



# FARM COVE INTERMEDIATE

21 June 2017

Dear Parent and Guardians

At the end of Term 2 we farewell Louise Conolly our Area 3 Homegroup 2 teacher. Louise has been at Farm Cove for 14 ½ years and will be taking up a teaching role at Somerville Intermediate School.

Louise has been heavily involved in FCI's literacy programme and school productions over the years, and more recently was the school's staff representative of the Board of Trustees. We thank Louise for enthusiastic approach to all that she does and her true commitment to all students. She has been a valued member of staff and we wish her all the best as she moves on to her new position.

The Board of Trustees is very pleased to announce that we have appointed a new member of staff, Mrs Lauren Glass. I'm sure you will join with me in welcoming Lauren to Farm Cove Intermediate.

In other exciting news, we are pleased to announce that from the start of Term 3 we will be introducing a new, innovative specialist programme by way of Te Whare Ako which will specialise in te reo and tikanga Maori. Our meeting room has been allocated to accommodate this programme which will be led by Mr Lewis Anderson. Lewis is fluent in te reo and many will know him from the wonderful work he has done with our Kapa Haka group. We congratulate Lewis on his new role in the school.

In releasing Lewis from his teaching role in Area 1, we are pleased to tell you that we have appointed Lisa Macmillan to Area 1 Homegroup 4. Welcome to Lisa, who joins us from Papatoetoe Intermediate.

Both Lauren and Lisa will commence on 3 July.

Yours faithfully

**Linda Harvie**  
**Principal**