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DATES TO REMEMBER SCHOOL ROLL 203

Wednesday 12th April Last Day of Term 1 **Teacher Only Day.** Thursday 13th April Monday 1st May Sushi orders collected from the office at 9.00am for Tuesday lunchtime delivery.

Monday 1st May Subway orders collected from the office for a Wednesday lunchtime delivery. Friday 5th May EZ Lunch - hot and cold lunches ordered online or by text and delivered today.

Kia Ora te Whānau!

Te Kupu o te Wiki

Tapatapahi ana!

(Cool! Choice!)

We have ended the term with two fabulous events - the beach clean-up last Friday and Bayswater's Got Talent finals today. Most of this week's newsletter will consist of photos of both. Thank you so much to all the photographers out there who happily share their pictures with me!

Beach Clean Up

This was a huge organisational feat - thank you to Dianne Cluett, and all the staff, for ensuring everyone knew where they were meant to go and what they were meant to do! We were overwhelmed by the number of parents and whanau who came along to help. It is hugely appreciated.

There are lots of additional photos of this event on the screen in the foyer. Please feel free to pop in and have a look!













Bayswater's Got Talent

Yet again, we were stunned and amazed by the sheer variety of talent on show. The standard was really high and Colin Moy, Irene and I had a very hard job to pick first, second and third. I think it would be fair to say that every child who performed in the hall in front of all their peers, staff and whānau was a winner. All the fabulous finalists are pictured above.





After much deliberation, the judges came to a decision! In third place was Lily Pinero who sang the old Leonard Cohen classic, 'Hallelujah', bringing several members of staff to tears! In second place was Ruby Shanahan with a dance she choreographed herself, to 'All We Know'. In first place were Anne-Marie Veikune and Georgia Karanui with a duet of Bic Runga's, 'Something Good'.

Well done to everyone who participated from the early stages, right through to the final. Special congratulations to our worthy winners!

Learning Pathways Communication of Learning

As well as all the excitement of the two special events, the children's learning went on as usual and is culminating this week in communications of learning, where children share what they have found out with an audience. I was delighted to be invited along to Whanau Puna's 'family tree' event this morning. The children had all made a link in the chain to represent themselves and after sharing their i-movies with each other, they went outside to decorate their 'family tree'.

Whānau Wai spent much of today practising presenting their google slide shows about themselves and their families. Tomorrow they will be sharing these with the whole syndicate.















Changes to Lunches Next term

From next term, children will be allowed only plain water and / or plain milk to drink at school. This is in line with advice from the Ministry of Education and Ministry of Health.

"Sugary drinks are one of the most significant causes of poor oral health and contribute to childhood obesity and Type 2 diabetes. Sugary drink consumption is associated with problem behaviours, and poor diet and nutrition are associated with lower academic achievement."

Children will be reminded of this new rule and will also have the reasons explained to them. If you could ensure that your child brings only water to school from now on, it would be very helpful. Don't forget that free, chilled milk is also available (from Fonterra Milk in Schools) and all of the school's water fountains deliver delicious filtered water (filters are changed regularly). If children inadvertently bring other drinks to school, they will be asked to put them away and save them until they go home.







Happy Easter

Whatever your plans this Easter holidays, I hope you have a safe, happy and relaxing time. We look forward to seeing everyone back at school on Monday 1st May.

Lindsay Child Principal/Tumuaki

Mothers' Month in May!

During May every Wednesday evening in the hall will be something for Mums and Grandmothers to do based around health, fitness and taking care of ourselves. Come and learn something new, meet some other Wahine in your community or just have a chance to spend some time with the Wahine you already know.

Class will start at 7.30 and cost only \$10. All proceeds will go to Year 5/6 camp.

Wednesday 10th May - Yoga with Ines Wednesday 24th May - Dance/Fitness with Genna. Wednesday 17th May - Pilates with Megan Wednesday 31st May - Celebration night! Variety of stalls, tea/coffee/dessert, On-Site Massage.

Any enquiries please contact Janelle. Email janelle.unwind@gmail.com or call 021 625 454. Nau Mai, Haere Mai.



Happy Birthday to...

