



Beachlands School

Everyday Learning & Growing Together - Me mātau Ra

Week 7, Term 2 2024 - Monday 10 June 2024

From our Principal - Mr Anthony Noble-Campbell

Health and Physical Education Community Survey

The New Zealand Curriculum explains that in health and physical education, the focus is on the well-being of the students themselves, of other people, and of society through learning in health-related and movement contexts.

Four underlying and interdependent concepts are at the heart of this learning area:

- 1. Hauora** – a Māori philosophy of well-being that includes the dimensions taha wairua, taha hinengaro, taha tinana, and taha whānau, each one influencing and supporting the others.
- 2. Attitudes and values** – a positive, responsible attitude on the part of students to their own well-being; respect, care, and concern for other people and the environment; and a sense of social justice.
- 3. The socio-ecological perspective** – a way of viewing and understanding the interrelationships that exist between the individual, others, and society.
- 4. Health promotion** – a process that helps to develop and maintain supportive physical and emotional environments and that involves students in personal and collective action.

The information collected from this survey will assist in planning for 2025. We welcome your voice into this survey to help guide our Health & Physical Education programme. **This survey will be sent to you via email by 3.00pm today and will close on Friday 21 June 2024.**

Message from our Presiding Member, Mr Toby Bridge

After the sad announcement of Anthony's decision to resign as Principal of Beachlands School, the Board is working through a process to appoint a new principal for our school over the coming months. We are committed to finding the perfect person to take over this important role and as such we need to make sure we take enough time to find the right person for this role.

Therefore, the Board is aiming to have our new principal commencing in the first term of 2025. In the meantime, we are very pleased to confirm that Mrs Lisa Bethune has agreed to take over in an Acting Principal role from Monday 5 August 2024 until the appointment is made.

Lisa knows the role well having stepped in as Acting Principal at the end of last year and the handover process has already commenced with Lisa picking up key parts of the principal role ensuring a smooth handover. The Board are grateful to Lisa for her support of the school and community.

Mr Toby Bridge
Presiding Member
Beachlands School Board

Welcome New Students and Families

A very warm welcome to our new student starting our school this week. May you love learning at our school alongside making new friends.

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WELCOME!
New STUDENTS & FAMILIES

Happy Birthday To You!

May the following students who are celebrating their birthdays this week have a wonderful day filled with happiness, excitement & fun with family and friends!



Cora, Lize-Mari, Olivia, Jaime, Reece,
Isobel, Marisa, Malakai, Liam, Nate, Dylan



Jammies in June!

Just a reminder to keep those PJ's coming in! There is a box in the office where you can drop your PJs off.

Remember older children need Pjs too! Sizes 10 upwards are also really needed!



Beachlands School Cross Country 2024

Cross Country will be held on Thursday 20 June (save day Thursday 27 June). **Please note: The Years' 0 to 2 Cross Country will now be held at school with a start time of 9.00am** followed by Years' 3 to 8 which will be at Te Puru Park.

We cannot run this event without parent support - currently we do not have enough volunteers to go ahead so PLEASE SUPPORT US.

Here is the google link for [Years 3-8 \(Totara, Rimu & Kauri\)](#)



Produce for sale

On Friday 15 June, Mrs Skeen and the Years' 5 & 6 EFS students will be having a produce sale under the blue cover - we will have lemons and mandarins for sale.

Prices will range from \$2.00 to \$5.00. We look forward to seeing you. All profits will go towards our garden to table project.



Sports, Sports and More Sports involving Beachlands School Teams

As the winter sports session kicks in, numerous students across years 5-8 have recently represented our school in a variety of sporting codes such as Table Tennis, Chess, Football, Gymnastics, Rugby, Netball, Badminton, Basketball, and Rippa.



Many thanks to all our teams coaches, managers and supporters from the sidelines and of course those who assist with transport to and from the above mentioned sporting events. The gift of your time, expertise, skills and overall support is greatly appreciated by all of us. Good luck to our Year 7/8 rugby team that will be competing in the South Eastern Zones competition this Friday.



Top Left: Year 7/8 SEZ Badminton Team, **Bottom Left:** Year 5/6 HPPA Football Team

Right: Year 7/8 Beachlands Breakers Basketball Team who are undefeated at this time.

HPPA Years' 5 & 6 Fantastic Football

On Tuesday 4 June 2024, 30 Rimu Team students took part in the HPPA Football Fun day. For many students this was the first time they had played football. Everybody had such a fantastic day encouraging each other. Thank you to all those parents who supported us by transporting children, managing a team and cheering our teams on.



Years' 7 & 8 South Eastern Zone Badminton

On Tuesday 4 June 2024, at around 8:00am, our team of 8 from the Kauri Team set out to SEZ Badminton at Lloyd Elsmore, an event that took around the whole day.

The event consisted of 2 match formats – Doubles & Singles. After a long day, we managed to win a few rallies and matches, but ultimately didn't get a ranking.

SEZ Badminton was a rollercoaster of an event, but at the end of the day, I'd like to say our team did really well, teamwork wise and playing wise!



Myra Garg, Year 8

Positive Behaviour for Learning (PB4L)



The winner for week 6 was **Tokomaru House**. Well done on a great effort over the week. The Houses are coming together and working as a team as the overall points are getting closer.

Over the next few weeks, we are concentrating on keeping our learning spaces clean and tidy, by respecting our classrooms and each other. We will be learning about returning equipment that we have finished with, notifying an adult of any damage and keeping our place tidy. There is a particular focus on keeping our library and Hauora Room tidy.

