

DATES TO REMEMBER

Friday	1st December
Monday	4th December
Tuesday	5th November
Wednesday	6th December
Tuesday	12th December
Thursday	14th December
Friday	15th December
Wednesday	20th December

SCHOOL ROLL 220

EZ Lunch - hot and cold lunches ordered online or by text and delivered today.
Sushi orders collected from the office at 9.00am for a Tuesday lunchtime delivery.
Subway orders collected from the office for a Wednesday lunchtime delivery.
Rainbows End trip for Road Patrolters.
Whānau Wai trip to the Maritime Museum.
Helpers Morning Tea at 10.45am in the staffroom.
Prize Giving Assembly and Reports sent home.
Last day of school in 2017. Final assembly commences at 2pm.

Te Kupu o te Wiki

kawa (protocol, etiquette)

Kia Ora te Whānau!

Halberg Disability Sports Day

Last week, two Bayswater children represented the school at the Halberg Disability Sports Day. It was a busy week for them following on from the school athletics day just a couple of days before! Dezmon Carew (Room 3) and Arli Kemara (Room 1) participated, showing resilience and personal excellence – two of our Bayswater values. Well done to you both!



Roopu Matapaki

Next Monday (4th December) there will be an opportunity to come along to a meeting to discuss protocols for pōwhiri which we are hoping to introduce to welcome new staff and families to our school next year. The discussion group will be immediately after Te Reo Whānau class at approximately 4 o'clock.

Te Reo Whānau

Next Monday we are looking forward to welcoming Te Karere from Māori TV, who are coming to do an item on our Te Reo Whānau class. If you attend the class, please come along as usual, we have been assured that no one will be 'put on the spot'! Their main interest is in the idea as a whole and they will be interviewing Whaea Isabel, our teacher, rather than expecting any of the participants to be demonstrating what they have learnt in the reo!

Dates for the End of Term

There are lots of important dates coming up over the next couple of weeks...

Thank You Morning Tea – Everyone who has helped out at school this year is warmly invited to come along to a thank you morning tea at 10:45 on 14th December. It is the staff's chance to thank you for all that you do. Maybe you are on our Board of Trustees; are active in our Parent Group; come into school to help with clerical tasks like covering books; help out in the library; coach the children in a sport; come along to help on class trips or help in class at reading time... there are many ways that you help us to help the children. We would like to show our appreciation. RSVP to the office.

Prize Giving Assembly – For those who have not attended before, this is a formal assembly where everyone gets to sit on a chair! It is a celebration of achievement and effort through the year with prizes being awarded in a whole variety of categories. This year, it is on Friday 15th December at 1:30pm. It is always crowded, so arrive in plenty of time to be sure of a seat!

Final Assembly – In contrast to prize giving, this is a very informal assembly, where anything can and often does, happen! It is our chance to farewell our Year 6 children moving on to intermediate and any staff who are leaving. There will be laughs and tears and the finale is the haka which the younger children perform to say goodbye to the seniors as they leave school for the last time as Bayswater children - very moving! Final assembly is on the last day, 20th December, at 2pm.

Sibling Enrolments

If you have a pre-schooler due to start school in February next year, it would be appreciated if you could advise the school office and pick up/drop off an enrolment pack. This will assist us greatly when planning classes for next year.

Similarly, if you are leaving Bayswater School at the end of this year and not returning in 2018 we would appreciate knowing this in advance.

Lindsay Child / Principal Tumuaki

Board of Trustees' Mid Term Election

Election Day – Friday 1st December - Voting Closes at 12 noon

By now you should have received your election voting papers through the post. Votes may be hand delivered to the school office anytime up to 12 noon on Friday 1st December. Voting papers **must be** contained in the envelope included with the voting papers. Voting papers received after 12 noon on Friday will be deemed invalid.

If you are planning to return your voting paper by post it is advisable to do so as early as possible **before** voting day. All valid voting papers that are received through the post before the end of the fifth day after voting closes will be included and counted, provided the envelopes are postmarked with a date **before** the election day.



