



1 February 2017

SWIMMING LESSONS



Haere mai! Welcome back to school!

For the next two weeks, Tuesday 7 February –Friday 17 February all classes will be walking to and from McKenzie Baths every day for Swimming Lessons with trained Kiwisport swimming instructors.

Please ensure that your child has named togs and towel in a named bag **every** day (they may also like to bring goggles if they have them). Please bring them even if the weather is not great, as often the weather can change!!

Swimming is a really important life and safety skill, so we expect ALL children to be swimming every day (ie. 8 lessons).

Please write a note to your child's teacher, if your child has a specific reason for being unable to participate in a lesson.

All families will be paying for the pool entry (@ McKenzie & Naenae Pools) & the bus to the Swimming Sports as part of this term's 'Activity Contribution' – we appreciate you paying this as soon as you are able.

(The school is funding the cost of the lessons).

The swimming lesson timetable for each day is:

| Leave School | Swimming Lesson | Class | Arrive back at school (approx.) |
|--------------|-----------------|---------------|---------------------------------|
| 9.40am | 10.00am-10.30am | Kākāpō | 11.00am |
| 10.10am | 10.30am-11.00am | Kererū & Kea | 11.30am |
| 10.40am | 11.00am-11.30am | Pūkeko & Tuī | 12.00pm |
| 11.10am | 11.30am-12.00pm | Kotuku & Ruru | 12.30pm |

If you are able to assist Tui, Ruru or Kea by walking to or from the pool &/or helping with changing, please talk to your child's class teacher.

Thanks.

Kath Delahunty

PS. The school Swimming Sports will be held on Friday 24 February 10.30-12.30 @ Naenae Pool- please mark the date on your calendar- we would love to see you there! ☺