



## Newsletter / Kawerongo 10 \* 25 July 2023

Each fortnight at our Monday goal setting hui we introduce our tamariki to a new Kiwaha (phrases to drop into conversation). You can have-a-go at home! This fortnight it's:

**Kiwaha: kia atawhai kia tau - Be kind, be settled**

### Reading to dogs!



*Reading to a dog provides support by helping the reader feel less nervous and self-conscious as they are reading to a furry friend. Over time reading therapy dogs can provide comfort, encourage positive social behaviours, increase self-esteem, motivate speech and inspire children to enjoy reading.*

Pearl is an ex-guide dog who comes in with Kathy and listens to Room 7 tamariki read.



Bear is a therapy dog that supports Erin, who comes into school regularly to help with sorting and filing resources. Bear now listens to some tamariki in Whānau Kokoru read.

These dogs have special permission to be in school with the children.

Libby and Mackenzie came to share their graphs they have been using in maths to display their data. I was very impressed to see they had a pie graph! They were able to explain to me that more people liked bananas than blueberries or strawberries and that this could be seen by looking at the pie graph and noticing that there was more yellow coloured in than blue.



Kia ora Bayswater whānau

It has been a busy and settled start to term three.

It was lovely to welcome many new whānau to our kura at our mihi whakatau on the first day. Thank you to those who joined in

and/or brought a plate of food.

We had new children coming as 5 year olds, some children who have moved to our school from other schools and a number of International Students from China who are here for a few weeks.

It has been wonderful to see how caring and friendly our children have been with our visitors, both in welcoming them and in helping them get through the day with their varying degrees of English.

### Schooldocs

This term we are reviewing the Learning Support section, as well as Inclusive Education and Māori Educational Success. Go to the Current Review tab on your SchoolDocs site for review instructions.

Username: bayswater

Password: BWS181

### Community Consultation

The Board has reviewed the results and will be communicating with you shortly.

Marianne

### Coming in term 3:

#### Maths Week

Week 4 \* 7-11 August

#### Book Week

Week 6 \* 21-25 August

### Dates to remember:

**School Holidays** 1 - 16 July

**Bayswater's Got Talent (BGT)**

Friday 28 July Final 1.30pm in the school hall. All are welcome!

Tuesday 1 August

Monday 7 August

Thursday 17 August

Friday 24 November

Last day for book orders for Scholastic Issue No. 5

**Board meeting**

**Peninsula choirs sharing day**

**Term 4 Teacher Only Day** (NZ Curriculum Professional Development)

## Achieving Academic Success

At Bayswater School we believe that we offer children a programme of learning that offers the opportunity to experience and achieve through the Bayswater Value of Kairangatira - Personal Excellence. This is achieved through a rich and balanced classroom curriculum.

The key to academic success goes beyond reading books, memorising the lessons and taking tests. It's also about knowing the best, most efficient way to learn and absorb the concepts. Academic skills are the abilities, strategies and habits that can help learners succeed in an academic setting.

The following are some common skills:

**Time Management** - Time management is about the effective and efficient use of time. Students with this skill know how to optimise their energy and time to ensure the completion of all tasks promptly, and still leave sufficient time to perform other activities. With control over time, they can stay on track with what is required of them in school without feeling overwhelming stress and pressure.

**Literacy** - Literacy is the ability to comprehend and communicate through reading and writing. It enriches students' lives and creates opportunities for them to enjoy their educational experiences, succeed academically, learn to express their ideas verbally and in writing, communicate with others, and become more social. Children learn about literacy through everyday activities at home and in school.

**Public Speaking**: Effective public speaking skills have many benefits for students, such as the ability to connect with their peers, become confident communicators, and develop leadership skills.

**Numeracy**: Numeracy is the ability to understand and apply mathematical concepts, processes, and skills to solve problems and make decisions in a variety of situations, including real-life scenarios.

