



DATES TO REMEMBER

Friday	25th November
Monday	28th November
Tuesday	29th November
Wednesday	23rd November
Thursday	24th November
Monday	28th November
Friday	2nd December
Thursday	1st December
Wednesday	7th December
Tuesday	13th December
Wednesday	14th December
Thursday	15th December
Monday	19th December
Monday	19th December
Tuesday	20th December

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EZ Lunch - hot and cold lunches ordered online or by text and delivered today.
 Sushi orders collected from the office at 9.00am for Tuesday lunchtime delivery.
 Subway Orders taken at the office for a Wednesday lunchtime delivery.
Communication of Learning Performance commencing at 6.00pm
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 School Fun Run – Online fundraising closes
 School Fun Run – Last day for handing in manual sponsorship money at school office.
 Parent Helpers Morning Tea
 Peninsular Athletics (Save Day Friday 9th December).
 Road Patrollers Rainbows End Trip.
 Whānau Kokoru (Senior School) Picnic/Swim.
 Prize Giving Assembly.
 Whānau Wai (Middle School) Picnic.
 Year 6 Farewell from 3-4.30pm.
 Final Assembly and Y6 Farwell.

Newsflash – Communication of Learning

All tickets are now gone for the 6pm performances. There are plenty of Thursday 1pm tickets still available. All children are to be at their allocated classroom at 5.15pm please on both Wednesday and Thursday. The performance is approximately one hour long so please pick up your child/ren at 7pm from their allocated classroom/s.

Kia Ora te Whānau!



This week's phrase:

Mīharo!

(Wonderful!)

Last week was extremely busy, especially Friday, with postponed trips being rescheduled for the one day without rain! Everything coincided but all, fortunately, went off well!

Onepoto Cultural Festival

Our kapa haka group went off first thing on Friday morning, with Whaea Cara, Allison Butcher and lots of whānau. Unfortunately, I wasn't able to attend (more of that later!) but was delighted to be able to see their performance on you tube. If you would like a peek, go to <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yC9NKP9CHNE>

The group did a great job, especially as they have been practising together for such a relatively short time. We are enormously grateful to Cara for taking this on! Thanks too to the many parents who came to school to help the children get ready. They looked absolutely splendid!



The Flock Project

Meanwhile... Bill Sweetman (our school caretaker), Jeff Reddecliffe (one of our new Board members) and I were down at Windsor Reserve to 'plant' our birds. This is part of a project organised by the Miranda Pukorokoro Shorebird Centre to publicise the plight of our shore birds. Our birds stood alongside those made by the other local schools and community groups and made a real impact.

The grand opening of The Flock was at lunchtime on Friday and Evie Marks and Declan Bowden read a poem and a short speech on behalf of the school. Well done to them both and many thanks to Sara Zwart (Evie's Mum) for accompanying them. If you haven't had a chance to see The Flock yet, you have until the 28th November (next Monday).

Duathlon Update

For everyone who is still fund raising through School Fun Run, there is still time as it doesn't close until Monday 28th!

For those of you keen to know exactly how much was raised, so far the total is just tipping over \$20,000. With another little push, it will go even higher!

School Athletics Day

Many thanks to all the whānau who came along to school last Monday to support the children on their athletics day. It all went off without a hitch (thank you Amy McDowell-Pakieto for your organisational skills!) and certificates for place-getters will be handed out in assembly on Friday.

Community Christmas Eve Service

Devonport Methodist Church is inviting children from Bayswater School to be part of their Community Christmas Eve service. They would be keen for interested children to contribute one or two carols at the service hosted by the church at 8pm on Christmas Eve. Obviously this is outside school time so it will not be possible for school to organise this. If you and your child would like to participate, contact Barry and Jennifer on jandbjones@orcon.net.nz

Sibling Enrolments

It would be appreciated, if you have a pre-schooler due to start school in February or March 2017, 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.

Lindsay Child
Tumuaki Principal

Helpers' Morning Tea

To all parents, whānau and community members who help in so many ways... Please come to our helpers' morning tea on **Thursday 1st December** from 10:45am in the staff room. We would like to show you how much we appreciate all that you do for us.

RSVP to Fiona, Irene or Lindsay

Email: admin@bayswater.school.nz or call 445-6226



Summer Share

It was a lovely gathering once again. Hats off to Bridget and the rest of the crew who did such a wonderful job of bringing it together and creating such a warm and welcoming vibe.

