

*Reminders and dates for your Diaries:*

**Last Day of Term : Friday 12th April.**

**First Day of Term 2: Monday 29th April.**

**Changed Address or Phone Number: Please make sure we have your correct details - in case of emergencies.**

**Thank you.**

**Dental Clinic : The Buckland Road dental clinic is open. Phone: 442-7208 for an appointment.**

**Student Absences**: Please inform the office of any student absences – Ph: (09) 2756224 or email: [office@robertson.school.nz](mailto:office@robertson.school.nz).

**Newsletter via Email:**

Not getting the school newsletter home? Please send an email to : [office@robertson.school.nz](mailto:office@robertson.school.nz) and we will make sure you get this electronically. Some addresses are bouncing back – please update the office if your email has changed or you are not receiving them. Thank you.

**BOT Elections**: BOT elections are happening in June this year. Please have a think about whether you would like to be a part of our School Board. More information to follow.

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*19th March 2019*

Kia ora, Talofa, Malo e lelei, Faka alofa lahi atu, Nisa Bula vinaka, Taloha Ni, Namaste, Aloha, Salaam alaikum, Kia orana

It was an appalling tragedy for the families and friends of the 50 children, men and women killed on Friday the 15<sup>th</sup> March. Our thoughts are with the people of Christchurch during this tragic time, and in particular with the children and families of the Muslim community.

An assembly was held on Monday to focus on the well-being of students and staff. This week is a time to pause and to grieve, but we will not allow the attacks to undermine teaching and learning for our children. These events only make us more committed to standing up for the values of tolerance, respect, diversity and democracy at the heart of Robertson Road School education.

**Paid Union Meetings have been postponed due to the tragic event in Christchurch. School will be open normal hours.**

Nga mihi nui

**Ravi Naidoo**  
**Principal/Tumuaki**

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## Staffing:

This term we say farewell to Mrs Antoinette Williams. Antoinette is our SENCO, ESOL co-ordinator. We welcome Desiree Camphor who starts in Term 2.

## Please Support Mana Kidz



Would you like to win a \$100 Prezzy Card?

Mana Kidz is a **free health service** this is provided to children at our school. Their aim is to ensure all our children are healthy. We would like to hear from parents and whanau on how we can improve the Mana Kidz service. Please go to the link below:

<http://tiny.cc/mkidz>

## School Closing Time:

School closes at 2.45pm. Please ensure your child/ren are picked up at this time. If you cannot be here by then perhaps you might look at them going to SKIDS. Too many students hanging around well after 3pm.

## School Fun-Run:

This is going to be held Week 2, Term 2, **Friday 10<sup>th</sup> May**. Booklets will be sent home soon.

## Strategic and Annual Plans:

We have had positive feedback from the Ministry of Education regarding our Strategic and Annual plans submitted to them.

## Swimming

Our Y3 to Y6 are lucky enough to get swimming lessons provided for them each year through Community Swim Group. This term our Y3 students have been going up to the Mangere Pools. Our Y4 to Y6 students will go next term.



## Assemblies

Have you been along to our School Assemblies? These are held on a Friday afternoon from 2.15pm. Juniors are one week, with Seniors the next week. This week will be the Seniors turn to run assembly.

