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Randwick School Newsletter Wednesday 5th August -

Kia Ora, Talofa, Malo e lelei, Kamusta, Malo ni, Kia orana, Ní hao 你好, Namaste, Ní sa bula, Chào, Vanakkam, Hola!, Greetings!

From The Principal

Kia orana

The fun continues for our students with lots of trips and events. Yesterday a group of our students continued the Box Fit programme with the instructors from Wainui Strong, Te Rangi Tako went to Te Papa for a Digi Tech workshop and a group of students represented the school at the South West Zone Cross Country competition. Tomorrow Te Awa will be going to Te Papa for their Digi Tech workshop.

This week is Cook Island Language Week. Please see below for a few phrases to learn and try.

Congratulations to Danna, Sebastian T, Jahlana, Adam, Kyra, Finn, Tun Sein, Carlos, Halo, Daniel P, Ethan W, Malachi, Thomasin, Sophie and Aldo who all represented the school at the South West Zone Cross Country and did us very proud. Special thanks to Joy, Lina and Jayden for taking this group; without your help the students couldn't have attended.

There is NO SCHOOL THIS FRIDAY because we have a Staff Only Day. We understand that this might be disruptive for some whānau who are working and had to take time off work during lock down. JittaBugz will be operating for any students that require supervision next Friday but we need to know numbers so please complete the form below. Only whānau who complete the form will be allowed to attend JittaBugz. These children have been sent home a paper permission form for JittaBugz to take these students off site on Friday. This needs to be returned to school tomorrow for them to be able to attend.

A big thank you to the Moera Community House who have donated a number of woollen products for our children to keep them warm over winter. We are really grateful for your ongoing support of the school.

We are currently planning our EOTC and camp week programmes and will be sending further information about this soon.

The dental van will be at school until Thursday and all students should have their teeth checked during this time. If you have any dental concerns about your children's teeth please let us know.

If you have a 4 year old due to start school this year or you have friends and / or whānau with 4 year olds starting at Randwick this year, please let us know in the office so that we can enrol your child and set up school visits.

We have set up a kai, health products and clothing pantry outside the library for families to take items that you may need in the home. We ask that you only take things that you need and just take one or two items so that there is plenty for everyone. We would also like to encourage people to donate items to the pantry for others to take.

Thank you to everyone that attended Learning Conversations last term. These are really important meetings and we expect all families to attend so we will be in touch to catch up on meetings if you weren't able to attend last week.

Both Te Kakano and Kokiri marae have food parcels available for whānau in the Moera area. You can call Kokiri to organise a kai parcel on 0800 565474 or you can contact Hine at Te Kakano to arrange picking up food from the marae by email or phone - enih@xtra.co.nz (<mailto:enih@xtra.co.nz>) or calling her on 04 568 3885.

A reminder that we are a Water Only school. Please do not send other drinks along to school. We are also a healthy school so takeaways are not permitted. Please also remind your children that lollies and chewing / bubble gum are not allowed at school.

Kapa Haka is happening every Monday afternoon from 2.00-3.00pm for all students. The seniors are from 2.00-2.40 and the juniors from 2.40-3.00pm.

There is a sausage sizzle this week so please send along \$2 with your child and give it to the classroom teacher before morning tea on Thursday. All money raised from the sausage sizzle goes into our sports scholarship fund to support students to play sport for the school.

The JittaBugz van is available to pick students up from Naenae Primary hall at 8.10am and BP Waiwhetu about 8.30am. If you would like a ride you just need to sign a permission form in the office and then use the van when you need to.

Assembly is now back to being every second Friday and the next assembly is Friday 14th August. Whānau are very welcome to attend. The children love seeing you there and especially love it when you wear your house colours to earn points.

Please call in for a chat if you have any concerns or just for a catch up.

Ngā mihi
Simonne

In Good all



Moera Knitting Group

Here are a sample of the knitted items that our students received from the Moera Community House Knitting Group. They are all so snug and warm.



Cross Country Results

Last week we had our school Cross Country competition and it was great to see all of the students get involved. There were some great races and an impressive turn out of whānau so thanks everyone for making it a special day. Below are the results for our top 3 place getters in each division.