Tinaiah Russell (7), Isaiah Blanchette-Matthews (9) and to all other students turning another year older during the school holidays. We hope you all have the best of days celebrating with your family and friends!



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Gardening Club

During lunch time, the gardening club work with parents (Susanne Bradley, Rachel Kohaly, Angela Reddecliffe, Tali Rose, Sara Zwart) to help weed 'The Ridge'.

The children want to help our environment by stopping the weeds from killing the plants.

The children's comments

- "I like gardening at school because we rake out the weeds and this helps the plants grow." Stella Bradley
- "We also find lots of little bugs like ladybugs, beetles, grasshoppers, and bees." Charlie Booker
- "If we weed, other plants can be on The Ridge". Sam Schneebeli
- "When we pulled up a huge weed with long roots, bark flicked onto our faces. We laughed and shook our heads." Stella Bradley





Wai Care

Some of the senior enviro students recently visited the Achilles reserve to monitor the stream. The children used scientific equipment to test for water purity. While they were there, true to Bayswater style, the students picked up the rubbish. We are very grateful to Julie Richardson (a parent of an ex pupil Jamie Cowley) who will take the children each month to enable regular monitoring of the stream.









The Yummy Apples School Promotion officially starts at the beginning of Term 2

Thank you to everyone that has still been collecting stickers and barcodes throughout the summer months.

To ensure our school gets a share of the \$200,000 free DG Sports gear, all you have to do is collect the Yummy cut-out labels from bags (each cut-out label is worth 10 stickers) and individual Yummy apple stickers. The more stickers we collect the more sports gear we get so please start collecting your Yummy cut-out labels and stickers now!

This year the promotion has a collection sheet specifically for Ambrosia, Sweet Tango and Lemonade Apples. Each sticker is worth double points. Collection sheets are held at the office.



You can pick up a collection sheet from the office or you can print a copy off the Parent Group Facebook Page.

Last year we were rewarded with lots of great sports equipment, lets see if we can do the same this year.

Community Notices

Winter Football/Soccer

Places are still available for any boys and girls, born between 2009-2012, wishing to play football this year. All training and games are played at North Shore Football Club, Allen Hill Stadium, Lake Road. If you are interested please contact Fiona by emailing **office@nsu.org.nz** in the first instance. Further details are on our website under "First Kicks" - **www.nsu.org.nz**

The Flash Bang Science Club

After School Classes for children aged 7yrs+ are open for bookings in Beach Haven. Bring science to life with fun filled, action packed science and technology sessions. For more information and bookings please check out www.flashbangscienceclub.co.nz or email: admin@flashbangscienceclub.co.nz

WPSS Phoenix Soccer Centre Term 2 after school clinic

Bayswater School, Bayswater (Fridays)



Term 2 dates:

Friday 5th May to Friday 7th July

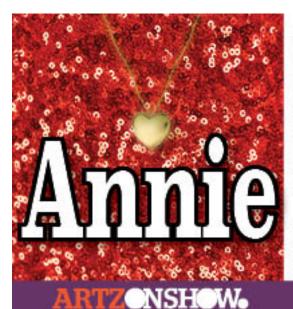
5-12yr old boys and girls

Time: 4:00pm - 5:00pm



Cost - \$150 - includes free WPSS training T Shirt for first time registrations.

To register visit http://wpss.org.nz/programme/soccer-school/



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!

18 - 21 April 2017, 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

Rudd School of Rock now accepting limited new enrolments for Term 2 2017 music lessons!

- ★ Individual music tuition for Guitar, Bass, Drums, Keyboard/Piano, Singing/Vocals and Ukulele PLUS Band Programmes
- ★ Learn from expert musicians with real-world music industry experience
- ★ Catering for all ages from beginners to advanced levels
- ★ New north shore teaching studio in Takapuna.

info@ruddschoolofrock.co.nz

www.ruddschoolofrock.co.nz

Easter Kids Holiday Program, 2017 - Ngataringa Tennis Club

Join us for the ever-popular Easter Holiday Program, running both weeks 9am-12:30pm (excluding public holidays). **Open to all ages, all equipment provided**. On rain or shine, with the new Junior clubhouse for indoor activities! Casual days or full week; email Rixt at **admin@tennisplus.co.nz** to book your kids' preferred spot(s).