Whānau Green-Gold Enviro-school Reflection

Many thanks to the whānau who attended the Green-Gold enviro-school reflection. It was a warm and friendly event, and reassuring that our school environmental ethos is valued by whānau. New ideas were welcomed and we look forward to implementing these in the future. The enviro-school leaders did an amazing job at running the reflection process.

If you were not able to attend the meeting and have suggestions about areas that we could develop, as well as new ideas, there is a form in the foyer you can fill out and return. The staff will consider these ideas for next year's planning.

Happy Birthday to...

Glesni Wardrop (7), Leikyn Morunga (8), Jai Elphick-Moon (6), Ianiss Paulet (9), Adrian Macfarlane (8) and Lucy Reddecliffe (8) all having birthdays this week. We hope you all have loads of fun celebrating your special day with family and friends



Sports Notices

Touch year 0-2 team played Vauxhall. Score was 6-4 to us. Players of the day were **Patrick Davies** and **Nate Matairangi**. Touch year 3-4 team played Vauxhall. Score 0-11 to them. Player of the day **Maihi Swan-Ingham**.

Devonport Christmas Parade – Sunday 3rd December

We're looking for children to represent Bayswater School in the Devonport Lion's Santa Parade on Sunday 3rd December at 11am. Following the parade is the Christmas Festival and Dancing in the Park. Siblings of any age are welcome. We have some elves costumes for the children to wear, or they can wear their own Christmas themed costume. It is a real highlight for children to be part of the parade, so if your child/children are able to participate please let Shelley Davies know (shelley.davies@rocketmail.com).

Congratulations to our students who received a certificate at assembly on Friday for:-

ILE	Luke	working collaboratively to calculate the ingredients needed to make pikelets. A superb team effort - ka pai!
	Izzy	your 3D drawing that creates an anamorphic illusion (distorted perspective). A great achievement.
	Georgia	working collaboratively with your buddy and for stepping up to leadership roles in Maths Extravaganza, especially during your cooking session! Ka Pai!
Room 3	Ella Marie	taking care of our learning environment and looking after the equipment in it. Tu meke!
	Taara	resilience when working with others and contributing to hauora of others in the class.
Room 4	Dhakota	respect for visitors and contributing the hauora of others.
	Stella	looking after another class member's hauora by caring about them in the playground.
Room 5	Lucy	looking after another class member's hauora by caring about them in the playground.
	Dylan	consistently having a positive attitude to learning, your enthusiasm is infectious - he whetū koe!
	Stella	demonstrating our school value of Hauora by being a cheerful, friendly class member who helps make everyone's day better with her smile - he whetū koe!
Room 6	Abigail	using fluency and expression during guided reading sessions all week.
	Elliot	arriving at school with a positive attitude and ready to learn all through the week.
Rooms 7&8	Amelia	clearly explaining your thinking in maths. Thanks for helping everyone to learn by sharing your smart strategies.
	Elliot-Rose	using a complex sentence in your writing. Well done for adding detail.
	Nate	super 1:1 pointing. We are so proud of you for correct pointing when reading.
	Alejandra	sharing your clever ideas for learning with the class. You showed us a creative way of measuring ourselves during maths.
Room 9	Ricki	personal excellence in maths, this week you explained your thinking about weight and balance so clearly everybody in the class understood. Well done.
	Felix	being such an organised and helpful member of the Room 9.
Room 10	Cory	personal excellence in reading. You have worked hard on your reading goals and have been checking your reading makes sense. It is great to see you fixing your own mistakes.
	Breah	personal excellence in writing. You have been sounding out words on your own and also using words from in books and around the room to help you express your ideas.



Community Notices

Summer Fun Preschool Play

A FREE fun time for pre-schoolers to play with big toys, be active and to make new friends. Bring your toddler and a coffee and enjoy our beautiful parks! Caregiver supervision is required and sessions are weather dependent.

