

## Board of Trustees Meeting



The next Board of Trustees meeting will be on Thursday the 31st of May at 7:00 pm in the school staffroom.

### 18 May Pyjamas Day

18 May Totora's Assembly 2.15pm

23 May Cluster Soccer Day

### 25 May Cluster Soccer Save Day

25 May Singing Assembly 2.15pm

04 Jun Queen's Birthday

### Remember

#### Local Service

+ Local Knowledge

= Local Advantage!

Call us your local team, we offer...  
A Free Appraisal Service  
Advice on Selling or Buying Property  
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## AFS Intercultural Exchange Programme

Host an AFS Exchange Student; have a cultural experience at home!  
Volunteer host families needed for students from Denmark, Switzerland, Canada, France, Austria, Italy, Egypt, Thailand and Paraguay.  
For more information call  
Brenda on 818 5520 or Jill 627 9205

### For Sale

**One x-box (black) and seven games.  
\$300.00  
If you are interested please see Mrs Davis**

## 2007 Primary School Dates

*Term 2 Ends: 29 June*

*Term 3: 16 July to 21 September*

*Term 4: 08 October to  
20 December*



Where education means success

### Henderson

Mathematics ✓ English ✓ Spelling ✓ Reading ✓  
A little extra help needed?

We provide individual after school programmes taught by fully qualified, caring tutors. For a free assessment call

**Paul or Jan on 836 9061**

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17 May 2007

### *Thought for the Week Optimism*

When one door shuts, another opens.  
*Proverb.*



## *From the Principal's Laptop*

I would like to thank you all for your support today so the teachers could attend a Government funded union meeting. Teachers at Flanshaw Road School work hard to support the learning of all the students in their classes. If we want quality teachers in our classrooms we need to ensure that teaching conditions are in place to both attract and retain them. Thank you again for your ongoing support.

This week a group of students from across our cluster of schools interviewed me in my role as school leader. I was impressed by the depth of thinking that the students put into the questions that they asked me. They certainly had me reflecting on the journey I have taken to get where I am and the people who have influenced me along the way.

We ask the students to reflect on their learning daily. Teachers are constantly reflecting on their teaching and how what they do influences children's learning.

*Do you reflect on the influence you are having on your children? What messages are you sending to your children about their learning?*

The student councillors have decided that we need a little fun in our lives so on Friday we are having a pyjama day. If you are around school on Friday you will see students and staff wearing their pyjamas and dressing gowns. Just can't wait!!

*They may forget what you said but they will never forget how you made them feel.*

-- Anonymous

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### *Freaky Fact of the Week*

Sunglasses were invented by the Chinese in the thirteenth century!

Until next week, regards Maggie Reid



## Neighbourhood News



### Uniform Shop Hours

#### Term 2.

Next week the uniform shop will be open on Wednesday the 23rd May 2007.

8.30am-9.30am  
2.30pm-3.30pm

The uniform shop will be located in the Dental Clinic.

### Scholastic Book Orders Last Day

**Urgent reminder - last orders and Money this Friday 18th May.**

*Please hand all orders into the school office in an envelope with name and room on it.*

### Childrens Mobile Ear Clinic

The Mobile Ear Clinic is a free service for pre-school and school age children (birth-18 years of age).

All ear clinics are by appointment only, please phone Wendy on 839 0546.

Waitakere Hospital on 839 0000 ext 6079. Monday to Friday 8.00am-4.30pm.



## Saturday Netball



**Players of the day :** Flames Sophie. B Ferns Nisha. Fantails Jordan. Fawns Tyla.

This weekend ( 19 May 2007) game times are:

#### **Year 5 & 6 at Te Pai Courts**

Flanshaw Falcons vs Konini Red at **3.10 pm Court 6**

Flanshaw Flames vs Peninsula Ferns at **2.20 pm Court 16**

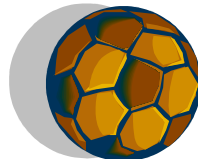
#### **Year 3 & 4 at The Trust Stadium**

Flanshaw Ferns vs Matipo Year 4 at **11.30am Court 3**

Flanshaw Fantails vs Freyberg Flames at **8.30 am Court 3**

#### **Year 1 & 2 at Planet Indoor Sports**

Flanshaw Fawns vs Western Heights Kittens at **2.45 pm Court 1**



## Super Scribe featuring Shaun. from Kauri

08 May 2007

Budgies are a type of bird. Budgies can be wild or they can be a pet. They have short tails. They have lots of colours, the colours are yellow, green, black, white, blue and grey.

## Hooked on Local News



### Public Health Nurse Hints

**Nitty Reminder:**

Wet combing is easier if you put on some conditioner and towel dry the head before combing very carefully to remove head lice.

**For more information please call your Public Health Nurse Sandra van Splunder Phone 486 8920 ext 6222**

### United Quick Quiz

*Winner*

*for week 3 & 4*

*Congratulations*

*to*

*Taylor. S*

*from*

*Ponga*

With the winning answers:

Rome, London and Nuku' alofa

### United Travel Getaway

Qantas has just released Fair Dinkum, Aussie Sale to the Gold Coast Time for Sun and Fun! Call for details 837 0050 United Travel Henderson Your first "Port of Call"



*United Quick Quiz Week 5 & 6 Weekly Competition.*

Put your answers on paper with your name and class and put it in the United Box at the School Office by *Wednesday 30th May.*

*Name the Capitals of: Croatia, Ghana & Romania.*



## School Events



### PJ Day

**This Friday 18th May**

An all day event: make sure you remember to stay in your PJ's, it is the one day mum and dad can let you out of the house in your PJ's and you can wear them to school. I wonder what kinds of sights we will see? What soft toys might visit us? And who has the strangest PJ's? You will just have to come along and see.

## Jazzy Journalists featuring Nargiss from Pohutukawa

8 May 2007

A crocodile is a reptile. The tummy is smooth and soft. It has sharp teeth. It has a long tail for whacking things that he wants to eat. It has two eyes.