

Dates to Remember

Friday	11th December	Prize giving assembly commencing at 1.30pm.
Monday	14th December	Sushi orders collected from the school office at 9.00am for Tuesday lunchtime delivery.
Tuesday	15th December	Whanau Kokoru Picnic.
Wednesday	16th December	Whanau Puna and Whanau Wai Picnic.
Wednesday	16th December	Year 6 Pool Party from 3pm to 4.30pm.
Friday	18th December	Final Assembly and Year 6 Farewell commencing at 2.00pm

Our saying for this week is: **Ahakoia he iti he pounamu**. Although it is small it is of great value. One of the many ways to interpret this whakatauki can be, no matter how small your contribution is it is valuable.

Nau mai, haere mai!

Staffing and Classrooms 2021

As you are aware Lindsay Child is away on refreshment leave until term four, I will continue as Acting Principal during this time and Dianne Cluett will be Deputy Principal. We are really excited to have three of our amazing teachers back from parental leave in 2021, Amy McDowell-Pakieto, Lisa Gillgren and Kim McLean, taking on a variety of roles. Steven de Bruin will be on Parental Leave in 2021. We also have one new teacher, Michelle Dickson, covering Dianne while she is acting up as Deputy Principal. Norah Wilson will be our Reading Recovery teacher as well as some other projects within the school. Natasha Van Greunen is moving with her family to Tauranga, we wish her all the best. Sasha Gillies will be heading off on parental leave during Term One however we are lucky to have Tracy Perry to take over when she leaves.

We have managed once again to keep our class sizes small, starting with only 20-24 children in each class! At Bayswater School this has always been an important feature of our school as well as of course our fabulously independent, thoughtful, creative children and their whānau!

Our specially designed Junior Block, Room 9, will be in full use in 2021 with both year one and year two enjoying the space and flexibility it offers. Rooms 7 and 8, the last area of school yet to be refurbished, will be used for arts and additional needs groups including Navigators (our Gifted and Talented groups), as well as by the year twos when needed.

Whanau Kokoru	Room One Year 5/6	Room Two Year 5/6	Room Three Year 5/6
	Jessica Rose	Tahlea Fong	Claire S Edwards / Senior Teacher
Whanau Wai	Room Four Year 3/4	Room Five Year 3/4	Room Six Year 3/4
	Michelle Dickson	Allison Butcher / Senior Teacher	Kim McLean and Lisa Gillgren
Whanau Puna	Room 9A NE/Year One		Room 9B Year Two
	Claire Edwards / Senior Teacher		Sasha Gillies Tracy Perry

Athletics Success

Congratulations to all our athletes who competed at the Peninsula Athletics last week. As a school it is our job to ensure all children are given the opportunity to participate as well as to achieve personal excellence in everything they do, including sports. This can be a little tricky at times within a smaller school setting as numbers are limited however there are certainly times our children punch above their weight. We saw this recently at the football tournament, and our athletes have certainly done us proud! Congratulations to everyone who was selected to participate. As always their behaviour was exemplary and their sportsmanship and effort very noticeable! The place getters were awarded their certificates at assembly last week (Paegan and Tiana were absent):

Peninsula Placings

11 year old	Leleia Parker	2nd place High Jump
11 year old	Dylan Anderson	1st place long jump
11 year old	Ruby Ann Veikune	3rd place long jump
9 year old	Tiana Mita	2nd place high jump

11 year old	Hugo Moeller	1st place High Jump
11 year old	Paegan Barlow	3rd place softball throw
10 year old	Mokoia Morris	2nd place softball throw
8 year old	Lucy Rose	1st place softball throw



Bayswater School Board of Trustees

As at Monday 7th December no requests had been received by the Bayswater School Board of Trustees to hold a by-election to fill the current casual vacancy on the Board of Trustees.

The board has therefore chosen to fill the vacancy by selection and now declares **Zane Catterall** selected to the Bayswater School Board of Trustees with effect from Monday 7th December 2020. Welcome Zane.

Marianne Coldham
Acting Principal / Tumuaki Tuarua

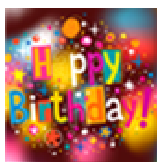


Christmas Raffles

Come and buy a child's raffle ticket from the office for a chance to win a prize from our prize table or an adult raffle ticket to win a box of goodies.

Raffles will be drawn in the last week of school so get in fast.

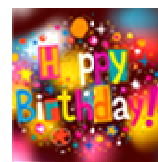
Tickets \$2 each or 3 for \$5, eftpos or cash



Happy Birthday to...

Corina Chew 7yrs, Awanui Faulkner 7yrs, Alex Collins 6yrs and Yuna Choi 8yrs.

We hope you have a wonderful time celebrating your special day with family and friends!



