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Randwick School Newsletter Wednesday 22nd July

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

From The Principal

Kia ora koutou

Welcome back to term three. I hope that you all had a relaxing and enjoyable break and enjoyed some quality family time. We have a very busy but exciting term ahead with lots of trips and events happening. Nga Pikopiko is visiting Carlucci Land in Island Bay this Friday, then our Year 7 & 8s have a trip to Staglands next week and in a few weeks time Nga Waekura are going to the Adrenaline Forest in Porirua. All of these trips are paid for by the school as part of our Fees Free programme.

We will be continuing with our Sustainable Arts concept for the next 4 weeks and then we will have a Celebration week where students will get to opt into a range of Arts based activities and then share their learning with whānau on Friday 21st August. There will be more information coming out about this over the next few weeks.

Tomorrow we are having a Matariki celebration at 1.00pm in the hall. All of the classes are making different soups and we are looking forward to whānau joining us for some shared kai. Thanks to everyone that has returned their forms to let us know that you are coming.

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.

At our end of term assembly we drew out 5 winners for Randwick Way prizes. Congratulations to Esther, Jahvana, Kahtel, Lili and Riveah who all won a selection of games or books. A special congratulations to Tyron who won a bike.

See below for the end of term class Randwick Way awards.

We also drew the raffles and lolly jar. The winners were:

Lolly Jar - Angela guessed 308 lollies and there were 309 so great maths skills.

Hurricanes rugby jersey - Tracey Meade

Easter raffle - Wendy Schollum

Virtual reality glasses - Aaron Funaki

Goodies Hamper - Sinead Te Kira

Thanks for supporting our school. We will have lots more raffles later in the year when we reschedule our Food Festival.

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.

Welcome to Arabella and Skyla who have just started in Te Marama and siblings Zion and Malachi who are in Te Awa and Pohutukawa. We are delighted to have you and your whānau join our school whānau.

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.

As the weather starts to get colder and wetter we want to make sure that the students are dry and warm. If you need Kids Can jackets or shoes please let us know. We have also given out some woollen hats, scarves, gloves and slippers this week so please encourage your children to wear these to school and look after them.

Please use our Te Wāhi Wātea space in the library. There are food and products that you can take if you need them and there is also free access to our school wifi. We would love to see more whānau coming in and spending time in the 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 starting next week on the 31st July. 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



BOARD OF TRUSTEES BY-ELECTION

Due to unforeseen circumstances we will be holding a By-Election for 5 parent representatives to the board of trustees.

A nomination form and a notice calling for nominations will be posted to all eligible voters during the school holidays.

You can nominate another person to stand as a candidate, or you can nominate yourself. Both parts of the form must be signed.

Additional nomination forms can be obtained from the school office in term 3.

Nominations close at noon on **5 August 2020** and may be accompanied by a signed candidate statement and photograph.

The voting roll will be open for inspection at the school and can be viewed during normal school hours in term 3.

There will also be a list of candidates' names, as they come to hand, for inspection at the school and on the school website.

Should we need an election because of receiving more than 5 nominations then voting closes at noon on 19th August 2020.

Signed Wendy Schollum
Returning Officer

Randwick Way End of Term Awards

Congratulations to the winners of our end of term awards. 2 students from each class were selected by their teachers for consistently showing the Randwick Way. It was really nice to see so many whānau attending to see your children receive their awards.

Te Awa	Josh Macrae	Lili Vaoga Faoato
Te Rangi Tako	Halo Cowan	Thomas Bui
Kowhai	Makayla Te Amo	Carlos Perez
Pohutukawa	Sangi Sani	Tyron Estella
Nga Whetu	Juan Mavesoy Perez	Tewheturangi-Mei
Te Marama	Jorisha Tamang	Edwin Vaoga Faoata

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		
23 rd July - Thursday	Mataraki Celebration	Shared Lunch
24 th July - Friday	School Wide Cross Country	
29 th July - Wednesday	School Photos	Week 2 back
29 th July to 7 August	Dental Van at school	
30 th July - Thursday	Yr 7&8 trip to Staglands	
5 th August - Wednesday	Nearly 5 Club	9.00
7 th August - Friday	Staff Only Day – School Closed	

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 Pohutukawa won the Pride Award at our last assembly for showing pride in themselves and the school. I will be cooking a sausage sizzle for them next Friday.

