

## PARKING OUTSIDE THE SCHOOL

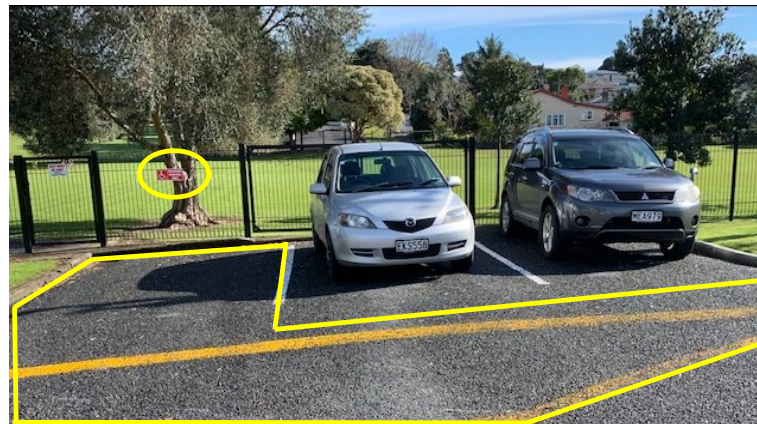
Police are aware of the parking complaints outside the Dargaville Primary School affecting our special needs students. These parking spaces are there for the special needs students and their parents to enable them to safely enter and exit the school grounds. Police are concerned that able bodied parents and students are causing stress to these families by deliberately using these allocated parking spaces themselves or blocking this area by double parking on the broken or solid yellow lines. The Police have given the school an opportunity to speak to parents through the school newsletter and have posted photos of these parking areas before any Police intervention takes place. However if the trend continues then the Police will take whatever action they deem necessary and appropriate in the circumstances to make the affected area a safe passage for those students and parents attempting to enter and exit the school.

The Police advise that the parking offences and fines payable that maybe issued to parents are as follows:

P107 – Parked on a broken yellow line - \$60.00 fine.

P113 – Double parked - \$60.00 fine.

P117 – Inconsiderately parked - \$60.00 fine.



### FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Tēnā koutou, Talofa, Kia orana, Hallo, Namastē,  
Kamusta ka yung lahat

Ko Tokatoka tōku Maunga  
Ko Wairoa tōku awa  
Ko Kaipara tōku whanga  
Ko Rod Collins tōku pāpā  
Ki te taha ki tōkū mama, ko Peter Jones tōku  
koro, ko Nancy Jones tōku kuia  
Ko Bronwyn Collins tōku mama  
Ko Jade Waisanen tōku whaiāipo  
Tokorua āku tamāhine  
Kei Ripiro tōku kāinga noho

Noreira, tēnā koutou, tēnā koutou, tēnā koutou  
katoa

It is a great privilege to have this opportunity to introduce myself to the Dargaville Primary community. My name is Curtis Gaylor and I am your new principal. I am very proud to call myself a Dargavillian. I completed all of my schooling in Dargaville before I left for about 10 years to study, work and travel. I have spent the previous 11 years in education within the Kaipara area (Dargaville Intermediate School, Dargaville High School and Ruawai Primary School). I have an amazing fiancé (9 years engaged, probably need to think about a wedding day...), Jade, who is the mother of our 2 rascal daughters, Madison and Zoe. I am very driven to ensure that our Dargaville children are provided with the very best opportunities and experience that can be offered. Dargaville Primary already has a history of achieving exceptional things for its students and community. This is because of the strong leadership that has guided the school and the extremely dedicated and committed team of teachers and support staff that have worked tirelessly for their students. I would also like to take this opportunity to welcome our new students and whānau to

Dargaville Primary. We also have 3 new teachers who are also starting this journey alongside me; Mrs Namburi in Room 13, Mrs Forbes in Room 8 and Mrs Phillips in Room 5.

I am looking forward to meeting you all, so please feel free to call the school and arrange a time that works for you to meet with me.

Ngā mihi nui

Curtis Gaylor  
Tumuaki



### READING TOGETHER WORKSHOP

This year DPS is again providing for parents the 'Reading Together' programme. Parents will commit themselves to 4 workshops. The aim of Reading Together is to help parents support their children's reading at home more effectively by sharing strategies to help them. These workshops will be starting in the near future and we only have limited spaces, so please return your invitation promptly to secure a place. Thanks.  
*Judy Harding and Sallyanne Purdon.*  
Workshop Leaders.

### Just a reminder

If you enter school grounds during school hours could you please make sure the gates are closed as you enter and leave. This is important for the safety of all students. Thanks.



## COMING EVENTS

### SELWYN PARK & DPS SPORTS CHALLENGE

Friday 9 August

At Dargaville Primary School

The annual sport challenge which was postponed at the end of the last term is now being held on Friday 9 August.

The Timetable of the days events are :

**11.00am** Selwyn Park arrive-Welcome  
**11.30am** Year 3/4 Netball  
**12.00pm** Rugby  
**12.20pm** Year 5/6 Netball  
**1.00pm** Games Finish  
**2.00pm** Selwyn Park depart.

