

Dates to Remember

Wednesday	10th February	The Parent Group invites all parents/ whānau to morning tea at 9.15am in the hall
Thursday	11th February	Lego Club in the Library from 1:20pm – 1:50pm. All welcome
Tuesday	16th February	Junky Monkey Session
Wednesday	17th February	Teaching and Learning at Bayswater School information evening.
Thursday	18th February	Junky Monkey session
Friday	19th February	School trip to Narrowneck Beach – no assembly
Friday	19th February	Whanau Picnic on the field from 5pm. BYO dinner and picnic blanket.
Friday	19th February	Last day for Scholastic book orders
Tuesday	9th March	Beach Clean Up – whole school
Monday	15th March	Whānau Wai Trip to Mangere Mountain
Tuesday	16th March	Bayswater School Swimming Sports. (Save day Friday 19th March)
Friday	19th March	Whānau Puna trip to Mangere Mountain
Tue – Fri	23rd – 26th March	Whānau Kokoru Arataki overnight camps
Thursday	1st April	Teacher Only Day

Nau mai, haere mai! Welcome to 2021!

It was great to see everyone's smiling faces back at school, and to welcome many new faces! We welcomed our new whānau and staff with a mihi whakatau last Thursday. We have one new teacher Michelle Dickson who is in Whānau Wai, plus three new teacher aides Ana Petersen, Rachel Crawford and Kimiya Lobie (with us just for four weeks).

In 2020 the Board of Trustees (BOT) conducted a Community Consultation. It was great to have so many of you 'have your say'! The BOT has completed the collation and analysis of the results and along with the teaching staff is now making decisions around addressing some of the issues that came up.

One of our first actions as a result of the Community Consultation is to hold an information evening for parents and caregivers on Wednesday 17th February. The focus will be on Teaching and Learning at Bayswater School with each syndicate focussing on the expectations and learning within their area of the school. There will be two sessions, 5.30-6.10pm and 6.20-7.00pm - this will give you the opportunity to attend the sessions for two different areas of the school and/or one caregiver attend while the other has the children and vice versa. For those unable to attend on the night a copy of the Google Slide show will be available on the website however we do think you will get the most benefit out of attending the 'live presentations'!

It has been great to hear from so many of our amazing tamariki who moved onto BIS and have been recognised for achieving Personal Excellence (one of our school values) by being selected in Year 7 for participation in Gifted and Talented programmes. We've always known how amazing you are and hope you seize the continued opportunities given to you.

Bayswater School is a member of the Devonport-Takapuna Kahui Ako, a group of schools that work together to help children achieve their full potential. The first event this year is 'An Online Safety Information Evening' presented by Rob and Zareen Cope, to be held at Takapuna Grammar on Wednesday 3rd March at 7pm. As we all know, our children are particularly vulnerable to those online who hide their true identity, who produce and share inappropriate material and who prey on young ones. This evening will help with practical solutions for keeping children safe online. You can see the flyer below for more information and you can view Rob and Zareen's work at www.ourkidsonline.info.



Ana Petersen and Michelle Dickson



Kimiya Lobie and Rachel Crawford



The Devonport-Takapuna Kāhui Ako presents

An Online Safety Information Evening

With Rob & Zareen Cope - Parents & Filmmakers

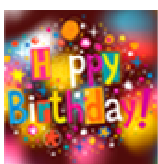
WEDNESDAY 3RD MARCH 2021 | 7PM - 8.30PM

TAKAPUNA GRAMMAR SCHOOL, 210 LAKE ROAD,
TAKAPUNA

- Understand the harms our kids are facing online in relation to pornography, predators & social media access.
- Learn practical solutions to keep your children safer online.
- Get advice on healthy ways to approach these tricky topics.
- Learn what to do when your child has been exposed to something harmful.
- This talk also includes an online safety plan tailored to suit your family's needs.

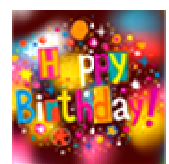
To find out more about Rob & Zareen's work
visit www.ourkidsonline.info

Marianne Coldham
Acting Principal / Tumuaki Tuarua



Happy Birthday to...

Jaden Pekepo 10, Mira Ataseven 7, and Stella Anderson 7 all having birthdays this week.
We hope you have a wonderful time celebrating your special day with family and friends!