Tuesdays 9:30am-11:00am at Windsor Reserve, Devonport Thursdays, 9:30am-11:00am at Bayswater Park, Bayswater

Starting Thursday 2nd November - Thursday 14th December 2017, resuming Tuesday 9th January - Thursday 29th March 2018

For more info, contact Carolyn or Maria on 445 9533 or email: maria@devonportpeninsulatrust.nz. Organised by Devonport Peninsula Trust. Special thanks to Devonport-Takapuna Local Board for their support.

Got a spare room? Join our Homestay Family!

Host Families needed for Takapuna Grammar School International Students. Become a homestay family for International students at TGS. We welcome families who would like to host, especially for long term and give our students a wholesome family experience. Please 'spread the word' to your friends, family and contacts who live not too far from TGS. It can be a most rewarding experience for everyone. For further information please contact homestay.coordinator@tgs.school.nz

Voice Drama School Christmas Holiday Programme - 21st and 22ndth December.

Suitable for boys and girls ages 5+

Mary Laurence is a teacher at Vauxhall School. The aim of her Christmas holiday programme is that children come along and put together a magical, festive performance based on the children's collected Christmas ideas! The children will also create Christmas craft to take home. The performance will be shown at pickup time on the Friday. There will also be lots of fun activities including big hall games, energizers, circle time activities and good times! Please email Mary Laurence at voicedrama1@gmail.com for more info.

Guitar Lessons

Guitar Lessons are available at school, through Dave Gatman from Musiqhub. If you would like to enrol your child to start Guitar Lessons in 2018, please call Dave on 021 222 1456 or email dave.gatman@musiqhub.co.nz.

Performing Arts Classes - Dance, Drama, Musical Theatre.

2018 Bookings Now Open! Pform.nz classes for 2018 are now available to book online and if you secure your 2018 booking now you are welcome to jump into the final classes of 2017 which run right through until December 16th. Please note that the above offer is not available for the In School Hours classes. Have a look at our site www.pform.nz to find all of the information you need. We run 38 venues Auckland wide so there will be a class near you. We look forward to you becoming a part of the Pform.nz family for 2018! Book online at www.pform.nz or phone us on 0800 PFORMNZ (736 766)

The Pumphouse Theatre

Our Summer School Holiday Drama Workshops are making a return to The PumpHouse Theatre, Takapuna, in January.

We'll be holding two week-long programmes for **children aged 7 – 12 years**.

Week 1: Jan 8 – 12 (Heroes, Myths & Legends)

Week 2: Jan 15 – 19 (Circus Circus)

and a three day Shakespeare Workshop for older **children aged 12 – 16**.

This is a wonderful opportunity for children to enjoy an educational experience in a working theatre.

Julia Pointon

The PumpHouse Theatre [Tel:09-4862386](tel:09-4862386) [F: www.facebook.com/thepumphouse](https://www.facebook.com/thepumphouse)



Artz on Show School Holiday Performing Arts Workshop

This is a fun yet educational week for students aged 5 – 15 years.

Students participate in a range of performing arts classes, concluding the week with a performance!

15 - 19 January 2018, 9 am – 4 pm daily

Held at Westlake Boys High School

View our website; www.artzonshow.co.nz

or contact Hayley on either

artz@artzonshow.co.nz or 0800 667 469

ARTZONSHOW.

Belmont Music Centre - at Belmont Intermediate School - Saturday mornings during term time

Belmont Music Centre provides instrumental tuition for primary and intermediate students (from age seven onwards). The aim of the Music Centre is to provide an enriching musical experience that will prepare students for joining in with their own school's programme.

Lessons are available in cello, violin, recorder, saxophone, flute, clarinet, guitar, drums, trumpet and keyboard.

Features of tuition at Belmont Music School

Small Group lessons (up to 8 students);
Lessons are around 45 minutes in duration;
Lessons are affordable with an annual fee of \$175.00 for most instruments;
Affordable instruments for hire;
Our teachers are enthusiastic and talented musicians;
Students may take part in orchestras, jazz bands, wind and string ensembles.