A wee thank you to Kath Hair at the Rose Centre for the loan of the clothes racks.

The clothes left over at the end were donated to De Paul House in Northcote, a housing and support service for homeless families.

Steve McLuckie

Bayswater School Library and Chromebooks open for use!

Who: All whānau (any age) of children at Bayswater School

When: Wednesdays 3 - 4.30pm

What might you do?

- Read to family members
- Bayswater children can return and take out library books
- Listen to your child's home reading

Use a Chromebook to:

- View and share your child's learning on their Google Drive
- Research for assignments (college, university - any age!)
- View and share your child's learning on their Google Drive
- Browse and share books - picture books, non-fiction books, chapter books, reference books...
- Check e-mails
- Browse the internet

* Children must be supervised by an adult

* All internet use will be monitored, including all screens to be in open view

P.S. We take no responsibility for the reliability of the internet!



Happy Birthday to...

Hualin Wang (10), Daniel Spark (10), Shaun Powell (10), Tyler Matairangi (7), Luke Powell (9), Thomas Humphreys (9), Sophie Bridge (11), Leikyn Morunga (7) and Glesni Wardrop (6) celebrating birthdays this week. We hope you all have the best of days celebrating with family and friends!

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

Room 1	Jack	showing determination and resilience to achieve personal excellence at athletics.
	Jessica	showing creativity and innovation in communication of learning, especially during costume making.
Room 2	Johny	actively participating to improve your communication of learning performance.
	Brodie	actively participating in Communication of Learning to make and improve props
	Ben	showing determination and resilience to achieve personal excellence at athletics.
Room 4a	Arielle	contributing to the Nebula group by always giving your best and being a supportive role-model.
	Ruby	showing personal excellence in maths by splitting and joining numbers to solve addition and subtraction problems.
Room 4b	Henry	showing personal excellence as well as reciprocity when practising for our performance.
	Zoe	developing her writing skills and using finger spaces in her sentences.
	Ari	concentrating during singing practice and learning the words.
Room 5	Riley	showing personal excellence and hauora when practicing for our communication of learning performance.
Room 6	Oliver	showing personal excellence in all of his work and taking pride in all he does.
	Mio	showing leadership when practising for our communication of learning - tümeke!
	Isabel	using a variety of sentences and descriptive language to create her own ending to the Interstellar story - he whetü koe!
Rooms 7&8	Totara	Developing your independence and trying your best when completing tasks
	Ema	Developing your confidence in reading and using a range of strategies to decode words.
	Maia	Personal excellence in maths. You share your thinking so well with the class.
	Glesni	Great progress in reading. Keep it up!
Room 9	Adrian	a developing your resilience during collaborative learning and beginning to understand yourself as a learner. Big effort Adrian, ka pai!
	Donte	always demonstrating our school values during learning time and on the playground. Your empathy and kindness towards others is something to be really proud of! Ka pai Donte!
Room 10	Sienna	striving for excellence during rehearsals for our communication of learning performance.
	Scarlett	striving for excellence during rehearsals for our communication of learning performance.
Room 11	Luca	demonstrating personal excellence in maths by confidently solving addition problems.

Sports Notices

Touch Rugby - Bayswater / St Leo Dragons played Devonport Dinos and lost 2 - 8. Player of the day **Tyler Matairangi**.

Liam Campbell-Mauafu has been selected to play for the North Harbour U12 Elite Mixed Touch Team and will be training all summer before heading to Rotorua on the 28th/29th January with his team to compete for the gold medal against other provinces. Congratulations Liam. Bayswater School wishes you the very best of luck!

Cut off dates for School Fun Run Sponsorship

"There are some great prizes that the children have already earned through sponsorship, you can see each level in the School Fun Run sponsorship booklet or on their website and there are some examples still in the office.

We are closing off online fundraising on Monday 28th November and all manual sponsorship money will need to be in at the office by Friday 2nd December so there is still time to reach the next level! The school will add on \$10 to each child's sponsorship to give them a final boost. Thanks again for your support."