Year		1st	2nd	3rd
Year 0-2	Girls	Aaliyah	Arabella	Jorisha
	Boys	Ethan	Juan	<u>Fa'ataui</u>
Year 3	Girls	Esther	Sahra	Letty
	Boys	Thomas	William	Daniel
Year 4	Girls	Thomasin	Sangi	Sophie
	Boys	Ethan	Aldo	Malachi
Year 5	Girls	Ruby	Makayla	Winnie
	Boys	Daniel	Jaden	Carlos
Year 6	Girls	Halo	Lilyana	Lahshayda
	Boys	Edward	Thomas	Xavier
Year 7	Girls	Danna	Lal Ram	Kyrah
	Boys	Sebastian T	Nigel	Kaelyn
Year 8	Girls	Ashontay	Jahlena	<u>Yizney</u>
	Boys	Adam	Tun Sein	Finn

Te Rangi Tako Digi Tech Trip to Te Papa

Te Rangi Tako had a great time at Te Papa trying out new apps and equipment. Yet again, this was another free trip for our students.



Te Reo Phrases

Each week Whaea Tania teaches the staff new Te Reo phrases which I will share in the newsletter so that you can learn at home too. This week match the Māori word with the correct English word for each group.

Tinana -body

māhunga	ringaringa	waewae
hands	feet	head

Kākahu - clothes

hū	tōkena	kākahu moe	pōtae
pyjamas	hat	socks	shoes

Tangata - people

tumuaki	kaiāwhina kaiako	kaiwhakahaere tari	kaitiaki
caretaker	principal	office manager	teacher aide

Tangata – people

akonga	kaimahi	kaiako
staff	student	teacher

Tangata - people

mātua	whānau	ngā hoa
family	friends	parents

Ngā Wāhi–locations

wharepaku	hōro	tari
hall	office	toilet

Ngā Wāhi–locations

papa tākaro	kainga	akongamanga
home	classroom	playground

Ngā mea - objects

pene rākau	pēne	pēke	peita
bag	paint	pencil	pen

Ngā mea -objects

rorohiko	tūru	tēpu	papamā
computer	whiteboard	table	chair

KEY MESSAGES

Wash hand for at least 20 seconds with water and soap And dry them thoroughly:

- Before eating or handling food
- After using the toilet
- After coughing, sneezing, blowing your nose or wiping children's noses
- After caring for sick people

Why? To Kill the virus if it's on your hands

Cover coughs and sneezes with disposable tissues or clothing

Why? If you sneeze or cough into your hands, you may contaminate objects
Or people that you touch.

Stay away from others if you're unwell

Why? To stop the spread of infection to others.

COVID-19

Coronavirus



Help protect yourself and
Your whanau with simple tips like
washing and drying your hands
thoroughly with soap
And water.

Your health is in your hands.

For more info and tips
On staying well visit
[Health.govt.nz/covid-19](https://www.health.govt.nz/covid-19)

Important Dates

IMPORTANT DATES		
29 th July to 6 th August	Dental Van visits	
7th August - Friday	Staff Only Day	School Closed
14 th August - Friday	School Assembly	9.00am
20 th August - Thursday	Adrenalin Forest –Trip	
21 st August - Friday	Celebration Assembly	9.00am
28 th August - Friday	School Assembly	9.00am
9 th September - Wed	Nearly 5 Club	9.00am
11 th September - Friday	School Assembly	9.00am
25 th September - Friday	Last day of School	

FREE SPORTS GEAR

Hutt City Council has started up a Sports Bank at Kokiri Marae. If you come to the office we can give you a card that you can take to the marae to get free sports gear that you might need. This is a great opportunity so please encourage your children to get active and help them by getting some free gear.

Randwick Pride Challenge and Pride Award

Congratulations to Te Rangi Tako won the Pride Award at our last assembly for showing pride in the school by doing a litter pick up to clean up our school.

It would be great to see more students and whānau connecting with the Pride Challenges and completing these together at home. Our curriculum concept at the moment is Sustainable Arts so have a go at creating an art piece that in some way reflects culture using used or recyclable materials.

