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Randwick School Newsletter No 17 - Wednesday 5th June 2019

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

## From The Principal

#### Talofa lava

I hope you all enjoyed the long weekend despite the wintery weather. The staff had a really productive day yesterday evaluating our charter goals, analysing data and planning Literacy and Maths programmes.

Last week we celebrated Samoan Language Week and Samoan Independence Day, Te Marama visited Moera Kindergarten and we had a visit from the Moera Community House knitter's group. This week is also very busy with Te Awa visiting Otago University in Wellington for a science workshop, Moera Kindergarten are visiting us for Discovery Time on Thursday and today we have another planning meeting for our Matariki hangi today in the library at 5.00pm.

A reminder that the school drive way is only for staff parking and for use for our Special Needs students. Please park on the road and not use the disability carpark unless you have a mobility card. We also ask that you don't open the gates up for our Special Needs students as they may end up unsupervised on the road.

Breakfast Club would like to operate 4 days a week, Monday to Thursday 8.15am-8.45am and is starting Monday service next week. It's a great opportunity for children and their whanau to sit down together and have breakfast and catch up with each other. If you are able to volunteer your time to help run Breakfast Club please let us know in the office.

The JittaBugz van is available to pick students up from Naenae Primary between 8.15-8.20am and from 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.

We also have Kids Can shoes and raincoats available for any students who need them to keep warm and dry over the winter months. Please see us in the office if you would like these.

This term we are opening up Te Wāhi Wātea which is a space in our library for our school community to come and chill out, chat with other whanau members, have a cup of tea or coffee, read a book or look at some of the Pride Challenge entries. We will also have a computer available to use between 9.00am - 3.30pm Monday to Friday in the school library and free access to our school wifi between 9.00am-5.00pm. The computer is set up for you to easily access SeeSaw and SignMee so that you can catch up on your children's learning and newsletters and information. Please come along any time to make use of this facility.

SeeSaw is an app that we use to share the students learning with you. Teachers and students can share text, photos and videos of what's happening at school with you during the day. Please download the app from Google Play or the App Store. We will be running some workshops after school over the next few weeks to help you get setup if you need help. Teachers all have instructions and a QR code for your child/ren but we can help out if necessary to get you signed up.

Here are the attendance figures for the year so far:

All - 89.65%

6th - Te Marama - 86.32%

5th - Nga Whetu - 89.62%

4th - Kowhai - 90.32%

3rd -Te Awa - 90.38%

2nd - Pohutukawa - 92.25%

1st - Te Rangi Tako - 92.58%

Title

Well done Te Rangi Tako who continue to lead the school for the whole year. Congratulations to Pohutukawa who won the trophy for the best attendance for the last 2 weeks of term.

Remember to be at school ALL DAY, EVERY DAY unless you have a justified absence.

Our next assembly is this Friday 7th June at 9.00am. Please come along to support your child/ren and win points for your families house team.

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

Ngā mihi Simonne

In Good all

A big thank you to the Moera Knitters Club for their amazing donation of knitted items. They produced a great range of scarves, gloves, slippers and hats and all students were given the opportunity to select items.



Following the attacks on the mosques in Christchurch in March the school came together to show our love and unity for all cultures by creating a Porowhita o te Kotahitanga - Circle of Unity. Whaea Tania's nephew Raurimu took the photo using a drone and Nico (Whaea's son) edited for us. A big thanks to all involved for this wonderful visual image of unity.



Our First Class Helpers are always busy organising events for the school. Jimmy and Adam have started up a lunch time Chess Club that is proving to be very popular. Great to see our young leaders taking on responsibility in the school and providing opportunities for others.

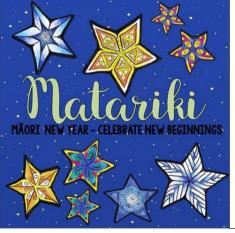


Te Marama visited Moera Kindergarten last week and really enjoyed catching up with the children and staff. Tomorrow we look forward to hosting the kindy for our Discovery Time.



# **Important Dates**

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Wed 5 <sup>th</sup> June	Matariki Planning Meeting	5.00pm
Thu 13 <sup>th</sup> June	Nearly 5 Club	9.30am
Thursday 20th June	Matariki Event	
Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> July	Last Day of Term	
Term 3		
Mon 22 <sup>nd</sup> July	Start of Term 3	
Wed 31st July	School Photos	



### Come and celebrate Matariki with Randwick School

We will be having our Community Hangi again this year

Thursday 20th June

Tickets – Adults \$10, Children - \$5.00, Family concessions

#### **Planning Meeting**

We will be having a planning meeting on 5<sup>th</sup> June at 5pm and would love it if you could join us.

### **HUTTFEST 2019**

Tuesday 2 July 6.00pm

Walter Nash Centre Taita.

