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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: whakapau kaha - be proud to be the best that you can be



to our tamariki celebrating a birthday this fortnight.

Harry 7yrs
Metua 10yrs
Lucy 7yrs
Finlay 9yrs
Titus 7yrs
Solomon 7yrs

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



Kia ora Bayswater whānau

It was my privilege to attend the Takapuna Grammar School prizegiving last week. It was so good to see our past pupils stepping up and receiving awards for academic, cultural and sporting endeavours. As I watched the Year 13 Leavers come across the stage it was lovely to see what confident and successful adults they have become.

We're still working on the logistics around our new gates so please be patient - just a reminder that you will have to let your children in at the front of the school if they arrive late.

We're after someone with a sound system who'd like to join us for the Christmas Parade. Please let me know.

Yummy stickers - collecting Yummy Fruit Company stickers (and cut outs from the fruit bags) buys us sporting equipment. Start collecting now! Extra sheets are available at the office.

Nga mihi Marianne

Sports Results

Basketball

Bayswater Panthers played an awesome game today. It was intense and we were up against a pretty aggressive defensive Sunnybrae Rockets who got the job done beating us 16-8.

Everyone was the "player of the day" because they kept the same energy throughout, giving it their all, with great sportsmanship!

Dates to remember:

Tuesday 21 November Friday 24 November

Friday 1 December Thursday 7 December Friday 8 December

Wednesday 13 December Tuesday 19 December Wednesday 20 December School athletics day Term 4 Teacher Only Day

(NZ Curriculum Professional Development)
Peninsula Athletics (save day is 6 Dec)
Road Patrollers trip to Rainbows End

Prizegiving Reports go home

Whānau helpers' morning tea

School picnic day Final assembly

Last day of school for 2023

2024

Monday 5 February Wednesday 7 February

Interview Day
First full school day

From the garden - to the cups - to our tummies!

Room three put the lettuce in our garden to good use!

"It sounds disgusting but it tasted delicious!" (Nate)

"The day was great and we had so much fun - we shared our soup with room two." (Presley)

It tasted really good with the bread crusts! (Esmeralda)

The best part of the day was eating the soup! (Vinnie)



















Congratulations to our students who received a certificate at assembly on Friday 20 October for:



		completing our maths activity involving place value, rounding, three digit addition and subtraction, perimeter and word problems. Ka rawe, e hoa!
	Wiremu	the Bayswater values of Kairangatira. You showed Personal Excellence alongside Lennox in
		completing our maths activity involving place value, rounding, three digit addition and
Room 3	Ari	subtraction, perimeter and word problems. Ka rawe, e hoa! the Bayswater value of Manawaroa/Resilience. You have used this year to conquer goals and
1.00111.0	,	push yourself outside of your comfort zones. You should be incredibly proud of the
		achievements you've made. He whetū koe.
	Josh	the Bayswater value of Kairangatira/Personal Excellence. Josh, though you have only just
		joined our school, you have already been a role model for learning and participating in class discussions. We are very happy to have you at Bayswater. Tumeke.
Room 4	Willa	showing the Bayswater value of Personal Excellence/Kairangatira in maths. You successfully
		solved complex addition equations using algorithms. Ka pai Willa!
	Malacai	showing the Bayswater value of Personal Excellence/Kairangatira in the Keeping Ourselves
		Safe Programme. You confidently shared ideas during class discussions and showed respect towards your peers' ideas. Tino pai Malacai!
Room 7	Abraham	the Bayswater value of Kairangatira Personal Excellence. You identified a technical problem
		connecting the T.V. with the computer and through patience, trial and error was able to
		explain and successfully resolve it. Kia mau tonu te kaha nui.
	Alfie	the Bayswater values of Hauora and Manawaroa-Resilience. You have met the challenge of moving around via wheelchair and knee scooter with the happiest of smiles. Your resilience in
		navigating around a busy classroom while keeping others safe is a credit to you. Tumeke!
Room 9A	Valentino	the Bayswater value of Manawaroa - Resilience. You have been trying hard to stay focused
		on your learning and showing you are actively listening. Mīharo!
	Alex	the Bayswater value of Manawaroa - Resilience. You exercised your brain, making groups of
		ones and tens to symbolise teen numbers when learning about place value in maths. Ka rawe!
Room 9B	Mackenzie	demonstrating the Bayswater value of Kairangatira. You have shown personal excellence in
		maths by working hard on place value. You challenge yourself to read tricky numbers and
	Milon	group the digits into the places they belong. Ka pai Mackenzie!
	Milan	demonstrating the Bayswater value of Manawaroa. You have shown resilience when working on your reading activities. When you do not understand a word, you ask questions and try
		again until you succeed. Tino pai Milan!

Congratulations to our students who received a certificate at assembly on Friday 27 October for:



Room 2 Mia demonstrating the Bayswater value of Kairangatira-Personal Excellence through your organisation and dedication to a student led end of year production. Tumeke, e hoa! Sam demonstrating the Bayswater value of Manawaroa-Resilience for the collaborative and technical work you did in putting together the Waterwise slideshow. Ka rawe, e hoa! the Bayswater value of Kairangatira/Personal Excellence in science, as well as Hauora. When Room 3 Vinnie challenged to think of an alternative environment for growing beans, you suggested a greenhouse. Not only did you build it with knowledge and care, you included other excited students to join in on your mahi. Ka mau te wehi. independently completing your summary of a text and showing the Bayswater value of Noa Kairangatira/Personal Excellence. You wrote a thoughtful and accurate summary of the book you read and showed pride in your work. Ka pai Room 4 Arlo showing the Bayswater value of Kairangatira/Personal Excellence in writing. You used interesting vocabulary and your knowledge of the five senses to create a picture in the reader's mind of a setting. Mīharo! Karlia showing the Bayswater value of Kairangatira/Personal Excellence in maths. You confidently shared your knowledge of fractions with the class. You clearly explained your thinking and how you have answered fraction problems. Tumeke! the Bayswater value of Kairangatira in maths. By setting goals, asking for help when unsure and Room 7 Marnie focusing on practising activities, you have proudly excelled in math stages. And by using positive self-talk to make connections between your knowledge and strategies, you clearly explain your thinking when solving math answers. You are a super maths role model. Tumeke! Lachlan the Bayswater value of Kiarangatira. In writing and maths you acknowledge that your brain is busy with too many ideas. By practising positive self-talk and goal setting, you can now happily capture many of your ideas into simple paragraphs or use them to support explanations of maths problems. Keep taking risks with your learning. We are so proud of you. Tumeke! the Bayswater value of Manawaroa - Resilience. You have been gaining confidence in your Room 9A Skylar reading and giving tricky new words a go. Mīharo! the Bayswater value of Kairangatira - Personal Excellence. You have been working hard in all Aryzona your learning and sharing your great ideas. Keep it up! He whetū koe. demonstrating the Bayswater value of Kairangatira. You role model personal excellence by Room 9B Nikau working hard on every maths activity. You ask for new math challenges to learn more. You also

help your friends when they are stuck on a maths problem. Ka pai Nikau

offer to play with anyone who is alone. Tino pai Ataa!

Ataa

demonstrating the Bayswater value of Hauora. You always lift the wellbeing of those around you

with your positive attitude. You go out of your way to make sure your classmates are included and