You can see the challenges on this document - Randwick Pride Awards

(<https://docs.google.com/document/d/12Otf5eKTi4MOYLPppg3LZEzOF57E8Lkn4imdr88qVH8/edit>) and students can make up their own challenges. Here is the junior document with ideas for the younger students to try. Nga Pikopiko Pride Challenges Term 4

(<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1k9LEPExeHRfe47hoDiVbF62DxayksIz7Ph4J2D5Cmt0/edit>) Click on the link

and request access from Cherie Brown.

All need to be shared with me by 1.00pm Thursday before assembly for the points to be allocated to their houses. The points also get counted up for a winning class who win a prize.



For the safety of students please do NOT use the school driveway for picking up and dropping off your child/ren. Students can be dropped off at the pedestrian entrance gates to our school.



Principal Awards

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Congratulations to Kaelyn and Ruby who won the last Principal Awards. Kaelyn for confidence and great relationships and Ruby for positive relationships and a love of learning.

Learning Websites

Check out these great interactive learning activities at <https://www.wicked.org.nz/Interactives> (<https://www.wicked.org.nz/Interactives>)

Nits, Headlice Flyer

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DOGS

Reminder to all our whanau

We have a student who has a severe allergy to
dog fur/hair

As cute as your dog/s are, please do not bring them
onto the school grounds.



SICK CHILD

If your child has a
'tummy bug' please keep
them home for 48 hours after
the last episode of being sick.

This is a
recommendation from our
Public health Nurse.

ABSENT CHILD/REN

When you make contact with the school to advise your child/ren are away
please **always** give an explanation.

It is a requirement for the school to explain on each students record why they
are away, and unfortunately if you ring up to advise they are absent, but give
no explanation, then it is recorded as 'explained but not justified'.

If we have no contact from the absent students caregivers then the student is
marked as 'truant'.

All our attendance information is forwarded automatically to the Ministry of
Education

SPORTS UNIFORMS AMNESTY! If you have any sports uniforms to return such as bags, netball dresses, tops, skirts, shorts etc. can you please return them to the office or to Miss Williams in a named bag.

SCHOOL BOOKS AMNESTY. If you have any books that belong to Randwick School from the library or from the readers that get sent home, please return these to the office.

Student of the Week



J

is for joyful, and how you have an awesome talent of always looking on the bright side of things

A

is for adventurous, and how you are always on the go either doing something or helping someone

S

is for sincere, your sincere curiosity about most concepts and big ideas in our world

M

is for modest and how you never want to be in the spot light and how you have a warmth and kindness about when you deal with the people people around you

I

is for inventive and how you are full of creative solutions

N

is for the nice and pleasant way you encourage others to be the best they can and how you include everyone around you in an activity

E

is for enthusiasm, which comes through in your can do attitude and growth mindset where you know you can achieve anything if you work hard



Sports News

		TERM 3 DRAW			Randwick Bucks
		DATE	PLAYING	TIME	COURT
		Thursday 6th August	Naenae Thunder	5.40pm	WNS
		TERM 3 DRAW			RANDWICK FLYERS YEAR 5/6 -
		DATE	PLAYING	TIME	COURT
		Monday 10th August	Gracefield Starts	4.00pm	CT 7
		Monday 17th August	Te Aroha Juniors	4.45pm	WNS3
		Monday 24th August	SMS Shooters	4.00pm	CT 7



BEST WISHES THIS WEEK

Aldo, Edwin, Aiden and Semiti

NOTICE BOARD

FIRE EMERGENCY NEW ZEALAND

FREE HOME FIRE SAFETY VISITS

Fire and Emergency New Zealand offers these visits to help people make their homes fire safe for them and their families.

We are available to provide free information, can help install and test smoke alarms, or provide a free smoke alarm to those who are eligible.

Please let your networks know about this service.

For more information or to book a free visit, contact your local fire station or email: FENZwellington@fireandemergency.nz

WWW.FIREANDEMERCENCY.NZ

Public Health Nurse

Do you have questions related to your child's Health/ Just drop in to see our school public health nurse. Sophie is available on Tuesdays from 11am to 12noon. Please see the attached notice from Sophie. (/Media/Get/2d1e0642-c87a-4cbe-868d-6b0a55ab095b)  (/Media/Get/2d1e0642-c87a-4cbe-868d-6b0a55ab095b)

COMMUNITY SPORTS BANK

Your local Community Sports Bank has sports gear to get families active, get friends together and ease the effects of the last few months on everyone's mental health.

