RESOURCEFULNESS



Issue: 10/18

Newsletter Date: 5th July 2018

CORBANS ART CENTRE

Last Monday I got to go to the Corbans Art Centre with our last group of students. What an awesome experience! We have received wonderful feedback from the Corbans staff about the wonderful manners of our children. They were extremely impressed by the creativity of our children with their art and their willingness to give new things a go. We love receiving great feedback like this!

I have also heard great feedback (and seen with my own eyes) how wonderful our parent helpers have been on this trip. Everyone helped out as required and were absolutely lovely with the children. How lucky are we to have such amazing parents willing to give up a day to support children's learning.

For those children who created a clay masterpiece, these will be delivered to school once they have been fired in the kiln. This might be before the end of this term or at the beginning of next term Thank you for your patience around this.

The other fabulous thing is we found Ber Bear on our last trip to Corbans. She had been hanging around the Arts Centre doing art and taking selfies! We found her in the art room with her apron on ready to create a clay masterpiece! She is now safely home in the library waiting for children to read to her. Even Rory the cat curled up on her knee the first day she was back! Welcome home Ber Bear!

	_	•
Dates	ton c	IANIAC
Duies	101 0	iiui ies
		1

BOT mtg 6pm	5/7
Term 2 finishes 2pm	6/7
Term 3 begins	23/7
Rippa Rugby Tournament	2/8
Reports sent home	10/8
Feedback to Parents meetings 1.30-7pm	16/8
Rippa Rugby Tournament	22/8
BOT mtg 6pm	23/8

Bayview School Newsletter

www.bayview.school.nz

09 444 2222

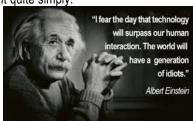
office@bayview.school.nz

Greetings, Kia ora, Hola, Talofa lava, Namaste, Bula Vinaka, Ola, Bonjour, Kumustá, Goeie dag, Chào, Asalam aleykum, Konnichi wa, Annyong, Malo e lelei, Guten Tag, Salut, Fakaalofa atu, Sok sabai jie te, Grüezi!

Dear Bayview Families,

MINDFULNESS

I am sure we are all aware the world is changing, we have the explosion of technology where people text each other or 'Like' social media posts as opposed to actually talking face to face with each other. Albert Einstein put it quite simply:



At Bayview School we have increasing numbers of students who suffer from anxiety and New Zealand as a whole has horrific mental health statistics. As a state primary school we have a responsibility to not only teach the academics but also to ensure the principles, key competencies and values of the New Zealand curriculum are taught, of which health and wellbeing are key components.

Throughout the curriculum learning to learn and how to relate positively with others are strong foci. Our Bayview curriculum fulfils the requirements of this national curriculum with our strong focus on values and relationships and knowing yourself as a learner.

One area we are building strength in is mindfulness. Mindfulness is the basic human ability to be fully present, aware of where we are and what we are doing, and not overly reactive or overwhelmed by what's going on around us.

In this busy 21st century full of technology we often neglect how important it is to connect with those around us in positive and meaningful ways. Our social skills are affected and it can become more difficult to make friends. We have noticed this with some of our students. By practicing mindfulness and the art of being kind we aim to support students in building self-esteem, confidence and those ever important social skills.

We are part of a group of schools in New Zealand who use the 'Feel Brave' resources. These resources were set up to support parents and schools to support students who suffer from anxiety. We regularly use these resources to support our students and to help develop coping strategies and resilience. If you are interested in looking at these you can visit the website www.feelbrave.com

We also talk frequently about 'being an upstander'. An upstander is someone who sees something that is not right and works to make it right without causing harm to anyone else. We have lots of upstanders at Bayview School and to recognise them we have added a new item to our uniform, silicon wrist bands. These wrist bands say 'Team Bayview Upstander'. They cannot be purchased, they can only be earned! To receive a wrist band a student must be spotted, unsolicited, being an upstander! These are awarded by Mrs Matuku or myself at either a Monday or Friday assembly. There is no limit to the number of wristbands a student can earn, if they deserve 10 then they will receive 10, but if they are lost or broken they will not be replaced.

JULY BREAK FROM SCHOOL

The weather has been horrid these last few weeks! The great thing is that we have passed the shortest day so the days are getting longer. and summer will be here in a flash (I'm being as optimistic as I can!). The children have really struggled this term with tiredness and illness overtaking many of our children. We noticed that after the April break many children came back really tired. We hope this break the children get to sleep in and get their rest and have the opportunity to get over the many illnesses that have done the rounds in the school. Please be aware that some students have been diagnosed with strep throat which if left unchecked can lead to serious complications. If your child complains of a sore throat please take them to the doctor.

BEANIES, SCARVES, GLOVES

We do not currently have any beanies, scarves or gloves that are our school uniform BUT we encourage the children to wear their own on these very cold mornings! We do not want our children to be cold or to get sick. We just ask that parents ensure any 'messages' on accessories are child friendly and items are named!

BEING AN UPSTANDER

A huge thank you to our wonderful upstanders in the community who have been proactive in their support of Bayview School.

This fortnight's upstander is Amanda Heileson who donated the two new indoor netball hoops so that our netball teams could practice whilst our new courts have been getting prepared. Thank you for your generosity for all our netball

Not all heroes wear capes! Nga mihi nui

Welcome to our new pupils:



Angad Matroja, Tayla Flusk

We know you will all enjoy your time at Bayview School!



M Sports July Holiday Football Camp at Birkenhead Primary using Inflatable pitch



M Sports holiday programmes are suitable for children aged 5 to 12. The week is full of exciting games and tournaments. Enjoy our unique Inflatable Football pitches. Our team of highly qualified staff will ensure your kids have a ball!

Holiday Camp Details

Venue: Birkenhead Primary School

One week only: 9 to 13 July

Times/Costs:

- 9am to 12pm \$24 per day, \$99 for 5 days,

- 9am to 3pm \$39 per day, \$179 for 5 days

Register Your Child:

Go to **footykids.m-sports.org**, click 'programmes', 'holiday programmes', then 'book now' at the bottom of the page. Book your child's place now as numbers are limited.

Queries:

Contact:adminnorthshore@msports.co.nz

Community News

Active Families and Niu Movement (Pacific families) is to encourage physical activity amongst children and their families.

FUN and **FREE** weekly activity sessions

> Advice on basic healthy **NUTRITION**

Tips on increasing physical activity and **EXERCISE**

With us your family can learn to lead a **HEALTHIER AND MORE ACTIVE LIFESTYLE!**

Jason Edmonds Stan Leone

Healthy Lifestyle Advisor Pacific Community Coordinator DDI (09) 415 4651 | M 021 422 053 DDI (09) 415 4616 I M 027 700 2336



Assemblies

We hold our school assemblies every Friday from 9 a.m., and you are welcome to come and celebrate our successes and enjoy items put on by learning groups. The timetable is:

6th July Kauanuanu 27th July **Head Peeps** 3rd August Harakeke 10th August Pikorua

Classrooms are in the following Professional Learning Groups:

Pikorua Habitats 4,5,13,15 Habitats 16,12,2,14 Kauanuanu Harakeke Habitats 6,8,9,1

Bayview Lego Expo, 28 July

2-4pm at the Bayview Community Centre. An opportunity for Lego enthusiasts to share their passion. This promises to be a great family day out. It already sounds like there will be some fantastic collections on display and some demo lego on hand so everyone can have a go. Get involved in this fantastic event, and keep the kids busy building Lego this school holidays! Book a free table to display your creations; original designs or built to instructions, all welcome.

Entry Fee \$2 Adult, \$1 Child or \$5 Family. All proceeds to Bayview Primary School for the new playground. Book a free table to display your creations; original designs or built to instructions, all welcome.

To book a table or for more information www.facebook.com/BayviewLegoExpo "Proudly supported by Toyworld Albany".

YOUTHTOWNX **HOLIDAY PROGRAMMES NEAR YOU** YEARS 0 -8

Youthtown works with schools too, and I've updated the North Shore page on our website (as below) to provide more info on this. Just something to tuck away ... and if any questions, don't hesitate to give us a call on 0800 004 566.

Schools into

- Physical Programmes including EOTC, ABL and PE Workshops to suit your curriculum learning outcomes

- Camps part or full package, including accommodation
 Events your own or ours including interschool tournaments
- · Projects facilitated by our Youthtown mentors

School News



Studio in William Souter Street, Forrest Hill



Email - carma@art4kidz.co.nz or WECHAT Improve motor skills, creativity, hand/eye coordination, self confidence, social skills





