



Te Kura o Otari  
Otari School

# News

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Kia ora koutou

Thank you, parents for your attendance at the parent interviews last week. Teachers felt they were very successful and liked finishing earlier. However, we are looking at trialling another option next year, which would involve two days over two weeks (Monday & Tuesday one week and Wednesday & Thursday the following week). Any constructive feedback is appreciated.

**Life Education Trust** - Charlotte and Harold from the Life Education Trust are here for the week. All children will visit with Charlotte and Harold. **The cost for this is \$4.00 per student.**

**Book Orders** - Our apologies for the long wait for the books. Scholastic have advised that they have been overwhelmed with the huge number of orders this month. Otari orders should be here within the next week.

*Presenting Otari School's Production of*

## *The Pied Piper*

*A children's musical by Ruth Kenward and Nick Perrin*

**7pm** Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup>, Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> September

**11am** Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> September

*Seat bookings and tickets available at Otari School Office. \$5 each or \$20 per family. Door-sales only if seats available.*



**Yummy Apple Stickers** - Please continue to collect the stickers and cut outs from Yummy plastic bags.

***Te Taonga Horomata: Tu Rangatira. Our virtue is Dignity***

*Dignity is a sense of worthiness and respect. It comes from remembering who we truly are and our purpose for being. When we are mindful of our own dignity, we hold ourselves with self-esteem, respect and simple confidence, We move and speak in a graceful manner.*

**Upcoming Events Calendar:**

<b>Activity</b>	<b>Who's Involved</b>	<b>Date &amp; Time</b>	<b>Cost</b>
School Panto - The Pied Piper	Everyone	15,16,17 September	\$5/\$20
St Brigid's Kapa Haka Festival	Everyone	Sat 19 Sept	

Have a great week everyone.

Ngā mihi nui  
Clifford

"Work is about more than making a living as vital as that is. It's fundamental to human dignity, to our sense of self-worth as useful, independent, free people.  
William J Clinton

**Notices sent home recently: Nil**

**Community Notices:** (Please note these notices are passed on to us and are not necessarily an endorsement)

**Staglands Flash Us Your Whio** - For \$10 entry into Staglands. We are celebrating the launch of our flash new walk-through whio aviary with \$10 entry for everyone! 12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup> September only. See website for details [www.staglands.co.nz](http://www.staglands.co.nz). Walk-through their exciting new aviary and meet the resident whio, kakariki and kereru in this wonderful recreation of their natural habitat. There will also be lots of fun whio activities to enjoy including blue duck river races (of the rubber variety!) with some great prizes up for grabs plus ranger talks about this iconic NZ duck. Find out more at [www.staglands.co.nz](http://www.staglands.co.nz).

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**Life Education Visit**

Child/ren Name \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ I enclose \$4.00

\_\_\_ Please deduct \$4.00 from my Activity Account

Signed \_\_\_\_\_