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RANGIWAEA SCHOOL NEWSLETTER #6

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It has been another busy week. We were very proud of how well the Senior Room children did at the Rural Swimming Sports. We will be notified of any children who qualified to be in the Interschool team and will advise everyone as soon as we know.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES ELECTION

Nomination forms can be put in the yellow confidential posting box which is located in the Office foyer. Because the nomination period spans the holidays, if you have a nomination form that needs to be returned in the holidays, please post it to the school or delivery it to Arthur Bell, Returning Officer, Hedgley, R.D.1, Taihape. We would, however, appreciate as many nomination forms as possible to be returned before the holidays.

BUILDING UPDATE

We have set the Official Opening for 1:15pm on Friday 23rd April. Our Member of Parliament, Simon Power has agreed to open the new building and we look forward to hosting him for the afternoon. Could everyone, please, keep that afternoon free? We would love to see as many of you as possible at this happy event.

Maryann Roberts, Principal

Board of Trustees:

Chairperson: Sheryl Donald (phone 388 0166)

Principal: Maryann Roberts

Staff Representative: Wendy Bell

BOT Members: Bruce Maher Geoff Donald
 Brent Thomsen Alan Clapperton



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Board of Trustees Elections

Arthur Bell is our Returning Officer, nominations close on **Friday 23rd April** and the Election will be held until **Friday 7th May**. The newly appointed Board of Trustees takes office on 14th May. Please ask one of our current trustees or our Returning Officer for further information. Nominations can be left at school in the confidential posting box.

School Stationery Payments

Can all outstanding payments for the childrens Stationery be paid at the School Office or be sent in an envelope to school by Thursday 18th March. Thank you.

Sausage Sizzle

Sausage Sizzle is on tomorrow. Please bring the completed form and money to school, in the morning.

Togs and Towels

A reminder that we are continuing to swim, every day. Many children are coming to school without their togs and this means teachers need to have extra children in their classrooms while the other class swims. We are making the most of using our beautifully kept pool in the fine weather that we are having! The teachers will let children and parents know when togs are no longer required at school.

Rangiwaera School Values:

Respect, Co-operation, Do Your Best, Honesty, & Be Positive

NO Technology – Year 7 & 8 Children

Unfortunately there will be **NO** technology for the Year 7 and 8 children, this term. We will endeavour to try and make up the days that have been missed, this term, later in the year.

Junior Swimming Sports

The Junior Swimming Sports will be held on Thursday 18th of March at the Taihape Pool. If you haven't already sent the permission form back, please return it to the classroom teacher by tomorrow. Parents if you can order your fish and chips or hot dog and chips as well.

Board of Trustees Meeting

The next Board of Trustees Meeting is Wednesday 17th March **7:00pm** in the Senior Classroom. All parents welcome to attend. Come and see how a Board meeting goes.

Country Netball

The Netball season is coming around fast and we would like to get an indication of numbers of children interested in playing this season for Country netball. Also we realise that Wednesdays are busy for a lot of girls with dancing commitments when we had netball practices last season. It is an option to change it to Tuesday afternoons so that players can make practices and continue dancing as well. Could anyone that is interested please email Ju Chrystall by the end of the week at richju71@farmside.co.nz or phone her 3881500 with the age of their child, and if Tuesday would be a better option. Also we will once again need coaches for the teams so if anyone is interested let her know also. We don't have a definite date for opening day but will be at the start of May. Ju will let you know as soon as possible.

Taihape Junior Soccer Incorporated Registration Day

This is for boys and girls 6-13years old. We will have a sausage sizzle and will be kicking some balls around. When: Saturday 13th March 10am – 12noon. Where: St Joseph's School field. For further information contact Toby Schweikert on 388 0608 or toby@greenhaus.co.nz

Manuka Firewood – FOR SALE

For Sale – Manuka Firewood. Ready to burn and keep your place cosy and warm , this winter. Please phone Allen or Delysse on 388 1771.

Have a great weekend!

Maryann Roberts and Staff

Term Calendar

EVENT:	DATE:
Term One Dates	Tuesday 2 nd February – Thursday 1 st April
Board of Trustees Meeting	7pm Wednesday 17 th March
Junior Swimming Sports	10am Thursday 18 th March (Taihape Pool)
Inter-School Swimming Sports	Friday 19 th March (Taihape Pool)
Parent/Teacher Conferences	Monday 22 nd – Tuesday 23 rd March
Bus Society Meeting	7:30pm Wednesday 24 th March
Term 1 Ends	Thursday 1 st April