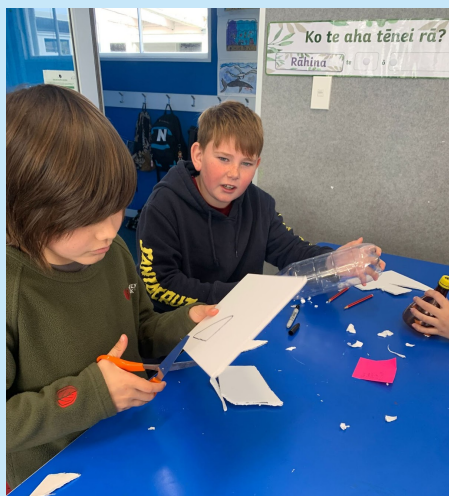
**Teamwork**: Teamwork is beneficial when collaborating or contributing to group activities. Learning about teamwork and working with peers on various projects helps students develop essential communication and social skills, such as active listening and effective speaking. When working as a team, they learn how to listen to their peers, explore various ideas, and consider different points of view. Extra-curricular activities such as camps, being a member of a sports team, drama performances, or STEAM activities instil values of teamwork and respect.

**Digital Literacy**: Digitally literate people are adept at finding, assessing, and using information with the aid of digital tools. They are aware of the risks associated with technology and work to avoid them. This skill is now more essential than ever as technology becomes more integrated into our daily lives.

**Critical Thinking**: Children who think critically can tell the difference between facts and opinions, analyse information and question ideas rather than simply accept them, and discard any unreliable or illogical arguments. They can find suitable and rational solutions to problems and challenges in the process. Open-ended questions can go a long way in building and honing this academic skill. Children can develop their critical thinking by being put in situations where they must make decisions. As they consider the pros and cons of every solution, children learn how to analyse and base their decisions on what works best.

The New Zealand Curriculum supports schools to ensure that teaching and learning are effective and engaging for all. When teaching, learning, and assessment recognise and respond to the unique differences of individuals, all students can learn. The learning areas provide a flexible foundation for exploring, evaluating, integrating, and enhancing knowledge. The key competencies, which capture learning capabilities and dispositions, strengthen the learning areas by supporting students to value curiosity, thinking, self-management, perseverance, collaboration, and caring for others. This is what we value at Bayswater School.

STEM in action - a perfect example of academic skills being developed! As part of their rocket challenge Whānau Kokoru have been modifying their rockets after learning about Newton's first two laws of motion.





to our tamariki celebrating a birthday this fortnight.

Te Ahi 11yrs  
Scottie 6yrs  
Elshaya-Kaye 11yrs  
Sophie 8yrs  
Annie 6yrs

We hope you all have fun celebrating with family and friends.

## Sports Results

### Netball

#### 28 June

Our Year 5/6 team played Grey Lynn school. The score was 13-9 to us. Player of the day was Ariana for a great game all round. Terrific game with good flow on the court tonight. Congratulations to the team for winning the first game of the competition!

#### 28 June

Great first competition game Beasts! We played Birkenhead and won 10-0! Player of the day was Olive. She really put herself out there and gave it her all.

#### 17 July

The Bayswater Beasts played a great game (with no subs) against Belmont. The final score was 2 to 5 to Bayswater. The player of the day was Hazel - she played a very strategic game, letting her teammates know when not to throw her the ball until she was in a better position and only yelling for the ball when she felt she was in the right place! Nice work Hazel!

#### 19 July

Our Year 5/6 team played with Vauxhall school. The score was 11-7 to us. The player of the day was Leighton. It was a great game! Excellent effort and teamwork! Well done girls!!!

#### 24 July

Nice game this week Bayswater Beasts! We played Chelsea and the score was 2-8 to Bayswater. We had two players of the day- Willa and Juno!

### Hockey

#### 17 July

Our Year 5/6 team Rakāu played St.Leo's School. The score was 2/2. The player of the day was **Makayla**. Good game tonight. Everyone tried so hard and showed great effort. Well done Bayswater Rakau.