Shelley Davies
Parent Group Chair

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Community Notices

Auckland Libraries Dare to Explore Summer Reading Programme

Don't let your tamariki lose the skills they've learned at school this year! Keep their brains fired up with 'Kia Māia te Whai – Dare to Explore', Auckland Libraries' fun, FREE summer reading programme for ages 5-13. Sign up online from Monday 12th December, and pick up your English and Te Reo Māori challenge pack at your local library. Come along to free events through the holidays, to meet other explorers and learn something new! Visit <http://aucklandlibraries.govt.nz> for more details.

"The Crew" - Adult Hip Hop Classes

Mondays 6:30-7:30pm Stanley Bay School Hall. Contact Jane@pocketrockets.co.nz or call 021 140 3786. \$10 per session. Come Jam with us!

FREE Family Fun Bike Ride organised by Bike Devonport – Sunday 27th November

Bike to the Beach - Windsor Reserve to Narrow Neck Beach. 11am Sunday 27th November 2016. Meet 11am at Windsor Reserve playground. Sausage sizzle spot prizes free bike safety checks. Lolly scramble best dressed bike best dressed rider. A free event! Nicely supported by Cycle Auckland (the bike shop on Devonport Wharf). www.bikedevonport

STARS Dance Movement Therapy Groups

For preschoolers to teenagers on the Autism Spectrum and related disorders. Programme activities include dance, music with a focus on developing social skills and *emotional literacy*. Starts weekly from 18th February 2017. Email info@dancetherapy.co.nz for more information or check out our Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/dancetherapynz>

Guitar Lessons

Guitar Lessons are available at Bayswater School in 2017 through Dave Gatman from Musiqhub. If you would like to enrol your child to start Guitar Lessons in 2017 please contact Dave on 021 222 1456 or dave.gatman@musiqhub.co.nz For more information please visit www.musiqhub.co.nz



Young at Art creative Christmas workshops

'Young at Art creative Christmas workshops are now available for booking in Orakei, Ponsonby and Beach Haven. We also run after school art classes Auckland wide. For more information and bookings please check out www.youngatart.co.nz, email anna@youngatart.co.nz or call 029 771 2923.

Devonport Lions Santa Parade & Devonport Christmas Festival - Sunday 4th December, 11am-3pm

Windsor Reserve, Devonport Waterfront

Commencing with Devonport Lions Santa Parade, stepping off from Clarence St at 11am and then afterwards in Windsor Reserve until 3pm, Dance in the Park - a celebration of dance and music, the Devonport Craft & Fine Food Market - a market full of festive goodies, Devonport Volunteer Fire Brigade demos, food stalls, try out bike zone plus Devonport Businesses Christmas Windows competition and model trains Christmas display at 93 Victoria Rd! For information about the Parade contact Bruce Wetherall: bruce_wetherall@hotmail.com or for info about the Festival contact Maria call 445 9533 or email maria@devonportpeninsulatrust.nz

Devonstock Music Festival - Sunday 11th December, 2pm-5:30pm

Windsor Reserve, Devonport Waterfront

FREE LIVE MUSIC at Windsor Reserve, Devonport! Devonport Youth Forum are excited to announce 5 amazing bands/artists playing at Devonstock this year! Featuring: Lakes, The Rubics, Shed, O-Boy & Sophie Mashlan. There will be food stalls plus plenty of shade so come and celebrate local music in the beautiful surrounds of the Devonport Waterfront! <https://www.facebook.com/events/444570972394697/>

The Great KidsCan Santa Run is a 2-3km fun run/walk in a Santa suit to raise funds for KidsCan!

The race is on Wednesday 7th December 2016 at 6.30pm. Register for the Albany event, with the start/finish on Albany Lakes Bridge, near Westfield Albany. Santa Suits are provided to adults. Kids under 13 will get a Santa hat instead of a Santa suit. In past years, there have been awesome outfits including elves, Rudolph and other festive characters.

Register at www.SantaRun.co.nz



A 2-3km fun run/walk in a Santa suit!

Starts 6:30pm, Albany Lakes, North Shore

7th of December 2016

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Christmas Holiday Camp



www.smashtennis.nz

SMASHTENNIS Pre-Christmas Holiday Camp

School's out mid-December, so why not leave the kids to have fun with us while you do your last-minute Christmas shopping and prep in peace?

Belmont Racquets, 133 Bayswater Ave, Bayswater
Contact cathy@smashtennis.nz or 0274 276 274

Mon 19th – Fri 23rd December, 9am–1pm