For more details see advertisement above, or visit the website

www.belmontmusic.org.nz/

Enquiries: Please email James Turner, Music Centre Manager at info@belmontmusic.org.nz

Belmont Music Centre

Located at Belmont Intermediate School



Belmont Music Centre offers fun and affordable music classes in a range of instruments. Visit our website for more information,

www.belmontmusic.org.nz.

Come to meet us, collect and complete a 2018 enrolment form on Saturday 16 December 9.30 - 11.30am in the BIS School Hall, or enrol for 2018 online on our website.

Learn to Sail at Wakatere over the Summer Holidays

Wakatere are running the following Learn to Sail courses during the holidays. All our courses are run by qualified Yachting New Zealand coaches and introduces juniors and youths to the sport of sailing with the hope that they will enjoy it for a lifetime! For more information contact Juliette on wakatere.coaching@gmail.com

Youth Learn to Sail (13 - 17yr olds)

11th - 14th December

Junior Learn to Sail (8+yrs)

20th - 23rd December (full unless you have your own boat)
8th - 11th Jan and 22nd - 25th Jan (only a few places left)



4 DAY SCHOOL HOLIDAY COURSES OR
AFTER SCHOOL COURSES

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Narrow Neck Beach, Devonport

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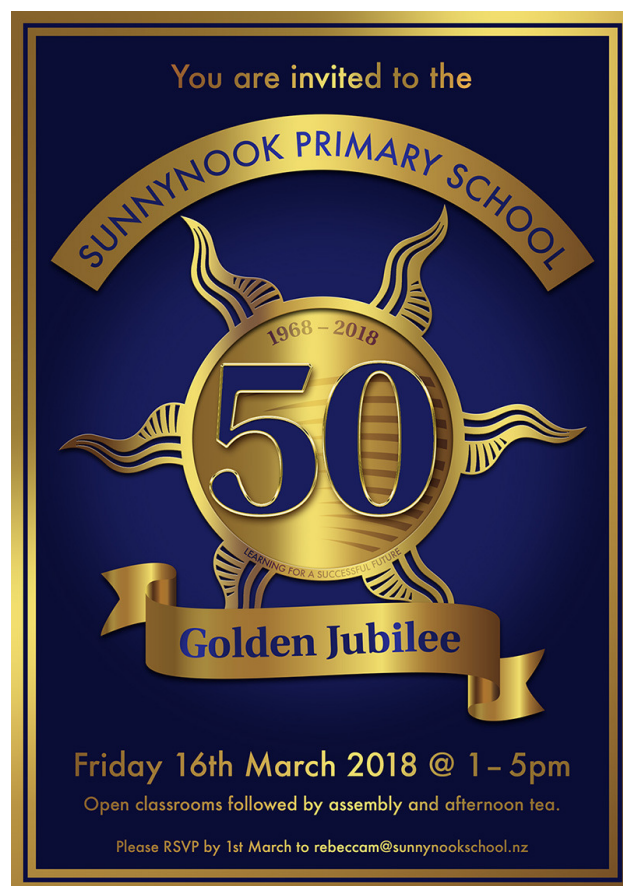


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BROADWAY

BEGINNERS

weekly musical theatre classes for passionate Year 4 - 6 students



Takapuna Grammar School's Musical Theatre specialist teacher Mr. Robert Dil, is offering this class from Term 1 in 2018. Come and learn in the art of storytelling, through singing, acting and movement. This is a safe, welcoming space for all, where students will grow in creativity and confidence. Places are limited.

Robert holds a masters degree (with distinction) in Drama and Theatre for Young People. In addition to his teaching duties at TGS, he freelances as a musician (flute, clarinet and saxophone) and has professionally directed for the children's theatre stage. Robert has clocked up over 100 hours of professional development on Broadway, New York City!

Classes:

Monday afternoons (when school is in session),

From Term 1, 2018

3:30-4:30 PM

Takapuna Grammar School Performing Arts Dept.

For inquiries or registration, please email

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