

School Dates:

Term 4 Ends Tuesday 11th Dec for SLC & Monday 17th Dec for all others.

2013 Start Dates: - Base, SLC & Waipa Start Wednesday 30 January 2013.
- Crawshaw Start 4 February 2013.
- Teacher only day Tuesday 29 January 2013.

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SIBCAMP 2013

When: 8th - 10th March 2013

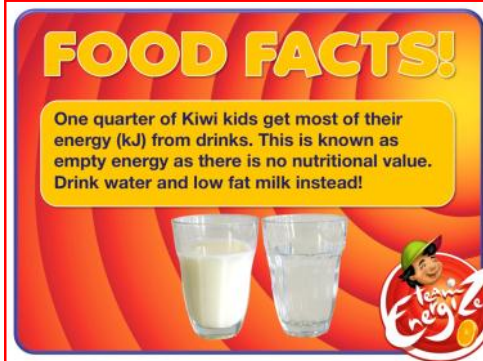
Where: Totara Springs Christian Camp, Matamata

Who: For children aged 8-18years who do not have a disability themselves.

Interested? To register your interest please contact Carol on 07 848 1362 or 0508 236 236 or email waikato@parent2parent.org.nz



BIC 2 School Competition:

From 1st December 2012 - 17 February 2013, simply purchase any BIC product, visit www.bic2school.co.nz and check out if you have won an instant prize and at the same time enter our school name, which in turn will earn our school valuable BIC PenPoints and the chance to win 1 of 3 prizes of \$2,000 cash.



FOOD FACTS!

One quarter of Kiwi kids get most of their energy (kJ) from drinks. This is known as empty energy as there is no nutritional value. Drink water and low fat milk instead!



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Principal's Corner

Welcome to Week 7

We are now entering the final weeks of the year and for some students this will be their last weeks at school, as they have turned 21.

Quite often we are asked at this time of year if we are winding down for the year! Unfortunately, it is totally the opposite as we are trying to complete all administrative tasks, formulate budgets and look at the requirements for 2013. So an extremely busy time for all as we work to the end of 2012.

Camp

SLC 5/6 students had an amazing time at their Mount Maunganui camp last week. I know the students faced many new challenges and overcame them all. I'm not sure who was more exhausted the staff or students! My thanks to all the staff who attended this camp as they ensured the students had an experience that they will never forget.

Motorbike Rally

A larger number of motorbikes participated this year making the day a big success. My thanks to Michael van Alphen and Paul Gregory for their organisation and setting of the course. Thanks also to all the staff who turned out on the day to assist with this whole school fundraiser.

Board of Trustees

The next meeting of the BOT is on 3 December at 3:30 pm in the staffroom. This is an early notification that in 2013 there will be BOT elections, so if you are considering putting your name forward please feel free to come and discuss what the position entails with me.

SPECIAL EVENTS TERM 4

- 3 December - BOT Meeting.
- **Prize Giving** will be on **Friday 7th December at 10am** in MPR at St Andrews Middle School.



Quote: "I cannot give you the formula for success, but I can give you the formula for failure: Try to please everybody."

Tony Kane
Principal



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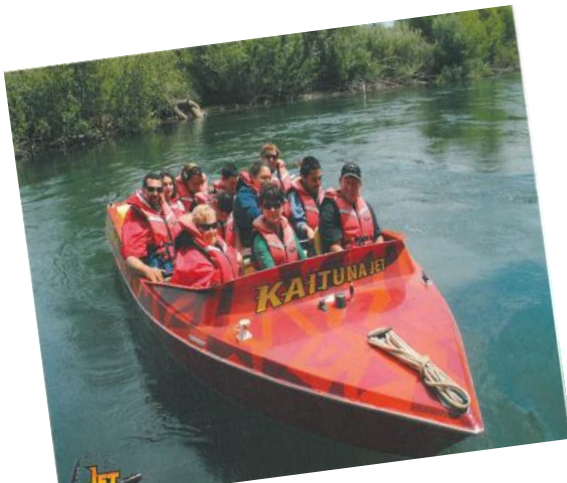
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SLC 5&6's PAPAMO A CAMP

Kaituna River

SLC 5&6 had an awesome time with a thrilling ride down the mighty Kaituna River in the Kaituna Jet while on camp at Papamoa.

You can't hide those smiles!



A spot of fishing at Pilot Bay

Seaside and fresh air!!

We didn't catch the BIG one, but a great time was had by all, including the local fisherman who shared their seaweed catches.