#### 24 July

Our Year 5/6 team Rakāu played Birkenhead School. The score was 3/0 to us. The player of the day was Te Ahi. It was a good game tonight with terrific effort from everyone and incredible defence. Well done team!!!



## **Congratulations** to our students who received a certificate at assembly on **Friday 21st July** for:

Room 2	Samuel	the Bayswater value of Manaakitanga/Respect. You have shown a positive and kind attitude to others, as well as taking the initiative during class routines. Tumeke, e hoa!
	Abby	demonstrating Manawaroa/Resilience. You have joined our class, made new friends and been active in your learning. Mīharo!
Room 3	Kasen	the Bayswater value of Hauora. You have been a friend and a tuakana for our new students this week. Without being asked, you offered to help where needed and made a big effort to welcome them. Mīharo.
	Nate	the Bayswater value of Hauora. You have been a friend and a tuakana for our new students this week. Without being asked, you offered to help where needed and made a big effort to welcome them. Mīharo.
Room 4	David	showing the Bayswater value of Personal Excellence/Kairangatira in reading. You are making great progress in reading and challenging yourself to read tricky words. Mīharo!
	Ivy-Lee	showing the Bayswater value of Personal Excellence/Kairangatira in maths. You are focused in your maths group and challenge yourself to learn your basic facts. Tumeke!
Room 7	Michael	the Bayswater value of Kairangatira Personal Excellence. In gymnastics you managed yourself so successfully amidst the exciting equipment. You were a sensible role model when showing peers how to execute each movement. We are proud of you. Mīharo!
	Marnie	the Bayswater value of Kairangatira Personal Excellence in literacy. You have inspired us to be active readers by independently and confidently sharing books from home with us. He whetū koe you're a star!
Room 9A	Libby	the Bayswater value of Hauora. You always show gentle kindness towards others and help those around you to have a great day. Ngā mihi Libby.
	Kade	the Bayswater value of Kairangatira - Personal Excellence. You were so involved in creating your pizza shop in your learning about halves and quarters. He whetū koe!
Room 9B	Aubrey	demonstrating the Bayswater value of Manawaroa. You have shown resilience and determination when learning fractions. You actively listen to improve your understanding and ask questions when you are unsure. If you get the wrong answer, you keep trying. Mīharo Aubrey!
	Ilona	the Bayswater value of Kairangatira. You have shown determination and excellence when working on your Te Wheke art. You took your time on each paper chain and made sure to measure the length so each one matched. You also helped other classmates who were struggling. Tino pai Ilona!



## **Congratulations** to our students who received a certificate at assembly on **Friday 30 June** for:

Room 2	Ayden	showing Kairangatira/Personal Excellence on our trip to the Maritime Museum. You respectfully and actively sought out interesting facts on Sir Peter Blake. Ka pai tō mahi!!
	Wireum	the Bayswater value of Kairangatira both in the classroom and beyond. You took on the personal challenge to organise a special whakaeke for your kapa haka rōpū, leading everyone with mana and ihi. It was an honour to watch you lead in this way. Tino pai rawa atu.
Room 3	Metua	the Bayswater value of Kairangatira both in the classroom and beyond. You took on the personal challenge to organise a special mihi for your kapa haka rōpū, leading everyone with mana and ihi. It was an honour to watch you lead in this way. Tino pai rawa atu.
	Awanui	the Bayswater value of Kairangatira both in the classroom and beyond. You took on the personal challenge to organise a special whakaeke for your kapa haka rōpū, leading everyone with mana and ihi. It was an honour to watch you lead in this way. Tino pai rawa atu.
Room 4	Roma	showing Resilience/Manawaroa on our trip to the Maritime Museum. You made sensible choices and were a good role model for your peers. Tumeke!
	Malacai	demonstrating the Bayswater value of Hauora. You are a positive role model and show kindness to other children in our class. Miharo!
Room 7	Bastian	the Bayswater values of Kairangatira Personal Excellence and Manawaroa Resilience. You have been a positive learner, finding new and different ways to create your Argo character while handling many frustrations along the way. We are proud of your focus. Kia mau tonu - keep it up.
	Caleb	the Bayswater value of Kairangatira Personal Excellence in Dramatic Inquiry. You gave tasks careful thought and made connections with information. As a Story Guardian you identified special stories and keep them true. He whetū koe you're a star!
Room 9A	Skylar	the Bayswater value of Personal Excellence. You have been practising your letter sounds and blends when reading, and you are gaining in confidence when trying new words. Tino pai!
	Mackenzie	the Bayswater value of Personal Excellence. You have been writing independently, using the sounds you know and adding detail to your story using joining words. Ka rawe!
Room 9B	Aurora	demonstrating the Bayswater value of Kairangatira. You have settled in well at Bayswater school and have tried your best in all activities. You always practise active listening and role model respect on the mat. Miharo Aurora!
	Kingston	demonstrating the Bayswater value of Kairangatira. You have worked so hard on your reading this term. You challenge yourself by attempting tricky words and asking questions when you are unsure. You always do your best and help your classmates when they are stuck. Tino pai Kingston!



