



# CORNWALL PARK DISTRICT SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents and Friends of the School.

Welcome back everyone, especially new families to Cornwall Park School. The weather has been so magnificent, over the Easter break and the last week of the school holidays, that I can only hope that families were able to take advantage of this Indian summer and get away for a few days R&R. Are we all ready to return to school and really get stuck into our studies and set some goals, both academically and extramurally, that will motivate us to work hard? I hope so. I will be expecting all students to have this as their motivation and parents can play their part by helping their children work out some priorities as far as learning goes.

## **New Staff**

Just a reminder that we have three new staff starting this term:-

Mrs Leilah Cooper in Room 30

Ms Caroline Bailey in Room 28

Miss Victoria Walsh in Room 9

Do make these people feel welcome at Cornwall Park School. Starting in Term 3 is Janine Irvine, your new Principal.

## **Blessing of New Building**

Shane Moser and Alicia Whata arranged a lovely ceremony, scheduled to coincide with the start of Term 2. Alicia invited Urania and Pat Peita to come and perform the blessing ceremony and we had the students, who are going to be occupying the rooms, attend as well. A very pleasant and meaningful occasion for everyone.

## **Opening Celebration of the New Teaching Block**

This will take place Thursday 29 April from 5.30pm-7.00pm. Nigel Boswell, our Board of Trustees' Chairperson will officiate. The Community is welcome to attend. For everyone's benefit the ground floor will have two classrooms, Rm 28 and Rm 30, with a shared art foyer separating the two rooms. Our brand new New Entrants will occupy these rooms. Upstairs, there will be Rm 12 and Rm 13 and these will be occupied by Year 6 students. The teachers will be Erin Hooper and Andrew Elvidge. They too have a shared art foyer between their rooms.

## **Board of Trustee Elections**

A final reminder - nominations must be in at the school office, by **12.00 noon on Friday 23 April 2010**.

## **Meet the Candidates for the BOT Elections**

An evening has been arranged for the community to come along and meet the Candidates for the Board of Trustees elections to be held on 7 May 2010. This meeting will directly follow on from the official opening of the new building on Thursday 29 April. The "Meet the Candidates" event will begin at 7.30pm in the school staff room.

John Davies, Acting Principal