



Bayview School Newsletter



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I C.A.R.E.

At Bayview School we weave our I CARE values throughout everything we do. We value highly Citizenship, Attitude, Responsibility and Empathy. Every student has the potential to earn an I CARE award at the end of this year. To do this they will need to consistently demonstrate the values over the year. I CARE is not a check list that you can tick off, nor is it something a child can get if their parent organises events or activities. We take the awarding of I CARE certificates very seriously and evidence must be provided for a student's name to be put forward for an award. Also for a student to receive a silver or gold, they must consistently display bronze and silver values accordingly. For more information on this please check out our website or come and speak with your child's teacher.

Dates for diaries

Long Bay Picnic	24/2
BOT mtg 6pm	2/3
The Great Bayview Garage Sale	4/3
Bayview Community Disco	10/3
Visiting Japanese teachers	17/3
Class Photos	21/3
Parent helpers for camp mtg 6pm	22/3
Dental Van onsite	27/3
Y5/6 CAMP	28-31/3
BOT mtg 6pm	6/4
Parent feedback meetings	10-13/4
Hat day parade	13/4
Term 1 finishes 2pm	13/4
EASTER – Good Friday	13/3
EASTER – Monday	16/3
EASTER – Tuesday	17/3
Term 2 begins	1/5

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, Grüezil

Dear Bayview Families,

Welcome back to an exciting school year! A huge welcome to our new families. It is lovely to have you join our whanau at Bayview.

We have an exciting year ahead with a packed curriculum sprinkled with the magic of extra events and activities.

I would like to thank all of you for ensuring your children have the correct stationery, uniform and school hat to start the year with. This makes it so much easier for the teachers and means your child has a positive start to their academic year. I would like to thank all of the parents who have volunteered for things such as patrols duty and walking school bus. Without your support we would not have such an amazing school. Thank you so much for giving up your time and energy for our students!

This year we have some big events happening. Some of them may cause a slight disruption to the school but nothing we can't handle. Here is an indication of possible events:

- Reroofing of Rooms 12-16 (Term 1)
- Drainage repairs
- School Camp Y5/6 (Term 1)
- Swimming lessons Y0-4 (Term 2)
- School Production (Term 3)

Welcome to new staff

Welcome to Trudy McKeich in Habitat 16 who has joined the Bayview whanau this year. We know Trudy brings great value to the team and has already made a fabulous start.

Innovative Learning

This year every class at Bayview is an innovative learning class. Some classes have 2-3 teachers and some have one. Please be assured that the teacher to child ratio is the same regardless of how many teachers there are. We no longer have e-learning classes but we have voluntary Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) from Y3 upwards. Please know that this is voluntary and not a requirement of any class at Bayview. Every habitat has 4 school devices that can be used by students throughout the day as required. If you are considering purchasing or leasing a device and would like some advice on this please feel free to have a chat with Jacob Allison, Andy Brown or myself about this as we do have a preference of device that best suits our network.

Hats

A friendly reminder that all students must wear the approved school hat during terms 1 & 4 whilst outside. Hats can be purchased for \$12.00 from the school office. We recommend parents apply sunscreen before school also.

Queries and Concerns

As with everyone sometimes we don't get things quite right. This of course makes us human. I want to assure you everyone at Bayview loves their job and really wants the best for every child here. Should you have an issue please communicate with the appropriate person. If it is regarding your child, your first stop should be the class teacher. Next stop is the Learning Group Leader: Harakeke – Shelley Matuku; Kauuanu – Alyssa Farrow; and Pikorua – Danielle Grace. Any health and safety type issues can be brought to the attention of either Andy or myself. We both have an open door policy and often are able to see you when you call in to the office. On the odd occasion, we may need to book another time with you so we apologise for this in advance.

Communication

We use a variety of methods to try to communicate with parents about school activities and events. A newsletter comes home every second Thursday with general news and a diary of upcoming events. Separate notices come home about specific events and trips so please check your child's bookbag/schoolbag regularly for these. We also use our Bayview Primary facebook page and the Friends of Bayview facebook page to inform and celebrate events. Our school website is where you can find most information about how the school functions and you can notify us of an absence, pre-enrol a child, and sign up to receive our regular newsletter. We have our Kindo website for paying for stationery, hats, trips and sports teams this year and you can order your child's lunch on Kindo as well. We also communicate events on our electronic sign.

We do try our best to let parents know what is happening and try to give lots of notice especially when money is required. Please help us help you by signing up to the electronic forms of communication and be proactive in checking your child's bag for any "old skool" notices!

Uniform Blues

Please note that it is important that your child wears the correct school uniform. You may be aware that last year we had an issue with the polo shirt and had to allow students to wear a plain light blue polo. These are no longer part of our uniform and we ask that parents ensure students wear the polo with the dark blue with gold trim collar.

We look forward to working alongside you this year ☺

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School Notices

Welcome to our new pupils:

Jeremy Farrow, Luke Hartung, Rylan Parker, Lachlan Johnstone-Price, Tudor Iuoras, Blake Pope, Coen Sandilands, Shanelly Waigasekera, Madison Parr, Joyce Park, Timothy Park, Sarah Park, Denzel Grevers-Smith, Abhirami Maragone, Xandreanne Abergos, Munro Vissers, Stella Maude, Cooper Stilborn, Zac Ely, Meryem Serif, Freya Busby, Sebastian McDonell, Joel Boonzaier, Jaxen Hetet, Liam Clancy, Charley James, Rouge Moon

And welcome back to:
Brianna & Kaitlyn Neil

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

Habitat Photographs

This year our Habitat photos will be taken in Term 1, on the 21st March 2017. Please make sure to wear the correct full school uniform

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:

10 th Feb	Head Peeps
17 th Feb	Kauanuanu
24 th Feb	No Assembly
03 rd March	Pikorua

Classrooms are in the following Professional Learning Groups:
Pikorua Habitats 2/3,4/5,16,10
Kauanuanu Habitats 6,13,14,15
Harakeke Habitats 17,1,12,8



Yummy Fruit Stickers

We are once again participating in the Yummy Fruit programme this year. A sticker collection sheet is enclosed with this newsletter.

You can collect "yummy" stickers from apples and other fruit sold at Pak 'n Save, New World and 4 Square stores.

When completed, please return the sheets to Habitat 8.

The more stickers we collect, the more sports equipment we earn!

School Donations

Please see the attached letter from the Board of Trustees regarding school donations. Thank you to the parents who have already paid this year. Receipts for tax purposes will be sent home shortly.



Travelwise

As part of our Travelwise programme, we want to remind all parents to take care when driving around our school, and to pass this message on to friends and family. Please stick to the speed limit when driving past our school. We can all play our part in keeping our children safe as they travel to and from school.

School Picnic

**Long Bay Reserve
Friday 24th
February 2016**



All children will be going to Long Bay for our annual school picnic on Friday 24th February. We have reserved Site 5.

Our children will be travelling by bus to and from Long Bay. The cost is \$5.50 per pupil. Please make payment through your Ezlunch account

There will be a range of activities and children may go swimming in supervised groups. A sausage sizzle will be available, but all sausages must be pre-ordered. The cost is \$2.00 per sausage.

Everybody is welcome to join us!

Community News

'The Flash Bang Science Club Children's Science classes for children aged 7 yrs+ are open for booking in Devonport and Beach Haven for Term 1. For more information and bookings please check out <http://www.flashbangscienceclub.co.nz/> or email: admin@flashbangscienceclub.co.nz.

Heart kids

Tuesday the 14th of February – "A Little Day"

Join us on the top court before school on Tuesday the 14th for A Little Heart Day. You can purchase wrist bands (\$2) and homemade biscuits (\$1). It will also be a red mufti day for a gold coin donation. This will go towards supporting - Heart Kids and their families through a really difficult time.

NORTH SHORE TRAMPOLINE CLUB *Great Sport * Great Fun * Great Friends* We have after school recreational or competitive classes available and a Saturday Drop in Session.

We are also offering \$30.00 off our birthday parties until the end of February.

Check out our website or give our friendly staff a call.

www.northshoretrampoline.co.nz Phone 478 4411

Community News

Dancercise

Free Introductory Dance Class! (kids/adults)

Experience a mix of varied styles Funky Jazz, Ballet, Creative Expression

At Birkdale Int School 200 Birkdale Rd. Commencing-- THURSDAY 23 Feb.

5-6 yrs 3:30- 4:00pm, **7-9 yrs** 4:15-5:00pm, **10+yrs** 5:00- 5:45pm,

PER 10 WEEK TERM

Beginners \$60 : Juniors \$80 : Intermediate \$90 :

Contact Lindi 0212524749 email : danz@dancercise.co.nz

Young At Art Limited

'Young at Art After school Art classes for children aged 5yrs-15yrs are open for booking in Ponsonby, Beach Haven, Orakei, Meadowbank, Beachlands and Manukau for Term 1. For more information and bookings please check out

www.youngatart.co.nz or email: anna@youngatart.co.nz'