Community Sports Banks are a drop off point for unused or outgrown sports gear, and for that gear to be picked up and used by kids, teenagers and adults that would otherwise not be able to afford it. Sport poverty is a growing issue within our communities with three main barriers to sport participation; subs/fees, equipment costs, and transport. The aim of the Community Sports Banks is to reduce/eliminate the cost of equipment for those in need and by this, increase sport participation and get more people active.

We will drop in some Community Sport Bank cards soon. Please give these out to kids or whanau that might not otherwise be able to access sports gear, they can take the card to their local Community Sports Bank and get free sports gear (including new mouthguards).

I've also attached a small notice for your school newsletter to let students and whanau know about the sports bank and encourage sports gear to be dropped off.

Please also encourage students/parents to offer rides to neighbours or friends who might like to play a sport, but might not be able to get to games/trainings. There are often plenty of spare seats in cars. Some sports clubs also have a selection of second hand boots/gear for a small cost, to enable cheaper participation.

Your nearest Community Sports Bank is:

Kokiri Marae

7-9 Barnes Street

Seaview, Lower Hutt

Open Monday - Friday 8am-5pm

For more information, visit our facebook page:

www.facebook.com/CommunitySportsBank (<http://www.facebook.com/CommunitySportsBank>)

Community Sports Bank - Home | Facebook (<http://www.facebook.com/CommunitySportsBank>)

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Whats On at Moera Community House

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Mondays at the House

Weekly Senior cuppa and chat at 10.30 am to 11.30am

Weekly Board games at 1pm to 3pm

Weekly Lina Fit Flex exercise class at 6pm to 7pm

Tuesdays at the House Weekly Capital Seniors homecrafts and fellowship at 11am to 1pm

Weekly Sit Be Fit exercise class at 1.30 pm to 2.30pm

Thursdays at the Cottage (located behind house)

Weekly Knitting group at 10am to 11.45 am

Thursdays at the House

Weekly Sit Be Fit exercise class at 1.30 pm to 2.30pm

Fridays at Moera Community Hall

Ukulele Group at 1pm to 2.30pm

Friday at House

Weekly Lina Fit Flex exercise class at 6.30pm to 7.30pm

Starting back on Friday 8 February Craft group at 10.30am to 11.30am

Just to let you know that our exercises classes are starting again on Monday 10 August see details below. All classes are held at Moera Community House.

Please pass on to your networks.

Lina's Fit Flex

Mondays 6-7pm

Cost Gold Coin Donation

Low Impact from dance to stretch to Relaxation

Sit and Be Fit

Tuesdays 1.30 – 2.30pm

Cost: Gold Coin Donation

Seated exercises for all abilities

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Low impact from dance to stretch to relaxation.

Spec Savers

Kids go free at Spec Savers (/Media/Get/746cc192-f84b-4216-ae75-a5bb34b86aa2)



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SCHOOL CELLPHONE

027 5685621

Please only TXT to the school cellphone if your child is absent.

There is no longer the option to leave a message.

You can phone the school landline if you want to leave a message.

04 5685621



PHONE

Landline – 04 568 5621

Mobile – 027 568 5621 (txting only)



ABSENTEES

Please notify the school if your child is away. Don't forget to leave an explanation.

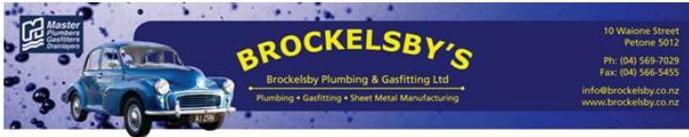
Phone 568 5621 or txt 027 568 5621



A big thank you to the Sai Community Group who have been supporting our school for many years.



We would like to thank Placemakers Hutt City for their very generous support



Thank you to Brockelsby's Plumbing & Gasfitting Ltd for their generous support of Milo and Sugar for the Breakfast Club

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