THE BOTANY BRIEF

An update from your PTA

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Jesters Pie Day 6th September

Order a selection of Jesters Pies via Kindo

No Uniform Day

13th September

\$2 via kindo, or cash on the day

School Disco – 17th November Save the date today!

PTA Meeting 9th October

Monday 9th October, 7pm in the staff room. Interested in coming? Please email pta@botanydowns.school.nz

> "Spring is nature's way of saying 'Let's party!

> > Robin Williams

He rau ringa e oti ai. Many hands make light work

Kia ora, thank you to everyone who supported our recent fundraisers. Sales of kitchen products raised \$326.40 and our bake sale hosted by our junior school raised a huge \$780. Thank you to those who stepped in to help and to everyone who provided baked goods and purchased some delicious treats too.

So far to date this year the PTA fundraising initiatives have raised over \$20k for our school. We couldn't do it without the support of the school community, so thank you all.

Our next meeting is on Monday 9th October at 7pm in the staff room. We always welcome new members so please get in touch if you are interested in joining.

Calendar Art – final orders

Did you miss the deadline for Calendar Art orders? We have been able to extend the deadline for a few extra days. Order now so you don't miss out. Orders close 10th September.

Thank you to everyone who has already placed an order, each purchase supports fundraising for our school. We anticipate orders to be ready for distribution early next term.

Follow these instructions to place your order online:

- 1. Go to www.kidsartworks.com
- 2. Use the Entrance Code: KZ791
- 3. Enter your child's room & name when prompted





Jesters Pie Day – Wednesday 6th September

Enjoy a pie for lunch. Pie purchases must be completed via Kindo before 11am on Tuesday 5th September.





No Uniform Day – Wednesday 13th September

Help raise money for the school and wear clothes of your choice. Donate \$2 via Kindo, or cash can be given to class teachers on the day.

Disco – Friday 17th November



Save the Date! The PTA are busy organising our school disco. This will be held in the evening of Friday 17th November in the school hall.

We will need support from the school community on the day, more details of how you can help will come home in a notice later this term.

Toilet Paper Fundraiser

We've had an influx of toilet paper orders so have managed to extend this fundraiser. Despite the rising cost of supermarket prices this toilet paper is still only \$50 for a box of 48 long rolls (96 standard rolls).

Get in quick before it's gone. 10% of your full purchase price goes straight to the school! Order now <u>www.myfundraiser.co.nz/support/botanydowns</u>

