



# Kaeo School



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**Term 1**

**Week 5**

Hello,

Next Friday sees the Whangaroa Primary Schools swimming event. Because our pool remains out of commission this year it will be for the senior school only and only for those that can confidently swim in the community pool.

It is always a pleasure to host the other local schools and to see their staff, children and supporters and of course to welcome everyone to support our children and our school.

Part of our role as host is to have a sausage sizzle and drinks stall on the day. I am sure that you can understand that the teachers and other staff are busy organising children, doing timekeeping and recording of results.

Therefore it would be appreciated if we could have some volunteers to man the sausage sizzle on the day – even if you could manage a short time it would be greatly appreciated. If you are willing to help out please contact either myself or Tracy Rouse – we would love it if you did!

Kind regards,  
Paul Barker.

### Swimming Pool Update

Although good progress is now being made in regards to getting the pool changing sheds replaced it will not be possible for this to happen before the cooler weather. We are hopeful that next summer the pool will be up and running again but also conscious that the rebuild is designed to be for the long term and that taking some time to get the best replacement possible is worthwhile. Having seen the plans and design for the new changing sheds I am confident that the wait will be very worthwhile. I will keep everyone updated as this work continues.

*"Most people do not really want freedom, because freedom involves responsibility, and most people are frightened of responsibility." - Sigmund Freud.*

### Students of the Week

Congratulations to our Students of the Week for Week 4 – Kairarawa, Falcon, Sharleen, Chloe, Hunter and Lavarnia.



### Board of Trustees

Congratulations to Marco van Den Broek who has been elected as the new Chairperson of our Board of Trustees. Marco has been a Board member since 2013 and we wish him well in his new role. Marco replaces Colin Campbell (thanks Colin ☺) who remains on the Board along with Gareth Megginson, Haylee Rhodes, Stephanie Campbell, who is the staff representative, and Mr Barker as Principal.

### Rippa Rugby

It was great to have Noah Cooper from Northland Rugby here this week working with our Year 5 and 6 teams ahead of the Rippa Rugby tournament in Week 7 – thanks Noah.



### Kaeo Rugby

Kaeo Rugby Club's registration days will be held on Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> of March and Saturday the 25<sup>th</sup> of March at 10am on both days.