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Hello,
The PTA 'A-Thon' this year is a run-a-thon and it is great to see the children out doing laps of the back field.

Not only is this helping with general fitness but the a-thon is a great way for children to prepare for the cross country events later in the term.

This is the PTA's major fundraiser for this year and it would be greatly appreciated if every family could help their child/children get at least one sponsor. It is part of being a school that has 'Contribution' as one of its core values.

All the funds raised in the A-Thon this year will be used to assist in covering the costs of next terms 'Discover Northland' theme when we plan to take the whole school on several trips to important and interesting Northland locations.

As an incentive every child who gets at least one sponsor will receive a small prize and there are major prizes for the child who gets the most sponsorship and for the child who completes the most laps.

Thanks again and kind regards,
Paul Barker.

Duffy Caught Being a Good Mum

Big congratulations to Leonie Harris who is this years Duffy Caught Being a Good Mum. Leonie is a fabulous mum to Hunter and also kindly supports other children at school in her kind and caring way. Thanks Leonie!



**Term 2
Week 3**

Students of the Week

Congratulations to the Students of the Week and top Kiwi Canners for Week 2 – Bishop, Kaiya, Te Ruki, Woven, Isobel, Destiny, Kylie and Kahtanya!



I Wish I Was Day

Tomorrow is 'I Wish I Was" day and children are invited to come to school dressed as what they wish they were or what they wish they will be.

A coin donation would appreciated that we will donate to the Make a Wish people who do such a great job giving children who are seriously ill a chance at some joy in their otherwise challenging lives.

Spelling Bee

The first chance for children to win a trophy this year is the annual Spelling Bee which takes place on the 13th of June. Lists have been sent home so that children can practice learning to spell the words – someone reading the word and the child spelling it back is best as this is how the contest works. Every year those children who practice the most are the most successful – practice does make perfect!

Dates for your diary

19 May	I wish I was day.
23 May	NSW Digital Technologies.
30 May	NSW Science
5 June	Queen's Birthday Holiday
8 June	40 Hour Famine

"What lies behind us and what lies before us are tiny matters compared to what lies within us." - Ralph Waldo Emerson.