

ASHGROVE PTA NEWS

Term 3 2021

Growing Together for Success



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Thank You Morning Tea for Teachers

Lockdown was certainly 'up and down' - for all of us! Again we faced suddenly having to coordinate our children's school work along with the usual daily things - and I think we all experienced frustration at some point! During this time, it really shone through how much our teachers cared, by the messages coming through each day regarding their lessons, to the daily video from Mr V which had many of our tamariki in fits of laughter! It is this extra effort and additional care that really creates the feeling of belonging and well-being not only for the students, but also our Ashgrove families. The PTA decided it would be a nice idea to treat all the staff of our wonderful school to a lovely morning tea to say thank you. On Friday 24th September in the staffroom they all got to sit down and enjoy delicious food and take a well-earned break, albeit for only 20 minutes! So thank you again to all the amazing staff, from all the parents, caregivers and students of Ashgrove!



Remember - Ashgrove Quiz Night, Wednesday 27th October!

Our annual quiz night will now be held on Wednesday 27th October at 7pm at the Rangiora RSA. This is such a fun night and a great opportunity to meet other parents while supporting fundraising for our school. Local businesses have been fantastic - donating prizes for us even during these trying times. Please invite friends, book your table and come along to test your knowledge. Our very own Mr V will be the MC for the evening!

There will be great spot prizes and raffles so bring cash on the night.

Tickets available on Eventbrite, max 6 per team.

Details of how to book are on our [Facebook Page](#)

Santa's Grotto Cancelled - But save the date for family fun!

It is with sadness that we announce that Santa's Grotto will be put on hold for this year. There has been much deliberation about this, but due to the ongoing unpredictability of Covid 19, it is the only choice we have. This means we will just have to plan a bigger and better one next year, when the world is hopefully back to a much more normal way of life. **But fear not!** We are determined to put some family fun into our school towards the end of the year so keep that date free (**Friday 3rd December**) as we are arranging a fun and relaxed family picnic at school, so all of our whanau can enjoy a pre-Christmas celebration together - stay tuned for details! Any ideas and contribution to the PTA are always welcome, as is anyone who would like to come along to a meeting and get involved even in a small way.



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ASHGROVE SCHOOL PTA

QUIZ NIGHT

• RAFFLES • SPOT PRIZES

NEW DATE

OCTOBER 27TH 7.00PM	RANGIORA RSA
	TICKETS \$10 Max 6 per table

• **TICKETS AVAILABLE AT:** •

• ashgroveschoolquiz.eventbrite.co.nz •

Kia kaha tātou ki te ako, kia tau te
 rangimārie i roto i tēnei kura o tātou i tēnei wā
*Let us gain strength in our learning and let peace
 settle in our school at this time*



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