Come to Our

# BOOK FAIR!

 SCHOLASTIC



Hats  
Off  
to  
Reading!  
Scholastic Book Fairs

Dates:

21<sup>st</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup>

August

Time:

All Day

8am–3:30pm

Place:

Library





## KIDS' HOME AWAY FROM HOME!

- ✓ BEFORE-SCHOOL CARE
- ✓ AFTER-SCHOOL CARE
- ✓ HOLIDAY PROGRAMMES

Available at Bayswater School Hall

**OSCAR  
PROGRAMME  
SUBSIDIES  
AVAILABLE!**  
\*Conditions apply

**BOOK ONLINE** [www.kellyclub.co.nz](http://www.kellyclub.co.nz) **CALL** 022 301 8610

### TERM 3 SESSIONS:

#### BEFORE SCHOOL CARE

Full Session from 7:00am to 8:30am with breakfast – \$14

Half Session from 8:00am to 8:30am – \$9 (extra \$2 for breakfast)

#### AFTER SCHOOL CARE

Half Session from 3:00pm to 4:30pm – \$16

Full Session from 3:00pm to 6:00pm – \$22

**CHILDCARE SUBSIDIES available.** Eligible parents or caregivers can access WINZ subsidies to help cover the cost of our programme.

**Pay as low as \$4 per session** (subject to OSCAR subsidy eligibility).

### WHY CHOOSE KELLY CLUB?

Supporting your school (revenue share), quality care you can trust, childcare subsidies, flexible payment plans (only pay for the childcare you use – cancellation policy applies)

We welcome students from Bayswater School,  
Belmont Primary School and Belmont Intermediate School



### TERM 3 2023

17 July – 22 September

Weekly Theme Planner  
Kelly Club Bayswater

Wk 1 17 July	Football Mania		Join the world in Football Fever!
Wk 2 24 July	Red Nose Week		Join us in supporting healthier children, with brighter futures, this Red Nose Day!
Wk 3 31 July	Show us your Skills		We know you've got some skills. Bring them to Kelly Club so you can show them off.
Wk 4 7 Aug	Green Thumbs up		Can you dig it?
Wk 5 14 Aug	Howling & Growling		Who howls? Who growls? Are they a friend or a foe? Come along and see!
Wk 6 21 Aug	Staff Choice		It's up to the Staff what we do at Kelly Club this week!
Wk 7 28 Aug	Fun Fathers!		Let's celebrate all the Fathers and Father Figures that make life fun!
Wk 8 4 Sept	Kids Choice		It's up to you what we do at Kelly Club this week.
Wk 9 11 Sept	Te Wiki o Te Reo Māori		Join us this week as we celebrate Te Wiki o te Reo Māori! Let's make the Māori language strong!
Wk 10 18 Sept	Rugby World Cup		Passing, Catching, Kicking. It's all about Rugby this week at Kelly Club!

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