, Sara, Georgia, Nat, Olivia, Gemma, Emma, Naomi

