

Parent Panui 19 February 2021

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A to Z Parent Information

Please find attached to this email a PDF version of an A to Z Parent Information guide. This is also available on the school website (where we will make additions and updates throughout the year). We are working on an A to Z of School Curriculum that will come out soon.

Camps

There are five classes out on camps next week- we wish them all a safe and happy experience.

Communications Survey

This is a [link](#) to a survey we would really appreciate you completing about school communications. Your response will help us to create a new communications plan for 2021 moving forward. Thank you to those who have already contributed to this.

Matuhi Street Playground

The council are upgrading the playground equipment at the park adjacent to the school. Please take a moment to view the proposal and have your say by voting. The community consultation will close on 28 February 2021 – haveyoursay.huttcity.govt.nz/matuhiplayground

Situations Vacant

Grounds-person

We are looking for a Grounds-person for 12 hours a week, duties include weed-eating, leaf blowing, gutter clearing and light pruning work. Days and times worked are open for discussion

however we will need to establish a fixed work schedule with the successful applicant. Please apply to brett@raphaelhouse.school.nz for hourly rate and further information.

SEDT vacancy

Steiner Education Development Trust (SEDT) is seeking a person for the position of General Manager reporting to the Board.

SEDT manages the New Zealand Certificate of Steiner Education (CSE) which is delivered internationally. The position, which could be New Zealand or Australia based, requires some awareness of Steiner Waldorf Education but especially general management, entrepreneurial, financial, IT and marketing skills together who has good communication and people management to direct a small NZ-based and international team. This team of highly skilled professionals works remotely and is involved in delivering the certificate to a growing number of schools in New Zealand, Australia and the Northern Hemisphere.

This is an opportunity to work with a highly motivated team dedicated to making this unique secondary school qualification available right across the Steiner Waldorf Education world.

Applications close on 15 March 2021

For a full position description and expressions of interest please contact Glen Saunders
Director and General Manager
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Spotlight on a Staff Member

Every week we are going to spotlight a different staff member. This week our focus is on Marcelly in our reception office.

“I came from Brazil with my partner and two kids almost 5 years ago. The kids were attending a Steiner school back in Brazil, so Raphael House fitted in our lives as an extension of the community and support we used to have. I worked at Raphael House as a teacher aid in 2019 and 2020 and now I enjoy the balance between having contact with the whole community (students and parents) combined with some administration work in my role as Receptionist. You will find me in the Office at the entrance to the school, please do pop in and say hello!”

Reminder - Student ID Cards

A reminder that the cut-off date to order student ID cards at the reduced price is Friday 26 February. Cards will still be available to order beyond this date with a \$5 price increase. This is due to a bulk order being placed. Please place your order on KINDO.

Have a great weekend everyone.

Ngā mihi

Karyn, Grant, Irene and Katie on behalf of all kaimahi