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/12Otf5eKTi4MOYLPppg3LZEzOFS7E8Lkn4imdR88qVH8/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/1k9LEPExeHRfe47hoDiVbF62Dxayksz7Ph4J2D5Cmt0/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 Halo and Tanisha who won the Principal Awards at the end of term assembly. Halo for resilience and perseverance and Tanisha for confidence and communication. Thanks for being such great role models to others.

Learning Websites

There are some very important referendums that we are all being asked to vote on at the upcoming elections. For everything you need to know go to <https://www.referendums.govt.nz/> (<https://www.referendums.govt.nz/>)

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.



Khaliana Warbrick-MacMillan

Khaliana is a respectful, kind, humble and diligent student who is a joy to teach.

Khaliana completed a lot of learning while at home and worked hard on all the tasks given to her. She did some beautiful drawings and read a lot of books.

Khaliana looks after our classroom. She is a superstar team member who always does more than what is expected.

She is enthusiastic about learning. Khaliana always does her best and takes great care in her amazing artwork.

Khaliana is an awesome participant in Moving Kids and Kapahaka.

Khaliana is a caring friend in the classroom and playground. Khaliana thinks about others' feelings and shows respect for all students and teachers.

Ms Koorey and Mrs Sime 8 July



NETBALL	TERM 2 DRAW	RANDWICK FLYERS YEAR 5/6 -		
	DATE	PLAYING	TIME	COURT
	Monday 27th July	OLRS White	4.00pm	WNS3
	Monday 3rd August	Rata St 1	4.45pm	Ct 9
	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

Ruby and Tala

NOTICE BOARD

HUTT VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL ENROLMENTS FOR 2021

Our Open Evening this year will be a virtual one - with a tour of the school and speakers. We are currently filming and putting this together and will have it available on our website in early June.

Enrolments will all be online and the link will be available on our website from 2 June. The application deadline for out of zone enrolments for Year 9 2021 is Monday 27 July.

This link <https://www.hvhs.school.nz/future/enrolment> takes you to the page on our website for applications.



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.FIREANDEMERGENCY.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)

Reading

Please come and see Miss Goodall about this advertisement if you have concerns about your child's reading.



LITERACY SCREENING

Supporting parents as first educators

Are you worried about your child's reading?

Does your child avoid reading?

Is your child struggling to sound out words?

Does your child struggle to read common words?

I will provide a professional assessment of your child's reading ability.

I will screen for phonemic awareness issues and indicators of the presence of dyslexia.

I will help you understand your child's strengths and opportunities for development and provide you with the tools to help them become a confident reader.

This screening looks for indicators of dyslexia but is not a formal dyslexia diagnosis.

EMILY BLYTH

HUTT VALLEY
LITERACY
SPECIALIST

huttvalleyliteracyspecialist@gmail.com

Also on Facebook
as "Hutt Valley
Literacy Specialist"

\$150 INCLUDES

40-60 minute one-on-one assessment with your child

A report on your child's strengths and techniques to develop their areas of need

30 minute skype or phone question and answer session with parents



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.

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>)

Community Sports Bank, Wellington, New Zealand. 290 likes. Sport Poverty is a growing issue within our communities with three main barriers to sport participation; subs/fees, equipment costs, and...

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

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

Spec Savers

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

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.

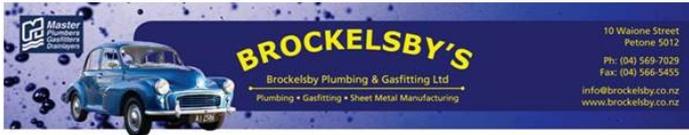
Phone 568 5621 or txt 027 568 5621



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

Response form

What do you think the school did well during lock down? *

What do you think the school did well when students returned to school? *

What do you think the school could have done better during lock down? *

What do you think the school could have done better when students returned to school? *

What do you think the Ministry of Education did well during lock down? *

Signature: