

Thornton School Newsletter 22 September 2022 Term 3 Week 9

Well done to this week's award winners:

	Room 1	Room 2	Room 4	Room 6	Room 5	Room 3
Citizen	Ava	William	Cohen	Hadley	Andrae	Mason
Worker	Leo	Everly	Jayden	Shay	Henry	Tumai
Japanese	Lakyn	Ekamdeep	Kobe	Eva	Hyency	Tumai
Principals Award: Indie			Councillors Award: Hadley			



Agricultural Day

School Calf Club date - Wednesday 19 October

Group Day - Tuesday 25 October

- **Ag Day parent meeting:**

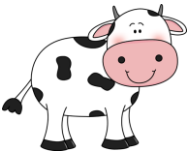
Thank you to those parents who attended the school Calf Club day organisation meeting. Most appreciated!

- **Entries closing date for calves, lambs and/or goats:**

Entries close tomorrow - Friday 23 September at 3pm.

I will be doing the programme and judges boards over the weekend.

The Calf Club entries were put on the app earlier this week. If your child's name isn't on this list and they have a calf, lamb or goat, please let us know before the weekend. Likewise if their name is on the list and they no longer have a calf, lamb or goat, please let us know.



Public Holiday

Reminder: this Monday 26 September is a one off public holiday called 'Queen Elizabeth II Memorial Day' to mark the passing of the Queen. School will be closed on this day.



Room 1 and 2 Teddy Bear's Picnic



Next week, Wednesday 28 September, the student councillors have organised a teddy bear's picnic for our Rooms 1 and 2 students. These children can bring a teddy bear or any favourite stuffed animal along and join in the fun. Between 11am and 12.30pm, Madison, Jimmy, James and Charlie have planned games and activities plus a few fun things for the children to eat.

Thornton's Got Talent (Talent Show)

The Talent Show is on at school at lunchtimes this week. We have children singing, dancing and even doing gymnastics. These are today's performers.



Calendars

All children are completing a work of art over the next week that is suitable to be made into a personalised child's calendar. The form for calendar orders will be sent home tomorrow.

Art calendars - \$13, Greeting cards - \$13, Diaries - \$15,
Sketchpads - \$13 and Mouse Mats - \$15.

Orders and money are to be sent to school by **Friday 28 October**.

Your child's artwork will be available at the office for viewing at the school office on Tuesday or Wednesday next week if you would like.

2023 - Term Start and End Dates:

The board of trustees have approved the following dates as the 2023 terms:

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| Term 1: | Tuesday 7 February to Thursday 6 April |
| Term 2: | Monday 24 April to Friday 30 June |
| Term 3: | Monday 17 July to Friday 22 September |
| Term 4: | Monday 9 October to Wednesday 20 December |

Calendar

Term 3 Events:		
Week 10	Monday 26 September	Public Holiday
	Thursday 29 September	Room 5 trip to Kawerau
	Friday 30 September	ASB Financial Literacy Rms 3, 4, 5, 6
	Friday 30 September	Stepping Out Prog Rms 1, 2, 4, 6
	Friday 30 September	Term 3 Ends
Week 1	Monday 17 October	Term 4 starts
	Wednesday 19 October	School Calf Club (Agricultural Day)
Week 2	Monday 24 October	Labour Day
	Tuesday 25 October	Group Day at Otakiri
Week 3	Monday 31 October Tuesday 1 November	Police Education Programme - Doing the Right Thing
	Tuesday 1 November	Rising Starlets Concert - school choir
	Wednesday 2 November	Room 5 parent camp meeting 5.30pm
	Friday 4 November	School Athletics
Week 4	Monday 7 - Wednesday 9 November	Room 5 Student's Camp
Week 5	Tuesday 15 November	Interschool Athletics
	Friday 18 November	Pet and Floral Arrangements Day
Week 6	Monday 21 November	Photo Life
	Wednesday 23 - Friday 25 November	Room 4 Student's Camp
Week 7	Monday 28 November	Cricket skills Room 3 & 5 students
	Monday 28 November - Friday 2 December	Literacy Book Week
Week 8	Monday 28 November	Cricket skills Room 3 & 5 students
	Monday 5 - Wednesday 7 December	Room 6 Student's Camp
Week 9	Monday 28 November	Cricket skills Room 3 & 5 students
Week 10	Tuesday 20 December	Term 4 Ends

Have a great long weekend
Shelley