

## 2017 TERM ONE DATES AND EVENTS:

2 Apr	Daylight Saving Ends (clocks go back 1 hour)
13 Apr	End of Term 1 (Thursday)
14-17 Apr	Easter
1 May	Term 2 Starts
5 June	Queens Birthday - No School

**AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMME FOR YOUNG PEOPLE WITH A DISABILITY**

Life Unlimited is pleased to offer another Sport Opportunity initiative designed to provide sporting opportunities for children and young people with disabilities and their families. By offering clubs within the community, we will provide an environment that will allow children and young people with a disability the opportunity to participate and develop skills in Ripped Rugby, Indoor Cricket, Football & Touch Rugby.

All programmes start at 4pm and finish at 5pm

TUESDAYS	<b>RIPPA RUGBY</b> Dates: Tuesdays from 14 February – 7 March 2017 Location: Waikato University Gate 2B Waikato University, Knighton Road, Hamilton
TUESDAYS	<b>INDOOR CRICKET</b> Dates: Tuesdays from 14 March – 11 April 2017 Location: Ulster, Gate 1, Knighton Road, Hamilton
THURSDAYS	<b>FOOTBALL</b> Dates: Thursdays from 16 February – 16 March 2017 Location: Gate 2b Waikato University, Knighton Road, Hamilton
THURSDAYS	<b>TOUCH RUGBY</b> Dates: Thursdays from 23 March – 13 April 2017 Location: Gate 2b Waikato University, Knighton Road, Hamilton

All outdoor sports are weather permitting. Please call Life Unlimited Reception after 2:30pm on 0800 608 911, for rain cancellations

**"DREAM LESS ON THE DISABILITY, BUT FOCUS MORE ON THE POSSIBILITY"**

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**FLAVOURED WATER**

COOLING DOWN FOR SUMMER

Make your own flavoured water! Fill a jug with water and add:

- Ice cubes to keep it cool
- Slices or a squeeze of lemon, lime, cucumber, orange or berries
- Mint leaves

Developed by SLC Waikato 2016

**SIBSUPPORTNZ™**

**SibCamp** WEEKEND PROGRAMME  
ONE DAY PROGRAMME  
**SibShop**

FOR KIDS AGED 8 - 18 WHO HAVE A BROTHER OR A SISTER WITH A DISABILITY OR HEALTH IMPAIRMENT

PARENT TO PARENT MATUA HĀ MATUA

**Waikato SibCamp! 7th - 9th April 2017**

**Totara Springs Camp - Matamata**

Sibcamps are for children aged 8 - 18 who have a brother or a sister with a disability or health impairment. A fun weekend of workshops and outdoor activities, just for siblings, where feelings can be shared and friends are made.

Registrations can be made through Parent to Parent Waikato ph 07 848 1362

## Hamilton North School Specialist Learning Centres

*Their potential will be maximized by offering them new challenges and opportunities.*

16th February 2017 *Volume 2*

Principal's Corner

### Welcome to Week 3

The students have settled really well and are enjoying being back at school. They have been reminded about using their sun screen and wearing their hats when outside. It is important that each student brings his/her own sun screen that is suitable for their skin type as some students can have bad reactions due to allergies.

There are a number of activities coming up over the next month so please make sure you find the class letters and information at the bottom of the school bag!

### NEW STUDENT:

*Simata Chu Shing*

*We welcome Simata and his family to our school and wish them well for their time with us.*

### Coming Events

#### Swimming Sports: March 2nd

A number of students from SLC have been entered in the Special Olympic Swimming Sports to be held in Te Awamutu on Thursday 2nd March. For some this is their first time competing and a chance to compete against students from around the Waikato.

#### SLC 5/6 Papamoa Camp: 20-24 March

SLC 5/6 will be spending the week exploring Tauranga/Papamoa and the surrounding areas as part of their curriculum studies which are based around Social Studies, Science and Physical Education. I'm sure every student will return having experienced challenges that they will remember for many years to come. It is also a time where the students are able to socialise with their friends outside of the school environment.

**Elgregoe Magician** will be presenting to a number of the senior students on Monday 20 February which should be very thought provoking for the students.

### Signing In and Out

Parents please remember to sign your child in or out at the office when you bring them in late or take them early.

**Quote: 'Pursue the highest ideals. If you must submit, let it be only to the loftiest mountain'**

Tony Kane  
Principal





Planting the seedling potatoes began last year.

SLC 7 are learning the benefits of growing, harvesting and cooking their own vegetables.



Harvesting the potatoes was a collaborative effort.

## SLC 7 ENVIROGARDEN



Students took turns in cooking the potato's they had harvested.

The class enjoyed socialising while they sampled their potato products.