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

Room 1	Bella	personal excellence in writing. You have taken to your Nano with enthusiasm, and it is fantastic seeing your story unfold!
	Sienna	enhancing the hauora of others and showing kindness. You are a good friend to many, and they are lucky to have you Sienna!
Room 2	Mason	demonstrating personal excellence in maths. You persevered and used your basic facts knowledge to solve tricky algebra problems. Ka rawe!
	Evie	demonstrating personal excellence and resilience at Peninsula Athletics. You were a supportive team member and a resilient competitor. Ka rawe. Miharo!
Room 3	Gretta Rose	demonstrating personal excellence at Born to Move. You have shown your commitment by practising in your own time to make the most of this leadership opportunity.
	Petra	showing personal excellence as a Tuakana. You have been helpful, supportive and a role model in the Tuakana-Teina Writing programme. Tumeke!
Room 4	Nikau	achieving personal excellence at talking to a wider audience. You confidently stand in front of a class audience to lead the karakia and you also presented your basketball team's sport results at last week's assembly. He whetu koe!
	Jai	being a respectful member of whānau wai. You are an active listener, you use kind words when talking to your peers and you consider the needs of other learners as you strive for personal excellence yourself. He whetu koe!
Room 5	Mareikura	demonstrating the Bayswater values of resilience and personal excellence as you worked on noticing and describing algebraic patterns - mīharo!
	Lucy	enhancing the hauora of others in Whānau Wai with your caring nature, you help others have a better day - he whetū koe!
Room 6	Charlotte	demonstrating the Bayswater Values in all areas. You are beginning to realise that resilience is the pathway to success. He whetu koe.
	Abigail	you are a hardworking member of Ruma Ono. You give everything your best. You should be proud of your effort in your learning. Tumeke.
Room 7	Thomas	the Bayswater Value of personal excellence. You have been taking great care with your writing, being careful with your letter formation and editing to check your spelling and punctuation is correct. Tino pai!
	Hunter O'Keeffe	the Bayswater Values of resilience and personal excellence. You worked out the issues you were having with making a stop motion, and persevered to make some great movies! Tino pai!
Room 8	Noah	the Bayswater value of personal excellence. You created and shared your stop motion film with merit and pride. Your ideas are valued. Tu meke.
	Hunter Secker	the Bayswater Value of Hauora. You helped a friend understand how to create a stop motion film and worked closely with that friend to complete it. He hoa pai koe.
Room 9	Maria	the Bayswater value of Personal Excellence. You are looking carefully for clues like punctuation to help you read with fluency and expression. Tino pai!
	Ivy-Lee	the Bayswater value of Hauora. You are quick to comfort peers in need and take care of them. Thank you for being such a kind and empathetic member of Room 9. Tino pai.



Sports Notices

Touch Rugby

- Year 1 **Kowhai** 6 – Hauraki Thunder 4. Player of the day **Hudson Ah Ken-Fruean** for awesome team spirit. A great team effort with everyone having a go and helping each other. Bring on Bayswater Whero next week!
- Year 2 **Whero** team played Vauxhall Vipers. The score was 8 - 1 to Vauxhall. The player of the day was **Zach Wehrle**. Great working together. Hard game however Team Whero had great defence.
- Year 3/4 **Kakariki** team played Vauxhall Volcanoes. The score was 9-0 to Vauxhall. The player of the day was **Presley Ah Ken-Fruean** for great listening and his best playing.
- Year 5/6 **Kikorangi** team played Belmont Chiefs. The score was 9 - 1 to Belmont. The player of the day was **Greta-Rose Henderson**. Bayswater Kikorangi used all the plays your coaches have taught you .

Basketball 2021

Basketball in 2021 will be played in late afternoon/early evening on Tuesdays. Practices are usually run before school from 8:00am. Please speak with your child to see if they are interested in playing. We are looking for children and families who are committed to playing weekly in 2021. Competitions run for two semesters over the full year and starts on Tuesday 2 March 2021.

We need parents as coaches and managers for each team to ensure we can form teams.

If your child is interested in playing please complete a form and return to Room 3 by Friday 18 December 2020. Forms will be available from Wednesday 9 December 2020. The form will be available in Room 3, the school office and on Skool loop app under Sports.

Please see Claire S if you have any questions.

Christmas Craft in the Library



Community Notices

Belmont Intermediate School – 2021 Second Hand Uniform Sale Dates

Belmont Intermediate will be running their second hand uniform sale on Sunday the 17th and Monday the 18th of January 2021 from 2-4pm in their school hall. These will be at a greatly discounted price and all proceeds go towards the school. Cash only please! We hope to see you there. For more information contact Sarah Furlong on sfurlong@belmontint.school.nz.

2021 Guitar/Bass Lessons at Belmont Intermediate

If you are interested in learning or continuing to learn guitar or bass in 2021 please go to heathwatsonguitar.com and click on the BELMONT INTERMEDIATE INFO button. Thank you for your time, any questions please contact me.

Kelly Club Bayswater is Hiring! - Programme Co-ordinator and Casual Positions available

We're looking for applicants that are available and willing to work 6.45am-8.30/9am and 2.30pm-6pm Monday to Friday. The Programme Co-ordinator role includes 5-10 hours of admin. Hours of work will vary between 25 to 35 hours per week depending on the specific programme size of your venue and the shifts you are available to work. Full-time work may be available during school holiday periods. Applicants must be able to work in a team environment, have strong leadership skills, have experience leading a team, have great communication skills, be able to think on their feet, be flexible and adapt to different situations and most of all be passionate and enjoy working with children.

Note: successful applicants will be required to have a police check. Applicants for this position should have NZ residency or a valid NZ work permit and must have their own form of transport.

To apply for the Programme Co-ordinator position follow the link: <https://www.seek.co.nz/job/50883541> To apply for a casual position email your CV and cover letter to jeremy@kellyclub.co.nz

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Mon 25th - Fri 29th Jan 2021

9AM-1PM **OR** 9AM-3PM

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Community Dinner

**A FREE Community
BBQ Xmas Dinner
made from rescued kai!**

Wednesday 16th December
6.30pm - 8.30pm at Bayswater School

ALL ages are welcome! Let's bring our
community together to share a
FREE meal made from rescued kai.

BYO plates and your picnic blanket!

Please get in touch if you can help!

Email: leah@morganfamily.co.nz OR brianna@briannaparkinson.co.nz

