



# Bayview School Newsletter



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Dear Bayview Families,

We are now ¾ of the way through the year but are gearing up for the busiest term ahead. We will endeavour to keep you up to date with event dates so please keep checking our facebook page and our website for this information.

One of the big events we have planned for term 4 is a child led conference open day. This is a day when you can come and see what happens in your child's class. You do not need to make an appointment as any discussions you have about your child's progress and learning will be with your child. We are holding this day on Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> November. We have held this day for a few years now and it has proven to be very successful.

If you recall after the last feedback meetings we asked for your feedback around the process and the report design. We received 165 parent responses. This is the highest number of responses we have ever received from parents! Your feedback showed us that:

93.2% of parents found the hauora section of the report informative.

86.6% of parents found the academic progress section of the report informative.

95.2% of parents found the student voice section informative.

90.9% of parents found the feedback meetings informative.

67.7% of parents found the expected level section easy to understand (the little graph).

90.2% of parents would prefer to have feedback meetings after they have received the mid year report.

Some of the comments we received included:

*I loved the focus on dispositions coming through in the report. I love that such value is put on these dispositions and not just on academic competence.*

*I like that it is easy to see the expected level and where your child is sitting within these levels. I value the student voice as it gives a good suggestion of how the child feels about their school life.*

*I really liked the simplicity of the reports. I am just as concerned about the effort as I am about achievement (if not more so), so I appreciate that. I liked the feedback from my son, as well as the teacher feedback. I loved that it was all on one side. Complex, lengthy reports aren't really necessary for either party. I just like knowing if my son is working hard and being kind.*

*A key to decipher the learning chart would be an excellent addition to the report.*

Thank you for all your feedback, it will help us move forward with determining how we report to you in the future.

At Bayview School we put the children's needs first. Every decision we make has the children at the centre. We want our Bayview School kids to leave us knowing they can make a difference in the world and with a set of skills that will help them. We want our kids to have a high emotional intelligence so that they can deal with what life throws at them. I hope you got the chance to watch Nigel Latta's 'Curious Mind' on TVNZ. It had some very important messages about what is important for children to develop healthy and happy members of society. I strongly suggest that if you missed this that you watch it 'on demand'. I was very happy to be affirmed on how important mindfulness is in helping students develop high emotional intelligence and resilience. This is an important part of our programmes.

You will be aware that all our fundraising for the past 2 years has been for a new adventure playground. Our big adventure was built in 1979 when the school was first built. It was a collaboration between the then Education Department and the North Shore City Council. Together a team of parents and council workers built the playground and it was the only one in Bayview for some time. Over the past 12 years we have had to fix and replace a number of pieces of equipment as they have worn out. This year we have noticed that the bark area has become sodden with all the rain and needs an upgrade. It is time for a NEW playground!

We wanted the children to be the main drivers of this so they have visited playgrounds around Auckland and presented to the Board of Trustees their preferred playground equipment. A group of dedicated teachers and children have met regularly to come up with a concept design. This group have met with a playground specialist who is currently creating a design and a costing to have this built. We intend to apply for grants to support the fundraising we have done as a community and approaching some companies to ask for sponsorship. Together we can do this and provide an awesome community asset!

### BEING AN UPSTANDER

This fortnight's upstanders are all the parents and caregivers who helped with the Community Disco and the Book and Bake sale! You have all made a difference to our tamariki!

*Nga mihi nui  
Di*

Issue: 15/18

Newsletter Date:  
27<sup>th</sup> September 2018

### OUT OF ZONE ENROLMENTS

**Out of zone enrolments are OPEN!**

All applications must be in by  
**Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> October 4pm.**

No late applications can be considered sorry. The application form is available on our **school website or from the school office.**

Please let your friends and family know these very important dates if they live out of zone and are wanting their child to attend Bayview School. The Board of Trustees have decided that we will only be able to accept 35 out of zone students for 2019. If we receive 36 applications we will have to conduct a ballot where applications are ranked according to the MOE priorities.

### Dates for diaries

End of term 3 2pm	28/9
Term 4 begins	15/10
Life Education Caravan	15-25/10
Parent mtg re CAMP '19 @ 6pm	16/10
Year 4/5 students CAMP '19 fundraiser	26/10-23/11
Parent helpers for CAMP mtg 6pm	30/10
KIDS 4 KIDS concert	7/11
BOT Mtg 6pm	15/11
CHILD LED CONFERENCE OPEN DAY	21/11
Senior athletics day	22/11
Junior athletics day	29/11
Library stocktake	3/12
Interschool Athletics	6/12
Sports volunteers prizegiving	10/12
BIG DAY IN	11/12
Prizegiving 9.45am	12/12
Farewell assembly 9am	14/12

CITIZENSHIP

ATTITUDE

RESPONSIBILITY

EMPATHY

RELATIONSHIPS

RESOURCEFULNESS

RESILIENCE

REFLECTIVENESS

## School Notices

Welcome to our new pupils:



Sophie Heaphy, Riley Fowler

We know you will all enjoy your time



Mairangi Bay  
Junior Surf Registration  
2018/2019 Season

**New registrations and  
payments online only from  
Monday 24<sup>th</sup> Sept at**

[www.mairangibayslsc.org.nz](http://www.mairangibayslsc.org.nz)

**Be in quick as spaces are  
limited and priority is given to  
existing members**

**1<sup>st</sup> Club Day: Sunday 28th October 2018  
for registered  
children aged 5 to 13 as at 30th  
September 2018**



**Artz on Show School Holiday  
Performing Arts Workshop**

This is a fun yet educational week for students  
aged 5 – 15 years.  
Students participate in a range of performing arts  
classes, concluding the week with a performance!

1 - 5 October 2018, 9 am – 4 pm daily  
Held at Takapuna Normal Intermediate

View our website; [www.artzonshow.co.nz](http://www.artzonshow.co.nz)  
or contact Hayley on either  
[artz@artzonshow.co.nz](mailto:artz@artzonshow.co.nz) or 0800 667 469

**ARTZONSHOW.**



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**School Holiday Programmes**  
1 Oct - 12 Oct

- Android Apps
- Minecraft Modding
- Robotics using Edison
- 3D Printing • HTML/CSS
- Python • Graphic Design
- Robotics Using Mbot
- Roblox

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Fundraising raised in  
2017/2018 through our  
school events:

2017

Event	Profit
Long Bay BBQ	\$584.36
Community Discos	\$1956.24
Garage Sale	\$1474.54
Raffle	\$9917.94
Entertainment books	\$182.61
Kidz Art Work	\$1730.19
Challenge-a-thon	\$3712.52
Ice Blocks	\$185.76
Production	\$18124.07
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$37868.23</b>

2018

Long Bay picnic	\$234.73
Ice Skating	\$600.29
Raffle	\$7099.67
Garage Sale	\$2530.55
Disco term 2	\$2178.46
Pizza lunch	\$266.07
Lego display	\$217.39
Kidz Art work	Approx \$1700.00
Disco T3	Approx \$2500.00
Book and Bake Sale	Approx \$1700.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$19027.16</b>

This fundraising has been put aside and targeted for our  
new adventure playground.  
Well done Team Bayview! You are making a difference  
to our kids and our community!

## 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:

28 <sup>th</sup> September	Kauanuanu
19 <sup>th</sup> October	Head Peeps
26 <sup>th</sup> October	Harakeke
2 <sup>nd</sup> November	Pikorua

Classrooms are in the following

Professional Learning Groups:

Pikorua	Habitats 4,5,13,15
Kauanuanu	Habitats 16,12,2,14
Harakeke	Habitats 6,8,9,1,17

## Community News

We need your help...

As part of our duty as Global Citizens, myself and a group of students from  
Albany Junior High School have chosen to focus our Global Issues Inquiry  
project on Quality Education. We need your help. Did you know that there are  
still children in New Zealand that do not have access to the same resources  
for education that you do?

To help with this issue we have one donation box located in the office in your  
school. We would really appreciate it if you could please donate any old  
and/or new stationery and books. Towards the beginning of Term four, my  
group and I will be visiting Onepoto Primary School and we will be donating  
all of this stationery to them.

We and the students of Onepoto really appreciate your support.  
Paige Cresswell, Olivia Cooper and Summer Cavander

## Community News

### Gavin Hill Coaching

#### Tennis School Holiday Programme

**When/Where:** Week 1 Mon 1<sup>st</sup>, Tues 2<sup>nd</sup>, Wed 3<sup>rd</sup> October  
Week 2 Mon 8<sup>th</sup>, Tues 9<sup>th</sup>, Wed 10<sup>th</sup> October

**Cost:** \$69 for 3 days or \$25 per day per child

**Who:** Children 5 to 16 years who want to have fun and develop new skills

**Bring:** Morning tea, tennis shoes and racquet, hat and sunscreen. Loan racquets available if  
required.

**Entries Close:** Friday 28<sup>th</sup> September or when programmes are full.

**Enquiries:** Gavin Hill, Phone 479-7910 or 021 4 Tennis (836647) or [kiwiros@xtra.co.nz](mailto:kiwiros@xtra.co.nz)



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