

18 May 2020

Kia ora Whanau

A huge welcome back to a large majority of our students today. A reminder that students are to be collected off site unless they have a medical issue which requires them to be collected from the school office. The weather has been fantastic which has allowed students to play outside in their designated areas and the school sounds alive once again.

We are excited that we will be having a school production later this year. The Lion King will be held in the first week of September and we hope to see a huge number of our Devon students involved, be it on stage, behind the scenes, making props and costumes, helping with the lighting etc. Auditions will be being held shortly and it is important that if your child is not currently attending school, but wishes to be involved, that they make contact with Miss Pene; <u>kpene@devonint.school.nz</u> If any parents would like to help out in any way with the production, can you also please contact Miss Pene.

Just a reminder to keep your child home if they are sick and to ring the absence line so we know where they are.

Enrichments - We have a variety of projects to choose from this year with all options reflecting our Attitude for Excellence theme of Academic, Sports, Service and the Arts, so there should be something for everyone. Due to the Covid19 pandemic we will only have one round of enrichments this year. We are hoping to have enrichments starting soon and running through into Term 3.

Students will be able to nominate their options in class this week. For those students who are still unable to attend school these option forms will be emailed out to you later in the week, we thank you in advance for a prompt response.

Nga mihi

Jenny Gellen