



Kia Ora Parents and Whānau,

On Saturday the 23rd of November (saver date Sunday the 24th of November) we will be running a Colour Run Carnival fundraiser at our school from 11:30 - 3:00 pm. This event will replace our Guy Fawkes fundraiser this year due to the work being completed at Pt Erin Park. There will be many exciting carnival stalls on offer on the day including delicious food, our annual jolly jars, amazing raffles, clothing stalls and of course the Colour Run.

Entry into this event is free, however if you would like to take part in the Colour Run there is a registration fee. Registrations can still be purchased via Kindo or at our school office. (Please note that any registrations purchased from now up until the event will not include a Colour Run t-shirt).

THIS EVENT IS STRICTLY ALCOHOL FREE & IS A CASH ONLY EVENT. There will be 2 eftpos machines at the event where you can get cash out, however we strongly recommend bringing cash for all of the stalls.

How can you help? Before the event

Classroom Stalls - Sign Up

This event is one of our biggest school fundraisers for the year. Every year, each classroom is allocated a stall to run on the evening. Over the next couple of days you will receive an email/Whatsapp message from your child's classroom parent liaison inviting you to sign up through a roster system. There will be a selection of 1 hour shifts available to opt into. If you are able to give up an hour of your time on the day to help at your classroom stall it would be much appreciated.

Jolly Jars

A child favourite! For those new to our school this year, your child will be given an eco-friendly (recycled plastic) jar to bring home. Alternatively you can use your own jar from home. The aim is to decorate the jar and fill it with treats. We call this a "Jolly Jar" Your child then brings their Jolly Jar back into school and hands it over to their classroom teacher. These Jolly Jars are a little treat that a child can purchase with their own pocket money at the event. The best judged Jolly Jar from each syndicate will be recognised at school. A great project to complete over the long weekend coming up.

Jolly Jar Specifications

Students can decorate inside and/or outside the jar. Make it eye-catching! However, the rule again this year is that the decorated jar is not to be any larger than approx. 20cm tall or 15cm wide/deep (any jars larger than this will not be judged.) The best jolly jar from each syndicate wins a pizza lunch for the creator & 3 friends!

All Jolly Jars need to be returned to your child's classroom teacher by Monday 18th November to be in to win!

Here are some example Jolly Jar ideas below



Here are some Jolly Jar ideas:

Candy/lollies, marbles, water balloons, hair clips/hair ties, lego, crayons/pencils, collectable cards, kids craft bits & bobs, matchbox cards, card games

Sweets & Treats for the Colour Run Carnival



The sweets and treats stand is very popular with kids and adults alike and we'd love your help in providing some delicious products to sell. We have cake boxes and cellophane bags available to collect in your child's classroom and/or the school office.

We are so appreciative of any and all donated sweet delicacies but from previous years experience the following are top sellers...

- Items that are easy to pick up and eat - brownies, cupcakes, individually portioned slices or the ever popular cookies!
- Bags of fudge or caramels (we have supplied some cellophane bags that will be in classrooms or the office for this purpose).
- Toffee apples. These are incredibly popular and always sell out within the first hour.
- Items suitable for adults that are easily handled - mini cheesecakes, slices, cupcakes etc.
- All those yummy things that kids and adults with a sweet tooth can't resist.
- Bought items are of course acceptable!

We are also after any cake stands or displays that we could use for the night. If you have anything suitable please send them along with your baking (named clearly so we can return them to you).

Please deliver your baking in a supplied cake box/cellophane bag or a container that is not precious, to the school office on the morning of Friday (22nd Nov) or alternately you can bring goodies directly to the Sweets & Treats Stall before 10:00 am on the day of the event.

Children's Market Stall

Do you have any **GOOD QUALITY, NEAR NEW** children's clothes, toys, games, dress-ups, etc that are no longer needed? If so we would love them for our Children's Market Stall. The children and parents really love this stall and are always on the lookout for a bargain. Please drop these items to the school office from today onwards.

Before & After the event

Any help with setting up and packing down on the day of the event is always really appreciated. Please contact Morgan Jurisich, mjurisich@ponsprim.school.nz if you can help in any way.

Colour Run Important Information

To ensure everyone has a fun and safe Colour Run experience, we will be staggering the start times for all participants based on year groups. Siblings and family members are of course welcome to run together! Please see the schedule below.

Colour Run - Running Schedule

Year 6: 1:00 pm - 1:10 pm

Year 5: 1:10 pm - 1:20 pm

Year 4: 1:20 pm - 1:30 pm

Year 3: 1:30 pm - 1:40 pm

Year 2: 1:40 pm - 1:50 pm

Year 0/1: 1:50 pm - 2:00 pm

What should we bring for the run?

Firstly, if you bought your tickets in time don't forget to wear your official Ponsonby Primary Colour Run Carnival T-Shirt! The shirts will be brought home by your child/children when they arrive from our supplier in the days leading up to the event.

If you make the most of your colour run experience then it should be pretty messy business, so we would also recommend bringing along a change of clothes for once you've finished your run.

Shoes are optional but also recommended as part of the colour run course will take you off school grounds.

Finally, we are going to be giving out prizes for the **best dressed**;

- Child
- Adult
- Family

So make sure you come dressed in your wackiest, wildest, most colourful gear (in addition to your official Ponsonby Primary Colour Run Carnival T-Shirt, of course!)



Stalls at the Colour Run Carnival

There will be many fantastic stalls on offer at the Colour Run Carnival. Please see below the list of stalls that will be at the event.

- Mr Rama's Chops
- American Hot Dogs
- PPS Dairy: Popcorn, ice creams, lolly bags & Vibe drinks
- Catroux Salads
- Sweets & Treats
- Chocolate Wheel
- Crystal stall
- Raffle stall
- Christmas Decorations
- Kids Market Stall
- Face Painting
- PPS Merch Stall collab with Sonnie
- Lorna Jane - womens activewear
- Year 5 Carnival stalls

Thank you so much for all of your support! We look forward to seeing you there!
Sanjay, Morgan & Arran

KIDS RAFFLE

- Lego Voucher \$500
- 2 x Micro Sprite Scooters
- Element Star Wars Skateboard
- Tech Deck
- Young Guns Skate School Voucher \$30
- Metallic Stunt Destroyer - remote control car
- Ponsonby Rugby Club 2025 membership fees for 1 player and a boots bag, rugby ball, rugby players shirt, polo and shorts
- Sonnies' voucher
- Vans voucher
- Lavie Tennis Academy 2 day pass



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ADULT RAFFLE

Andiamo Voucher - \$500
Samsung Phone
1 night stay for 2 at Movenpick Hotel
Auckland, including breakfast
Harris Tapper Voucher - \$300
3 x 2 Litre Boxes of Muse Wine Co
The Skinbar Voucher - \$500
2 x Servilles cut and colour \$300 value each
Davines hair pack \$600 value

HARRIS TAPPER



SERVILLES

FAMILY RAFFLE

- 2 night stay on Great Barrier Island - Medlands Beachfront family bach - sleeps 5
- Inflatable SUP paddle board
- 1 years supply of Ecoroll toilet paper for 1 family, valued at \$600
- Bunnings gardening pack
- Waitomo Top Cave family experience - 2 adults & 3 children
- 4 tickets to Tim Bray's The Santa Claus
- 4 tickets to Auckland FC Opening Game
- 4 Premier Courtside tickets to any NZ Breakers regular session home game 2025



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