



# Randwick School

17 August 2022

Wednesday 17th August / Ko Rāapa tekau mā whitu o Here-turi-kōkā

Kia ora e ngā whānau

Thanks to those of you who were able to come to our whānau hui last week; there was a lot of really useful discussion and we got some great feedback on what our Graduate Profile could look like. We will now collate this information and continue to discuss it with students, staff and whānau. We are hoping to provide another opportunity for more whānau to give their voices to this work in the near future.

The Cultural Workshop last week was a great success and everyone had a great deal of fun. Today's workshop has been postponed due to staff illness. This will now be next Wednesday 24th August between [4.30-6.30pm](#) in the library. Please come along and support this important work.

Randwick School will have a Kapa Haka / Poly Club group performing at the upcoming Hutt Fest. Please look out for information in the next week or so as we will require a great deal of whānau support. You will also be able to purchase tickets for the performance in coming weeks.

We have the Build and Play trailer at school this week and for an extra week next week. This is an opportunity for the students to construct a range of items using wood and other materials. To offer this programme we need a number of people to help with supervision for health and safety. Not many whānau have offered to help supervise the programme so very few children have actually had a chance to Build and Play. If you are able to help out please let your classroom teacher know.

## Lost Property

There is a huge amount of lost property in the corridor next to Kowhai. Please go through this and take your clothing home. It will all be put in the clothing box on Friday so please have a good look - there is 1000s of dollars worth of clothing in there that we don't want to give away.

## Mauri Mahi Mauri Ora

The students have been working very hard over the last term or so to show and grow their mana. Collectively we earn tokens when we show or grow mana. We ask the students and staff to identify when others show and grow their mana and they regularly stand up and share these examples in class and in mihi whakatau. We have recently filled our Mana Token Kete meaning that we have all worked together to do the mahi, get the treats (Mauri Mahi, Mauri Ora). Next Monday we get the treats. We will be taking the whole school over to Junglerama and Jumperama where they will all have an hour at each activity as a reward. We will be leaving school at 12.00pm and returning by 3.00pm and we will be walking. A Skool Loop notice was sent out yesterday and we require your permission for students to attend. We also require some whānau support to help with supervision. Please make sure that you have completed the online form so that your tamariki can attend. Please make sure that your tamariki are wearing raincoats if the weather is not great as we are walking to and from the venue.

**Kai at Randwick School / Please help:**

We are finding that a number of students are starting to bring their own lunches to school. Randwick School is part of the Healthy Foods programme and the idea is that every child is provided with a healthy meal every day. When everyone eats the school food we know that they are getting a nutritious meal that meets their dietary needs. We order a lunch for every child, unless we have had a discussion with whānau about why their child does not require a school meal. There have been significant changes to the lunch menu to improve it for our students. Twice a week they get hot meals and there is a lot more variety in the menu. It is not possible for students to select the school lunch on some days and not others as we order a week ahead so that the company can order the correct number of ingredients. We are very concerned about the amount of food waste each day because students are choosing not to eat the food or are bringing lunch from home instead. If you would like to discuss your child's lunch arrangements with us, please make contact with me directly.

Students can bring their own morning tea and there are snacks available at school for students that require them. We are a healthy school so please encourage your child to bring healthy food. Please don't send large packets of chippies, takeaways or drinks to school. Randwick School is a Water Only School so students are asked not to bring any drinks to school.

Please help us sort the kai situation at school so that it is a fair and healthy system for everyone.

Our next assembly is this Friday. You are welcome to attend but please remember to wear a mask, hand sanitise and socially distance.

Please do not come down the school driveway as this is very dangerous for our students and staff.

Ngā mihi mahana

Nā Whaea Mons

## **Hutt Fest 2022 - we need you!!**

Kia ora! Talofa! Hello!

To all our wonderful whanau

The Hutt Fest is finally able to start up again and I am excited to say that we are going!!! We will be taking a group of seniors from Ngā Waekura to perform in this massive event and they have been working extremely hard towards this.

I have registered us as “Te Ahi Whetu” meaning “The Shining Stars” and we will be performing a couple of Māori items followed by a couple of Pacifica items.

This is happening at the Walter Nash Centre in Taita during the last week of school. This event is after school hours so we will need a lot of whānau support to make this happen.

Before the Kapa Haka performance I am needing whanau that I can awahi with:

Sizing up the boys and girls with kakahu preferably 2 people with the boys and two people with the girls  
Sewing, as some kakahu may need alterations

Making the head pieces

Making the head pieces  
Drawing moko on the tamariki

If you are able to awhi anywhere please contact me directly at [bjacobson@randwick.school.nz](mailto:bjacobson@randwick.school.nz) so that we can make arrangements.

Nga Mihi

Whaea Bee

# HUTTFEST 2022

CELEBRATING OUR - 'CULTURAL IDENTITY'



## Bake Sale

Our netball teams are fundraising for an end of season netball celebration and will be holding a Bake Sale in the hall next Thursday 25th August at 1.15pm. Students can bring along some money to buy some treats on the day to support our netball teams.

## The Great Kiwi Circus

We have been donated tickets to the Great Kiwi Circus which is on at Sacred Heart College on Wednesday 7 September at 6.00pm. If your whānau would like some tickets, please send me an email, come to the office or send a note along with your child.

## New students

Welcome to Freedom McConville and Hohepa Mepham. Freedom has joined us in Te Rangi Tako and Hohepa has joined us in Kowhai. We are delighted to have you both as part of our Randwick whānau.

## Classroom phrases

Here are some phrases that staff will be introducing to the children over time. Please support them by practising some of these at home.

Māori	English	Māori	English
Kia kaha	Be brave	Ka rawe atu	That's great
Tino pai	Very good	Tino pai rawa atu	Excellent
Ka taea e koe!	You can do it!	Kia pai tō rā	Have a great day
Ka mau te wehi	How awesome!	Turituri	Quiet
Pai mārika taku rā	I had a good day	Aroha mai	Sorry
Nōku te hē	My bad!	Taihoa	Wait
Kia tau	Settle down	Koia!	That's right
Hei te pai e hoa	She'll be right mate	Mahi tiki ana	Great work
Aua	I don't know / not sure	Kua rite?	Are you ready?
He pene māu?	Where is your pen?	Ka taea e au te pene?	Can I please have a pen?
Ka pēhea koe e mōhio ai?	How do you know?	He aha te kupu Māori mō?	What is the Māori word for?
E inu!	Drink!	E kai!	Eat!
Homai te potae	Give me the hat	Hoatu ki a Jack	Give to Jack
He aha tēnei?	What's this?	He aha ēnei?	What are these?
Titiro mai	Look at me	Titiro atu	Look away
Whakarongo mai	Listen to me	Kōrero mai	Talk to me
E ū te mahi	Stay on task	<u>Whakawetongia</u> te raiti	Turn off the light
Kino kē te mahi tahi	Great working together!	Whakakangia te raiti	Turn on the light
Huri mai	Turn this way	<u>Whahokia</u> te pukapuka	Return the book
Huri atu	Turn away	Whakahokia ngā pukapuka	Return the books
Kuhu mai	Come in	Hoki atu ki ō koutou turu	Go back to your chairs
Pakipaki koutou	Everybody clap	Haere mai ki te whāriki	Come to the mat
Kuhu mai ki roto	Come inside	Hoki mai ki te whāriki	Come back to the mat
He moemoeā	You're dreaming	Whakahokia ēna ki te wāhi tika	Put those back where they belong
Kia tere	Hurry up	Pānui-ā-waha mai	Read aloud to me

# Sports - Netball Draw Term 3 2022

## ***Randwick School BlueJays (Year 7/8)***

### **Saturday 20th August**

- 2.30pm against St Oran's College on court 2

*Game is played at Taita netball courts.*

## ***Randwick School Warriors (Year 5/6)***

### **Monday 22nd August**

- 4.45pm against Rata Street School:2

Taita Netball Courts - court 7

# Sports - Basketball Draw Term 3 2022

## **Randwick School BlueJays Yr7/8**

### **All games are played on Wednesdays**

17th August at 3.45pm, WNC 4 against Raphael House

24th August at 6.25pm, WNC 4 against Fergy Thunder

31st August at 8.25pm, WNS2 against Naenae Warriors

## **Randwick School Warriors Yr5/6**

### **All games are played on Thursdays**

18th August at 3.45pm, WNC 4 against Tawhai House

25th August at 5pm, WNC 4 against OLRS Bucks

1st September at 4.35pm, WNC 4 against Muritai Longshots

# Student of the Week

Congratulations to Honor Tapara-Robin who was our student of the week winner in our last assembly. I wonder who this weeks winner could be?



# Principal's Awards

Congratulations to Kyan Davies and Mose Latu who won the Principal's Awards in our assembly last week. Kyan received her award for showing mana as a great leader and tuakana. Mose's award was for showing mana through caring for others. Great work!



## Important Dates

Friday 19th August - Assembly 9am-10am

Monday 22nd August - Junglerama school trip 12.30pm - 2.30pm

**Wednesday 24th August - Cultural Language accessory making workshop Two 4.30pm - 6.30pm**

Friday 2nd September - Onesie Day

Tuesday 27th September - Hutt Fest performance.

## Absentees

# ABSENT CHILD/REN

When you make contact with the school to advise your child/ren are away please **always** give an explanation.

It is a requirement for the school to explain on each students record why they are away, and unfortunately if you ring up to advise they are absent, but give no explanation, then it is recorded as 'explained but not justified'.

If we have no contact from the absent students caregivers then the student is marked as 'truant'.

All our attendance information is forwarded automatically to the Ministry of Education



**Best wishes over the next 7 days to**

Makyla To Amo, Thamecin Sally, Tyrone Estelle, Gedy Bonner, and Nikkita Cooper

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  - » Treating winter head and respiratory ailments
  - » What are kids learning at school?
  - » How to finance those pearly whites
  - » Activities to keep little minds busy
- and (as always) EPIC GIVEAWAYS

## Community Sports Bank

### COMMUNITY SPORTS BANK

Your local Community Sports Bank has sports gear to get families active, get friends together and ease the effects of the last few months on everyone's mental health.

Community Sports Banks are a drop off point for unused or outgrown sports gear, and for that gear to be picked up and used by kids, teenagers and adults that would otherwise not be able to afford it. Sport poverty is a growing issue within our communities with three main barriers to sport participation; subs/fees, equipment costs, and transport. The aim of the Community Sports Banks is to reduce/eliminate the cost of equipment for those in need and by this, increase sport participation and get more people active.

We will drop in some Community Sport Bank cards soon. Please give these out to kids or whanau that might not otherwise be able to access sports gear, they can take the card to their local Community Sports Bank and get free sports gear (including new mouthguards).

I've also attached a small notice for your school newsletter to let students and whanau know about the sports bank and encourage sports gear to be dropped off.

Please also encourage students/parents to offer rides to neighbours or friends who might like to play a sport, but might not be able to get to games/trainings. There are often plenty of spare seats in cars. Some sports clubs also have a selection of second hand boots/gear for a small cost, to enable cheaper participation.

Your nearest Community Sports Bank is:

Kokiri Marae

7-9 Barnes Street

Seaview, Lower Hutt

Open Monday - Friday 8am-5pm

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[www.facebook.com/CommunitySportsBank](http://www.facebook.com/CommunitySportsBank)

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