### DPS AGRICULTURAL DAY SHOW DAY

Friday 1 November

There will be **NO** calves again this year. Lambs and goats must be born between 1 July and 15 September 2019.

All school cups are to be returned to the school office and Central Day cups are to be returned to Megan Browning at PGG Wrightsons.

The NW Central Day will be held on Wednesday, 6 November.

Rules and registration forms will be sent out in the near future.



### NITS-HEAD LICE

There appears to be a number of children with head lice. It takes a team effort to get rid of the ever so keen kutu. Please check your child's hair and treat them if required.

The school office has a limited number of nit treatments, if you require some. You can also obtain a head lice treatment on prescription, free through your doctor.

### LIBRARY NEWS

Lucky Book orders close **7 August**



## COMMUNITY EVENTS

### Northern Wairoa Rugby Draw SATURDAY 3<sup>rd</sup> August 2019

#### Round 11

##### JMB

##### Mini Midgets – 9.30am

|                                |      |                   |
|--------------------------------|------|-------------------|
| Southern Black vs Ruawai Black | F 2A | Ref – Southern    |
| WS Black vs Paparoa            | F 2B | Ref – Paparoa     |
| WS Blue vs Selwyn Park         | F 2C | Ref – Selwyn Park |
| Kaihu vs Southern Red          | F 3A | Ref – Southern    |

##### Bye Ruawai White

##### Under 9's – 10.15am –

|                             |      |                   |
|-----------------------------|------|-------------------|
| Ruawai Black vs Selwyn Park | F 2A | Ref – Selwyn Park |
| Southern vs NW              | F 2B | Ref – Koby        |
| Ruawai White vs Kaihu       | F 2C | Ref – Kaihu       |

##### Bye Western Sharks

##### Under 11's –

|                                  |    |                |
|----------------------------------|----|----------------|
| 9.30am Southern vs Kaihu         | F1 | Ref – Southern |
| 10.30am Western Sharks vs Ruawai | F1 | Ref – WS       |

##### Under 13's –

|                            |                      |
|----------------------------|----------------------|
| 1pm NW Black vs Mangakahia | @ Mangakahia Field 1 |
| 10.15am NW Gold vs Marist  | @ Kensington K11     |

##### Under 14's –

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|--|--------------|
| 10am Northern Wairoa vs Otamatea Hawks | @ Kaiwaka F1 |
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##### Duty Team – Western Sharks

WS Minis set up, please be at rugby park at **8.30am**  
 WS U11s clean up at end of game.

**WHAT IS SCOUTS SCARF DAY?**  
 This is a day when our Scouts are allowed to wear their scarves to school, sports or even shopping to help advertise Scouts. They take a photo wherever they are wearing their scarf and earn a badge for doing so, these badges are then sewn on to their scout uniform shirt.

**WHAT IS SCOUTING?**  
 SCOUTS is all about fun, challenges and adventure. We are New Zealand's biggest mixed youth organisation. We change lives by offering 6 to 26 year olds fun and challenging activities, unique experiences, everyday adventure, and the chance to help others so that we can make a positive impact on our communities. SCOUTS helps children and young adults reach their full potential. They develop skills including teamwork, time management, leadership, initiative, planning, communication, self motivation, cultural awareness and commitment. Contact: Dianne McEwing 021 124 3005 KEAS/ School Years 1 -3 CUBS/School Years 4-6

**SCOUTS: Don't forget to wear your scarves to school on Thursday 1 August!**

### POWHIRI / WELCOME FOR CURTIS GAYLOR



The BOT would like to extend a huge thank you to Ruawai Primary, their parents and caregivers who accompanied Curtis to his powhiri/welcome on the 22 July to begin his role as our new Principal. It was sincerely appreciated, and nice to meet everyone.

A very special thank you to the Dargaville High School students, their staff and Kaumatua Haki who assisted us with the Powhiri on the day, we were truly grateful. Our own DPS students need to be acknowledged for the manner in which they conducted themselves with mana -pride and respect towards our manuhiri/visitors on the day. The efforts of our staff, parents and caregivers and especially the PTA members, for their time is always valued on occasions such as this.

Once again a big thank you to one and all.

Your Board of Trustees  
 Tracey, Helena, Andrew, Rueben, Stephanie and Brian

### DPS GARDEN CLUB



### POTTED SPRING BULBS FOR SALE

Our garden club members and parent supporters have been busy potting bulbs.

They will be selling these outside the office this Monday (5 August) 2:15pm onwards.

Pots range from \$2 to \$5 each.

They also have a \$100 raffle, tickets can be brought at the school office for \$2 each. (Funds raised will be used to buy compost, materials, etc for the students)

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### 31-7-2019 NEWSLETTER RETURN

Students Name:

Room:

Parents signature:

I have read the DPS Newsletter.

House: