

# Sunnybrae Normal School

**Our Vision is to be : 'A connected community of positively engaged learners'**

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## Dates to note for Weeks 1 & 2

### Thursday 3rd May

Senior Syndicate Camp Parent Information session at 7:00pm in the Staffroom.

### Tuesday 8th May

Rooms 18/19 trip to the Museum

### Wednesday 9th May

Rooms 8/17 trip to the Museum

Drop-in Cafe - Library from 2.30 -3 pm

### Friday 11th May

Full school assembly at 2.15 pm. Our hosts are Rooms 14 & 11. Senior Kapa Haka to perform.

## Māori Kupu/te Reringa Kōrero

### Māori word/phrase of the Week

**oho - awake**

Kua oho mai koe  
You're awake

## Health & Safety Tips

Walking to and from school with your child is the perfect opportunity to demonstrate safe behaviour, and it's good for you and the environment. One less car at the gate means it's safe for other children too.

### Road Safety Week NZ

Term 2 Week 2.

Theme = Seatbelts and Distractions.



## Tēna koutou to all of our parents, caregivers and whānau,

Welcome back to Term 2. We hope you had an enjoyable holiday break and are ready for a fantastic term. This week we would like to welcome the following students and their families to our school: Matilda Ho (R1), Ravyn Annear (R2), Willow Annear (R19), Ishita Vadrevu (R13), Brian Dang (R14), Leon Crooks (R9), Fatima Rizvi (R14), Anita Watcharawanee (R3) and Summer Old (R6). A warm welcome to a talented teacher joining our staff this term, Viv Morley. Viv has previously taught at Sunnybrae and we are so excited to have her back. She brings a wealth of experience and knowledge to our Middle Syndicate and we are delighted to have her on board. We are pleased that our students will benefit from her energy, engagement and curriculum knowledge.

### Lost and Found

A near new polar fleece size 6 jersey (unnamed) was handed into the office at the end of Term 1.



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### Community Notices

- Southern Stars Charitable Trust has kindly sent us free tickets for their performance of *Cinderella* to be held at the Logan Campbell Centre, ASB Showgrounds, Green Lane Road next Saturday 5th May at 10 am or 1 pm. Each ticket is entry for 1 adult and 2 children from 1 - 14 years. Please ask at the office if you would like tickets.
- *What Now* is filming live in the Birkenhead/Northcote area next Sunday 6th May. You are invited to be part of the live audience. Register online at ... [www.whatnow.tv/bonus/audience](http://www.whatnow.tv/bonus/audience)
- Judo classes are available at Forrest Hill School for children from 5 - 12 years of age. First session free. Term 2 starts Monday 30th April. Inquiries to Johan Bomhoff 021 113 2105 or email ... [crobson@forresthillschool.nz](mailto:crobson@forresthillschool.nz).
- Kelly Sports after school programme will be running in Term 2. Please check online for details at [www.kellysports.co.nz](http://www.kellysports.co.nz).

### School Disco

Our School Annual Disco is being held on Friday 18 May. Year 1-3 from 5:30 - 6:45pm and Year 4-6 from 7:00 - 8:30pm. This is held to support our World Vision sponsored child in Malawi. Further information will be forwarded nearer the time.

### School Dental Van

The school dental van will be here from this Tuesday to Friday. All our children will have their teeth checked once a year. If they don't have a check up this week, they will have one later in the year. If treatment is needed, you will be advised to make an appointment at the Glenfield Intermediate Dental Clinic.

### Yummy Sticker Promotion

Our school is participating again in the Yummy Sticker promotion and we are asking you to collect the Yummy cut-out labels from bags and the stickers from apples. These are available from New World and Pak'n'Save. A collection sheet will be sent home with the eldest child today. Participating schools get a share of \$200,000 worth of sports gear, depending on the number of stickers collected.

### Uniform Sales

We have a full supply of winter uniform. Uniform sales take place between 8.30 - 8.55 am daily. Please take your child with you to the Uniform Room as it is almost always necessary to try on the items before you buy.

### Unidentified Deposit

On 9th April an amount of \$322 was deposited into our account with the notation, "Lin, SC5". We are unable to identify this parent name. Please call the office if this came from you.

### Celebrating Success at Sunnybrae

\*Congratulations to the students whose names were drawn out from the Respect Badge box at our last singing assembly: Irene Kwon (R3), Nicholas Chen (R2) and Emily Zhou (R1).

\*Congratulations to the swimming team who represented Sunnybrae at the North Shore Swimming Zone competition at the end of last term. A special congratulations to Joseph Shin who won 3 gold medals and Harira Won who won a silver medal. Other team members were Arvin Alipourrezaee, Jaimee Hoani, Ema Lavemaau, Annabel Lien, Ruby Railton and Corey Snape.

**Thanks to** those who have ordered lunches through the online company EZlunch. Our commission for Term 1 is \$74.61.

Nga mihi nui

Lorene Hurd  
Principal

### Sports Update

- Auckland Diving is coming to our school to introduce Year 3-6 students to the sport of diving. The instructor will talk to the students about the sport of diving and go through a student testing programme. This will be done during a 45 minute Physical Education lesson in the school hall this week.
- Kiwi Tennis lessons are available on Monday lunch times at Sunnybrae. \$63 per child. More information is available on the following link. Please sign up using the link.  
<https://kiwitenis.co.nz/programme/schools-tennis/north-shore/sunnybrae-normal-school>
- Netball Umpires needed! Monday (Y4) and Wednesday (Y5/6) after school games - times may vary. Are you able to help out? Do you know any high school children that might be keen? If so, please contact Laura Bateman at [lbateman@sunnybrae.school.nz](mailto:lbateman@sunnybrae.school.nz).

