

Middle Team Term 3 2010 Newsletter



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Welcome back...



THANK YOU

Before we look forward it is important that we look backwards and say a very big thank you for all the wonderful support we have had from you - our parents, caregivers and extended family - for helping out in so many different ways. For example the trip to the Portobello Aquarium and assisting at short notice when the weather allowed us to go on walks around the St Clair area. In addition to these practical applications, we thank you for, and value, the support you give your child each week with their reading spelling and maths homework.



KEY DATES:

19th- 21st July Swimming
26th - 27th July Swimming
27th - 29th July 3 way conferences
29th July Keep Dunedin Beautiful Theatre Group visits
23rd August Kath Bee Sing/song writer performance
6th September School photos
7th September Kapa haka dress rehearsal
21st September Middle Team Production rehearsal
22nd September Middle Team Production
24th September School finishes



What's planned for this term?

Reading:

- poetry
- narratives (with a focus on character description)

Writing:

- poetry
- letter writing
- character descriptions
- responses (to performances, providing feedback to wikispace writers)

Mathematics:

- multiplication & division
- time
- continuing to build number knowledge & basic facts understandings

Visual Language & ICT

- photography using digital cameras
- viewing and responding to moving images

The Arts

- dance and drama in preparation for our annual production at the end of the term

Inquiry:

- Surf, Sand, St Clair: Scratching Beneath the Surface continued.

Term 3 & 4 focus: Our community has a story behind it and I am part of it (Social Sciences, Technology and Health)

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