Matariki Art by Tui 16

Tui 16 have been mixing colours (purple, blue, white and black) to paint a background and then choose a landscape to create the Matariki skyline including the stars. There are 7 sister stars Matariki, Tupuārangi, Waipuna-ā-Rangi, Waitī, Tupuānuku, Ururangi, Waitā, and two parent stars Pōhutukawa and Hiwa-i-te-Rang. You will find this fabulous artwork in our hallway next to the library.

Here are some of our wonderful artists: Isabel, Imogen, Callan, Connor and Jasper



Takutai Intergenerational MasterChef

Thanks to the Takutai Trust, some of our Beachlands School students (past and present) were cooking up a storm this weekend. Working alongside seniors, they were tasked with creating dishes using food that had been rescued and sourced in our community. It was great fun to see everyone cooking and eating their creations together.



Wearable Arts - Thursday 13 June 2024 - 6.30pm till 9.00pm

This week is the fabulous Wearable Arts show. Tickets are still available on Eventfinda. Come support our students! **Eye on Nature Wearable Arts Fashion Show 2024** at the **BNZ Theatre at Due Drop Events Centre**, Auckland

For friends and family who can't make it to the show in person, there will also be **streaming of the show LIVE on Facebook** for the first time this year! [RSVP to the event here](#) to get a notification when the stream is live.

Speech and Drama at Beachlands School

Speech and Drama lessons at Beachlands School on Fridays! **Imaginaire** teach an exciting and fun Speech & Drama programme during the school day on Fridays, inspiring creativity and confidence in our students.

We have a few spaces for new enrolments. We offer a 'no obligation' first lesson so your child can try our lessons out. For more information and to enrol please visit:

<https://www.imaginaire.co.nz/speech-and-drama/>

PTA - Delicious PTA Fundraiser

Get ready to tantalise your taste buds and experience the ultimate in comfort food with our latest fundraiser! The PTA together with Dad's Pies are delighted to offer our community the opportunity to purchase boxes of 12 individual size pies.

The delicious flavours we have available are:

★ **The 2023 Bakel Supreme Pie award winning Mince and Cheese**

★ **Steak and Cheese**

★ **Buffalo Style Chicken**

★ **Bacon and Egg**

★ **Gluten Free Angus Mince**

How to order:

- On Monday 10 June, the eldest child of each family will bring home an order form (please check their bag!)
- Be the organising family and rally your family and friends around to give you their orders and payment
- Deposit all raised funds into **your** account or hold the cash until the ordering deadline closes
- By Thursday 20 June 2024, the organising family deposits all raised funds into the school's (bank account 12-3040-0490765-00 - eldest child name as particulars, pies as reference) or brings the cash into the office - **please note: one order form = one payment.**
- Scan to the order form to rboggs@beachlands.school.nz or drop the form into Rebecca in the office **no later than Thursday 20 June 2024**
- The office team will then place the order (**important: Your orders won't be placed unless all funds and order form are received**)
- The pies will then be delivered to Beachlands School on Friday 5 July 2024
- Please ensure that a member of the organising family is available to pick up their order from the library on delivery day - Friday 5 July 2024

All funds raised will go towards the repair of the school pool!



IMPORTANT DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Term 2 Dates

Sushi Wednesday: from Wednesday 1 May to Wednesday 3 July 2024

Scholastic Classroom orders close: Friday 14 June 2024

Scholastic Parent LOOP orders close: Friday 21 June 2024

Dad's Pies Fundraiser: Commencing Monday 10 June - Thursday 20 June (delivered on 4 July)

Junior Assembly: Friday 21 June from 8.40am to 9.30am

Senior Assembly: Thursday 27 June from 8.40am to 9.30am

Cross Country: Thursday 20 June 2024 (save date Thursday 27 June)

Matariki Holiday: Friday 28 June 2024 (school closed)

Jammies in June: Whole of June 2024

PJ Dress Up Day: Friday 5 July 2024 - Gold Coin Donation

PTA Treat Friday: Friday 5 July 2024

Kauri Team (Years 7 & 8) Production: **PLEASE NOTE THESE DATES HAVE SLIGHTLY CHANGED**

★ **Dress Rehearsal:** Tuesday 2 July 2024

★ **Parent and Whānau Performance:** Tuesday 2 July 2024 - 1.00pm Matinee

★ **Parent and Whānau Performance:** Tuesday 2 July 2024 - 6.00pm Evening

★ **Parent and Whānau Performance:** Wednesday 3 July 2024 - 6.00pm Evening

★ **Tickets will be available for purchase from Monday 17 June 2024**

Term 2 Ends: Friday 5 July 2024

Term 3 Dates

Book Week and Book Fair: Monday 22 July to Friday 26 July 2024

Book Character Dress Up Day: Friday 26 July 2024

Maths Learning Conferences: Wednesday 24 July and Thursday 25 July 2024

Howick College Parent Information Evening for 2025 Students: Wednesday 7 August 2024

Term 4 Dates

Teacher Only Day: Friday 25 October 2024 (school closed)

Labour Day: Monday 28 October 2024 (school closed)

Years' 5 to 8 Athletics: Tuesday 29 October at Lloyd Elsmore (save date Tuesday 5 November)

Whanau Day: Monday 18 November 2024

Community Ball: Saturday 2 November 2024 at Te Puru Community Centre