

Community Committee

Making a difference



Hello to all the community of Red Beach School. Thank you once again for your ongoing support this term and 'Making a Difference' to Red Beach School. So far this term we have given **\$8000** to purchase more junior readers and maths books for the middle and senior school, **\$6000** to upgrade computers and **\$4000** to purchase picnic style outdoor seating.

Mothers Day Raffle

We were so excited about the mothers Day Raffle and were very confident that it was an amazing opportunity to really be able to offer 3 lucky mums some wonderful prizes. We have to mention the generous donations from Brianna from Hair Centre, Vanessa Gatman www.chickabella.co.nz and Antony Wentworth from Orewa Care Chemist. We were delighted to make \$5400 profit thank you to all of you that got behind and supported this. Proceeds were allocated towards outdoor seating, which we have actioned and hopefully when you return from your holidays you will see new picnic style bench seats for everyone to enjoy. Thank you to Shane Lodge – Service Engineers for your very generous services.

Trivia Night

This was a night that we wanted to take a step back from fundraising and just have a night for everyone to enjoy. The imaginative way that everyone dressed to the letter M was amazing. We had not anticipated the free entertainment provided by the MUNTERS but it certainly added a different dimension to the night. We can confidently say it was a night filled with fun and laughter. It blew me away how much worthless information some people have stored away just in case. Although this was not an official fundraiser we did make **\$1995** profit and this went towards the funding of the Literacy and Maths books.

Neon Disco

This was definitely a flashy night. With it being such a stormy night we were very impressed that we had **370** children through the door and the neon flashy things were very popular. Thank you to Neil Miller for being a wonderful DJ. We tried something different this year and opened up Motu-ora for parents to have a glass of wine, tea /coffee and something to eat (kindly supplied by GM5 helpers) Although not rushed off our feet we think next time with word of mouth that it will prove to be very popular. The money raised from the disco was **\$2715** which is going towards the computer upgrades to increase their speed and efficiency.



Support the school
Meet friends
Gain new skills
Have fun

Give me 5

Many hands make light work. Give me five lets you choose how and when you contribute to supporting the school. We ask you to donate a little of your time or skills. We are especially looking for help with the upcoming Reunion/Ball and Gala fundraising events. Register at www.giveme5.school.nz.

Coming Up in Term 3

20th Anniversary Celebrations

Fri Aug 28th - An evening for ex pupils, staff and Board of Trustee members. To register send your details to reunion@redbeach.school.nz

Sat Aug 29th - **Moulin Rouge Ball and Auction.** Featuring special guests Jonny and Barbara from Dancing with the Stars.

The school hall will be transformed into a Parisian Party for all to enjoy. This is going to be an amazing night of live entertainment, beautiful food, wine and a chance to get your dancing shoes on and dress up.

A live auction event will showcase 20 high value items, with silent auctions and mystery bags adding to the excitement.



So pencil in those dates and book your babysitters. Tickets for both events will be available in Term 3.

Have a happy and safe holiday.

Nic Falloon and the Community Committee