



Term 2, Week 2
2023

Dargaville Intermediate School

NEWS

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FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

Dear Parents/Caregivers

Kia ora koutou

Welcome to Term 2 & our Refurbished Rooms

A huge welcome back to you all. We hope you had some quality time with your loved ones over the Easter break. As a staff we are extremely pleased to be in our refurbished classrooms (rooms 3-6). The standard of workmanship and attention to detail is outstanding.

We would like to acknowledge Greg Adams - Renovation Masters, LJC Builders, Positive Electrical, Modo Flooring, True Colours & Carus Painters, Northland Interiors, Hauraki Contracting, Gareth Pocklington Plumbing, Scope Project Management Services, Haki Wihongi for blessing our rebuild and of course the Ministry of Education.

Many thanks to you all.

Cross Country - 25th May 2023

Beginning next week our fitness programme at school will be tailored towards our school cross country event being held on Thursday 25th May. Our aim is to build an understanding that a healthy heart is important, as it is this muscle that has to last you a lifetime. The emphasis is on building fitness and personal improvement.

It will involve running on the footpaths, so running shoes are recommended for tender feet and of course PE uniform. If your child is unwell please send a note excusing them from training. If staff deem them unwell, they will not be permitted to train on that day as well.

Library Book Returns

At the end of last term we were very fortunate to have National Library books to distribute out over the holidays. We would appreciate these returned this week.

Your child can give them directly to their classroom teacher.

Safety First.....

This Saturday sees the opening of duck shooting season.

It is a time of excitement, tradition and bonding for family and friends.

Please ensure that you keep yourself & those around you safe by following the 7 basic firearms safety rules and by being water-wise. **Best of luck.**

*Principal
Brendon Lucich*

Infant massage/postnatal mama and pepi yoga class

9 session infant massage/postnatal mama and pepi yoga class starts May 5th, run over 9 Fridays where you will learn how to massage pepi in the first 5 sessions, finishing off with 4 sessions of postnatal yoga. A wonderful way to connect on a deeper level with your baby, whilst promoting growth and wellbeing for pepi and you.

Contact P-J McCrea, littlesteps.beautifulbeginnings@gmail.com to book in



Spit, don't rinse after brushing
 Tuwha, kau e opeopea i muri i te taitaitanga

TIPS TO KEEP YOU
SMILING

Fluoride in toothpaste helps prevent tooth decay

Avoid eating or drinking after brushing teeth, Especially at night so the fluoride can keep working to protect and strengthen teeth.



Need a dental appointment for your child?
CALL 0800 MY TEETH (0800 698 3384)

Te Whatu Ora
 Health New Zealand

SQUASH

Wanting to have a go at squash or interested in learning to play Come join us on Wednesdays 4pm till 5pm at Dargaville Squash & Rugby club starting 10th May Or Phone Richard Anderson on 027 598 5666 for further information

A huge thank you to ITM

ITM generously donated plywood boards for what is going to be school murals.

It is through generous support of businesses in our community that projects like this for our students, become a reality.

Thank you once again
ITM Dargaville



The mighty master of light looming above me, staunching me out, staring at my soul. The breath of salt in the air cut off as my heart skipped a beat.

By Jordy Searle Rm 4



5 May 2023

\$60.00 a table with a maximum of 6 people
 Doors open 5.30pm with quiz starting at 7.00pm
 Meals available for purchase

Northern Wairoa Boating Club

Totara Street, Dargaville

Bookings Essential

To Book your table phone 09 439 7009 or 021 973 871
whanaufocusmanager@gmail.com

Fundraising to support our community with Whanau Support, Advocacy, Positive Parenting and Youth Mentoring



WHANAU
 FOCUS CENTRE

1st Dargaville Girls' Brigade

Invites you to join a fun and energetic group of girls aged between 5 and 18, who want to make the most out of life. We meet on Thursdays from 3-5pm at the Lighthouse Church. Come along and check us out this Thursday.

For more information
contact Pauline Taylor 439 7507

Plastic bottle tops

All plastic bottle tops, any size and colour please needed for art projects. Please put in white Resene bucket in school foyer.
 Thank you