M Sports (Football Kidz) Easter Holiday Football Camps

M Sports holiday programmes are delivered by our team of highly qualified staff. The camps are suitable for all ability levels from beginner to competent. Each day will be varied, stimulating and enjoyable.

Venues Devonport Primary School, 18 Kerr Street, Devonport, 0624 (9-3pm or 9-12pm)

Birkenhead Primary School, 77 Mokoia Road, Birkenhead, 0626 (9-12pm only)

Week 1 of the Holidays: Tuesday 18th April to Friday 21st April Week 2 of the Holidays: Wednesday 26th April to Friday 28th April

Register Your Child - Go to footballkidznz.co.nz, click 'register your child', 'holiday programmes', then 'book now' at the bottom of the page. Book your child's place now as numbers are limited.

Queries - Contact adminnorthshore@msports.co.nz or visit our website www.footballkidznz.co.nz

Design your own Name Plaque

Come and join us at the Navy Museum, Devonport, to design your very own name plaque. When: **18-21 and 24-28 April** The activity will not run on Anzac Day but do come and join us on Tuesday 25th April in commemorating Anzac Day and make a poppy for our 'Field of Remembrance'

Cost: \$3 per child

Sessions: 10:30am, 11:30am, 1:30pm and 2:30pm

Duration: approximately 40 minutes

Full details are available on our website www.navymuseum.co.nz. The activity is for 3 years and over and younger children will require adult assistance. Pre-booking is recommended though some walk up places may be available. All groups of ten or more must book. To book please contact the Navy Museum on 09 445 5186 or email **info@navymuseum.co.nz**



Conscious Kids Play Programme - April 24, 26-28th Fort Takapuna 9am-4pm

Our 100% nature play programmes are designed as an antidote to the fast paced technology filled world our children now inhabit... a chance to unwind and play as their parents did, climbing trees, building huts, exploring in their own time. Book now at www.consciouskids.co.nz

Ann Langis Call: 021 311 610 Email: ann@consciouskids.co.nz





Come and join us on Thursday 13th April for Bayswater Schools Teacher only day!!!



We will be running a holiday programme style day on Thursday 13th April with lots of crazy Easter fun with hatching bird crafts, smoothies and rabbit games madness, also an egg hunt, Easter decorations and choc noodle baskets!

School Holiday's with Kelly Club

We have a fun filled two weeks planned for your children, with arts 'n' crafts, cooking, games and much more. Our Wednesday trip days are to the Maritime Museum including a sail on a Waka Sailing Boat and Megazone Laser Tag.

We will be running Monday to Friday 7 am to 6 pm; we offer session times to suit all families:

Full day session is from 7 am to 6 pm - \$45 per day Morning half day session is from 7 am to 12:30 pm - \$30 per day School day session is from 9 am to 3 pm - \$35 per day Afternoon half day session is from 1 pm to 6 pm - \$30 per day

For more information and to book online, please visit www.kellyclub.co.nz, email bayswater@kellyclub.co.nz or call 022 301 8610. Work and Income OSCAR subsides are available to help cover the cost of our programme if you are eligible.



ZUMBA class with Ani

Devonport Community House Starts 20th April

Thursday at 6pm

\$5 per class

It is pretty much the most awesome workout ever! Dance to great music with great people, and burn a ton of calories without even realising it. It's fun, effective and best of all, made for everyone. Get fit and get happy!

Do you own a fine Devonport home? We need you!

Devonport Rotary and Bayleys are holding the 3rd Fine Homes Tour of Devonport on Friday 27th October 2017. We are currently seeking 10 Devonport-based fine homes to include in this prestigious event. Our target is to raise \$40,000 to divide equally between the following Charities: Alzheimers Auckland, Cure Kids, Plunket and Devonport Rotary. If you are interested in finding out more and to discuss whether your home might fit the bill, please contact: Lynda Betts at Devonport Bayleys

B: 09 487 0711 M: 0212 783 024 E: lynda.betts@bayleys.co.nz Deadline: end of May 2017

