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Dear Parents and Caregivers – Tena Koutou Katoa

A quick newsletter to mark halfway through the school year ... and our holidays starting tomorrow.

STUDENT-LED CONFERENCES - MONDAY 2 JULY 2018

We had well in excess of 420 student-led conferences. Thanks to all our whanau for supporting this and showing an interest in finding out about your child's learning. We are so lucky to have such great support for our school and students.

FRIDAY MUFTI-DAY

There will be a Mufti-day tomorrow for all students in support of Deaf Awareness. This has been organised by the GMS Student Council who agreed to hold this. Gold coin donation if you come in mufti!!! If you want to support this even more think about wearing blue or purple which are the recognised colours.

GIVE IT BACK FOR GMS – BINGO FUNDRAISER

On Tuesday all students received a holiday challenge sheet 'BINGO' fundraiser. Dig it out of the bags if you can! If your child has lost it you are able to download and print from our school website, or ask at the office.

Prizes galore for participants including two draws for any students who raise \$15 or more.

What is the money going towards???? A covered astroturf court is our aim.

- able to be used at night
- an assembly area for our entire school under cover in all weather
- allowing quality practice facilities for our basketball, hockey and netball teams
- drop down sides for shelter
- hireable for community groups



What an asset this would be!!!



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ASSEMBLY – FRIDAY 6 JULY

This will be held at 2.15pm.

PTA QUIZ NIGHT FRIDAY 10 AUGUST 2018

Tickets are now on sale for the annual GMS PTA Quiz evening. Available from the school office.

SAD NEWS

We have been informed that Ms Kim Davidson has accepted a position teaching English at Napier Girls High School. Kim has been a wonderful asset to our school teaching in the senior school and creating a wonderful learning environment. Her dedication and commitment are always evident. Kim has also made an immense contribution to nurturing the arts in our school since she commenced with us in 2015.

Kim will finish with us on 17 August. We will have details on her replacement at the start of the new term.

SPORTS SHIRTS

If you have a sports shirt and you are not playing a sport next term, please return your shirt (washed), tomorrow, to the school office.

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Check the school mobile phone app or www.gms.school.nz website for more details:

6 July	Last day of Term
23 July	Term 3 Starts
10 August	PTA Quiz: Taradale Town Hall

Please check the school website or school app for times and event venues

Have a great holiday break.

Ka kite ano,

Mark Johnson
Principal



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