



Belmont Primary School

Upcoming Events

Thursday 5 July	Parent Teacher Conferences—School closes at 12.30
Friday 6 July	Assembly with R12. Last day of Term 2
Monday 23 July	Start of Term 3
Friday 3 August	Assembly with R13
Thursday 9 August	Rippa Rugby
Wednesday 15 August	Speech Finals
Thursday 16 August	School Photos
Friday 17 August	Assembly with R14
Friday 31 August	Assembly with Show Item
Friday 14 September	Assembly with R11
17–28 September	School Show Madagascar



TERM DATES 2018

Term 2 2018 Mon 30 Apr - Fri 6 Jul
 Term 3 2018 Mon 23 Jul - Fri 28 Sep
 Term 4 2018 Mon 15 Oct - Fri 14 Dec
 Term 1 2019 Mon 4 Feb - Fri 12 April
 Term 2 2019 Mon 29 Apr - Fri 5 Jul
 Term 3 2019 Mon 22 Jul - Fri 27 Sep
 Term 4 2019 Mon 14 Oct - Wed 18 Dec

Principal's Comments:

Dear Parents and Friends of Belmont School

Thanks to all the parents for their full involvement in another busy term. We have had sports exchanges, sports field days, class trips, camps, production mums making costumes and designing face painting, early morning starts for Matariki celebrations and of course Parent Teacher Conferences. I would also like to acknowledge all the staff for the outstanding continual work they do in the class and outside the class. I am continually reminded by visitors how good our students, teachers and support staff are.

I also need to acknowledge the wonderful contribution Miss Natasha Taylor has made to our school. Tash has been here 8 years and is a true professional colleague. Her willingness to share her resources, search for amazing sites for children and teachers and lead our Technology curriculum, which is forever changing, has been amazing. I know the



parents and children who have had Tash will agree that she has had a positive impact on their children's education. We also farewell her son Louis de Beer who has spent many years of long school days here with his mum and as a student.

Many of our families are involved with Belmont Primary School for some years as their line up of children join our school. One such family is the McAlpines and it is with great sadness that we farewell them tomorrow. We have thoroughly enjoyed getting to know Saxon who is now at high school and his sisters Savarna and Trinity and lastly their youngest brother Harper. We wish the children and their dad, Tim, a wonderful new beginning in Matamata. Thank you also to Nancy (their proud Nana) for all the spoiling you have done of the staff over the years.

If you have been unable to make the Parent Teacher Conferences today and you would like to discuss your child's progress, their social behaviours and ask questions, please contact the teacher and arrange an interview time suitable to both of you.

I have been granted leave for the first two weeks of Term 3 and Mrs Bioletti will be Acting Principal. If you have any concerns about anything please make an appointment to see her, remembering your child's teacher should be the first port of call.

Finally, I wish all the children an enjoyable break and hope the staff refresh their batteries also.

Bruce Cunningham

Principal



Certificate Winners

Room 1	Rhian Gates
Room 2	Trinity McAlpine
Room 3	Amelia Peacocke
Room 4	Milla Rodrigues-Birch
Room 5	Ziron Su
Room 6	Jury Magdi
Room 7	Gina Kim
Room 8	Aoife Mortland
Room 9	Milan Johnson
Room 10	Ollie Pilkington-Nunn
Room 11	Ruby Alpers
Room 12	Morgan Kearns
Room 13	Nadia Letica
Room 14	Isabelle Mahoney
Room 15	Jerry Li
Room 16	Max Wang
Room 17	Ben Harvey
Room 18	Amelia Thomas
Te Reo	Phoenix Crane

The **Values Award** went to Luke Allen.

The **Bayleys Growth Mindset Award**

went to Cash Gibson.



BAYLEYS

Belmont Primary Newsletter – PTA Update

Last week Toby Foster from Room 2 got to live every Roald Dahl fan's dream when he discovered a golden ticket in his lunch order. The sought-after find meant Toby's class got to enjoy a tray of cupcakes - yum! - all thanks to our new school sponsors, Vic and Jemma of Harcourts.

But it wasn't just about the golden ticket. The 322 pies and sausage rolls you ordered to warm your kids' tummies earned nearly \$600 for our school. Thanks for your support.

Next term it's all bright lights and dazzling costumes as our mainly senior students set to wow us in the school show. We'll be getting involved and can't wait to see it in action. Make sure you grab your tickets when they go on sale - the

kids would love your support.

Speaking of support, we'd like to give a shout out to one of Belmont Primary's key suppliers - Programmed Property Services. The yearly fee paid to PPS covers a regular, programmed painting and maintenance service, as well as regular wash downs. The annual charge also includes a re-paint of the entire school every seven years, so there are no large painting bills to contend with in any one year. That's good news for the books.

Enjoy the holiday break and we look forward to updating you next term.

PTA



Belmont Intermediate School - Enrolments 2019

Information evening: 26 July 2018, 7:00pm – School Hall

Parents and caregivers are invited to attend an information evening to learn more about Belmont Intermediate School and what we offer. No pre-registration is required.

Open day tours: 6 August 2018, 11am – School Hall

8 August 2018, 9:15am – School Hall

We welcome all prospective parents, caregivers and students to attend our open day tours to see our school in action. The tours will provide you with an opportunity to see our programmes and facilities first hand.

For more information please see our website: <http://www.belmontint.school.nz/enrolment-bis/>

CHILDREN'S ART CLASS AFTER SCHOOL at the Rose Centre

We are hugely excited to be able to bring our very popular art workshops after school to the Bayswater/Belmont area, on Tuesdays 3.00pm - 5pm at The Rose Centre. Supervised afternoon tea and break from 3pm - 3.30pm. For more info and to book

<http://www.creativematters.co.nz/art-workshops-after-school.html>



DON'T FORGET TO CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE FOR PHOTOS, HOLIDAY PROGRAMMES AND COMMUNITY NOTICES

<http://www.belmont.school.nz/>