Bayswater Parent Group - Upcoming Events

The Bayswater Parent Group would like to extend a warm welcome to all our new and returning families. One of the great things about Bayswater School is the community and with that in mind we have a number of occasions for new and returning families to get together, meet, reconnect and just generally enjoy each other's company.

Morning tea - Wednesday 10th February, will be held in the school hall after school drop off. New, returning, part of the furniture, come and say Hi, have a cuppa and a bikkie. The local playgroup will be there also so plenty for preschoolers to do!

Whanau Picnic - Friday 19th February from 5pm. A wonderful opportunity for kids and adults to reconnect, mix and mingle, make new friends! BYO dinner and picnic blanket, set up on the field by the senior playground.

Parent Group Drinks from 7.30 - Thursday 18th March, 20th May, 23rd September, 25th November - location to be confirmed
Parent Group morning tea, 9.15 - Wednesday 10th February, 14th April, 16th June, 18th August, 13th October - School Hall

While the weather is good there will also be a number of impromptu catch ups at the beach or park, join us on Facebook to know when and where - [Bayswater School Parent Group Facebook page](#)

We are looking forward to seeing you all :-)

The Parent Group



Waterbourne Beach Festival Fun Run – Sunday 7th March

Waterbourne Beach Festival is organising a fun run and \$5 from every registration goes to help Kaipatiki Project Eco Hub.

The fun run (or walk) is on Sunday, 7th March at 9am at Takapuna Beach with a \$15 registration for a 2km run.

There is also a 4 km (\$20) run and an 8km (\$25) run.

If you're keen, please register here:

<https://kaipatiki.org.nz/whats-on/run-for-a-cleaner-costline/>

Community Notices



Community Dinner

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

Wednesday 17th February
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



Pocket Rockets Dance

is back at Bayswater School!



Junior Hiphop Wednesday Lunchtimes
Senior Hiphop Thursday Lunchtimes

contact Jane 021 140 3786

www.pocketrockets.co.nz/enrol

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We are the largest specialist music provider in Auckland.
Teaching music is what we do!

We are completely focused on giving your child the best musical learning possible.

Our programmes are individualised to develop your child's musical passion and ability.

We have lessons in piano, guitar, drums and other instruments starting in term one right here at school! [Enter the URL below into your browser to enrol your child today!](https://pw304-b54866.pages.infusionsoft.net/)

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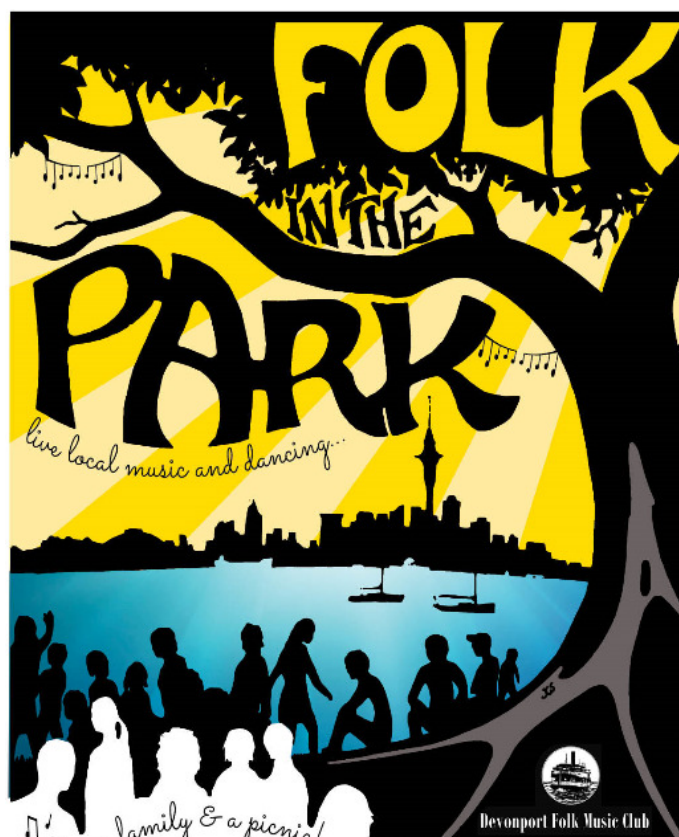
LITTLECOOKS AT BELMONT INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL

TERM 1
FEBRUARY 5 - APRIL 9
FRIDAYS
3.30-4.30PM

FOOD TECH ROOM BIS

email team@littlecooks.co.nz to enrol

cost: \$288 (inc GST)



Sunday 14 February 1-4PM
Windsor Reserve Band Rotunda, Flagstaff Tce
For more information, call (09) 445 2227
or visit: www.devonportpeninsulatrust.nz

ADULT JAPANESE CLASS FOR BEGINNERS WITH ALICE SENSEI

Konnichiwa!