Tickets are now on sale until Tuesday 25 June

\$5.00 per ticket (cash only)

We have a limited amount of tickets so please be in quick to buy your tickets from the school office.



#### 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.

Amnesty

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.

Randwick Pride Challenge and Pride Award The winner last week was Eshter for completing a huge amount of maths problems at home..

The winning class was Kowhai for the greatest number of entries into the Pride Challenge and Te Rangi Tako won the class award for showing the most pride in the school.

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

(https://docs.google.com/document/d/12Otf5eKTi4MOYLPppg3LZEzOFS7E8Lkn4imdR88qVH8/edit) and students can make up their own challenges. Here is the junior document with ideas for the younger students to try. Pride Challenges Term 2 Nga Pikopiko

(https://docs.google.com/document/d/1CUKpGB2UKTI58JxVp24jF3ZJJnPAFIr20qOsvsnePpM/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.

Learning Websites

As the winter months kick in it's a good time to check out some ways of keeping warm and saving energy and money on your power bill. Check out this website for some ideas. https://www.energywise.govt.nz/ (https://www.energywise.govt.nz/)



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** 

The Principal Awards at the last assembly went to Indie and Sjavey. Who will it be at next weeks assembly?





Student of the Week

Who will be our next student of the week. Wayne was the lucky student last week.







BASKETBALL TER	RM 2			
TEAM	DATE	PLAYING	TIME	COURT
Randwick Y7/8 Team		No update at this time		
Randwick Y5/6 Team		No update at this time		
Randwick Y3/4 Team	Monday 10th June	Boulcott Tigers	5.20pm	WNC4
Randwick Y3/4 Team	Monday 17th June	Naenae Warriors	4.55pm	WNC5

NETBALL
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TERM 2 DRAW	RANDWICK FERNS YEAR 5/6		
Monday 10 June	TAWKKM2-Whetu	5.30pm	Court 5
Monday 17 June	St Claudine 4 Magic	5.30pm	Court 1
Monday 24 June	Rata St - 3	4.00pm	Court 5
LAST WEEKS RESULT	S		
No game			



#### **BEST WISHES THIS WEEK**

Neruja and Ardazjay

# **NOTICE BOAR**

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/2d1e0642c87a-4cbe-868d-6b0a55ab095b)

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As many may have seen there have been cases of Measles in Dunedin, Christchurch, Rangiora and Auckland., although there are no known cases within the Wellington region.

Measles patients are infectious 5 days before and until 5 days after the rash appears, which means they can pass the disease on before they realise they are unwell.

Most people born in the 1970s and 1980s will have been offered one dose of measles vaccine as children. Those born from the 1990s onwards may have been offered two doses, if you are not sure how many doses you have had, talk to your doctor as the information may be in your medical records. If you cannot demonstrate immunity or have not had two doses, vaccination is recommended provided you have no contraindications (such as pregnancy).

For more details about Measles see attached at the bottom of the newsletter



A message from your school public health nurse Firstly, welcome back to the new school year. I hope you all had an enjoyable and restful holiday, and ready for a great year of learning and new experiences.

For those children who have asthma diagnosed by a doctor, it is important that your child has an Asthma Action Plan completed by your doctor and is shown to the school office, The school staff will take a copy and refer to this should your child suffer an asthma attack at school. It is also very important that the school have your child's prescribed inhalers and not be expired; expiry date can be checked by pulling out the canister from the inhaler and checking on the canister the date noted next to "Exp:".)

If you have any questions, please contact your school nurse, Sophie kyle, through the school office.

Naenae College Open Evening (/Media/Get/69ab225f-3a9b-40d0-bbc3-0a2a04b1e64e)

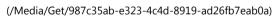


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Sacred Heart College 2020

**Enrolments** 

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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 HallUkulele 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

Moera Kai Pantry At Moera Kindergarten Moera Kai Pantry At Moera Kindergarten we have started a Kai Pantry. Please feel free to add any extra items you may have spare or take items that you are in need of. We have put this outside our gate so our wider community can partake too.

Nga Pikopiko Whanau

Check out the fun activities you can do with your family to earn house points, see below attachment for more details

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

School Hours

Please do not send your child/ren to school before 8.15am. Staff are often in meetings before school and are not available to supervise.

If you pick up your child after school daily, please make sure you let the school know if you are running late, particularly on a Friday. Staff often have meetings or appointments after school and are not available to watch students waiting to be picked up.



#### **PHONE**

Landline - 04 568 5621



#### **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



We recently received \$500 from 'thewarehouse' for participating in their Back to School Competition.

Miss Goodall has been busy buying new indoor games for all the classrooms.



We would like to thank
Infinity Foundation and Pelorus Trust
for their generous donation of
\$3000 each towards the purchase of our new
Sitech Science Trolley



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

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