SAT 13 FEB 11:15am - 12:15pm

STARTING 13TH FEBRUARY

CONTENTS

Hiragana / Katakana
Basic greetings
Easy conversation
Japanese songs

\$15 / class or \$75 for 6 classes

Drop-in style

No reservation necessary

Interested? Questions?

Please feel free to contact us

info.jhc@jhc.org



JAPAN KAURI EDUCATION TRUST
Level 1, 5 William Pickering Dr, Rosevale | www.facebook.com/vindhj

Kids Athletics Series

When: Tuesdays 4-6pm, 16 Feb-23 March 2021
Where: Vauxhall Sports Reserve, Rugby Grounds
Cost: FREE

A 6 week 'have-a-go' style athletics programme where primary school aged kids (aged 5ish to 11ish) have the opportunity to try a variety of athletics activities in a non-competitive environment. Includes: running, jumping, throwing, agility etc.

The programme starts on Tuesday 16th February and runs on consecutive Tuesdays until (and including) Tuesday 23 March.

Attendance is free and casual so there is no need to book in advance. Participants should arrive at the event venue at 4pm, which is the Vauxhall Sports Reserve, also known as the North Shore Rugby Club grounds. Don't forget to bring your water bottle to avoid getting dehydrated! For more info visit: www.devonportpeninsulatrust.nz

Guitar Lessons

Guitar Lessons are available at school, with Dave Gatman from Musiqhub. If you would like to enrol your child to start Guitar Lessons, please contact Dave on 021 2221456 or dave.gatman@musiqhub.co.nz.

Devonport Kickboxing Club

Kickboxing coaches safe, non-contact kids classes in a friendly, supportive setting. Regular attendance offers so many benefits, enhanced coordination, cardio and strength, developing a strong self-image, learning creative self-defence skills and much more.

Come visit the 'Stingray' classes for 8 – 10yrs, 10-16yrs. Classes: 3.30pm and 4.15pm weekdays. FREE TRIAL: www.soulsprite.co.nz book your first class online, click 'free trial class' button off our class description page. Or contact, kate@soulsprite.co.nz for more information.

Auckland Ballet Company

Join Us at ABT today and become a part of our dance family! This is a brand new school which opened January 2021!



Based in Northcote Point, offering Jazz, Hip Hop, Tap and Musical Theatre this year. Expanding to Ballet and Contemporary for 2022. Send us a message or email and follow us on Facebook and Instagram!

I also have a very exciting opportunity for any aspiring Hip Hop Dancers. Two ex dancers from the Royal Family who danced in Justin Bieber's music video 'Sorry' and Ciaras 'Level Up', are coming to take two workshops! From ages 7 and up only unfortunately, and there are very limited spaces.



PFORM.NZ FREE OPEN CLASSES FOR THE LAST 2 WEEKS OF FEBRUARY

This is a great time to trial Pform.nz, bring friends and experience all the different genre of classes that we offer.

From BALLET to DRAMA, DANCE to MUSICAL THEATRE or our popular DANCE SING ACT combo, this is your chance to jump in to have a go before you commit to the year. We look forward to welcoming you to as many classes as you can squeeze in!

No booking required - just turn up, join in & you will be warmly welcomed

[VENUE MAP](#)

[CLICK FOR OUR CUSTOMER REVIEWS](#)

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Building confidence, creativity & character

Sewing Classes - Belmont



Learn to Sew with Thread Room!

Sewing is a great skill for kids to learn. It is a really fun and creative outlet for students, as well as being such a practical lifelong skill to develop. In these classes we start with all the sewing machine basics, then work through lots of fun and creative projects.

**Thursdays
Term 1. Ages 8+
We have classes for
teens and adults too.**

**For more info:
threadroom.co.nz**

