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Kia Ora to Parents, Caregivers and whanau of James Street School.



Growing Great Learners
Where Lifetime Learning Begins!

This week our Growing Great Learners' learning focus is:

We are Proud—We celebrate our learning and our positive behaviour.

Me Whakanuia tatou – Let's Celebrate!

Why is this important?

- I can feel good about myself and my learning.
- Learning new things and achieving my goals makes me feel great.
- I can feel positive towards myself and my peers.

What does it look like?

- I have 100 dojo points.
- I have moved up a level in my reading.
- I have just started school and I can write my name.
- I had a great time celebrating Matariki with my friends and whanau.

EBOP CROSS COUNTRY

Congratulations to Coco Wren who placed 4th in the 8 year old girls EBOP Cross Country event last week. On Thursday she is off to Rotorua to run in the BOP event.



Last week we had 50 senior students in the audience of 'High School Musical' at the Little Theatre.

It always makes me proud to hear—

"The James Street School kids were amazing!"

Well done to those students who did attend the show and were Safe, Respectful and Proud!

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note!

Our kiwaha for this week is:

Ka mau te wehi! Terrific! Ka mau te wehi!

Thanks to Skylah from Puriri and Crystelle from Kahikatea who are proudly leading the kiwaha this week. Ka mau te wehi girls!

Tomorrow afternoon, 27 June, the teachers have a Paid Union Meeting at 2pm.

School will be finishing early to allow teachers to attend this meeting. Students will therefore leave school at 12.45pm (the start of our lunchtime).

This will not affect students in Rata, Matai or Totara.

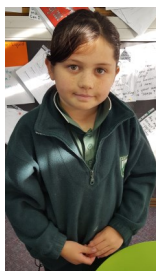
MATARIKI CELEBRATIONS

Whakanuia Matariki... we certainly did!

Matariki is a special annual event for James Street School. Thanks to all the whanau who helped us celebrate and to the ladies from REAP who helped out with the hakari. Ka mau te wehi!



Attendance at school is crucial for learning and forming social relationships with others.



Last week Alessia Walker won the draw for being at school each day in Week Eight. Congratulations Alessia—Nga mihi ki a koe.

Congratulations also to Lousion Smith Pukeroa who won the weekly draw for displaying SAFE, RESPECTFUL and PROUD behaviour in the playground.



KORERO MAI

We are offering a second round of Korero Mai; a chance for teachers, whanau and students to discuss current learning, next week.

Please ring or drop into the office and make a time that suits you.

These interviews will be held in week 10 on the 4th and 5th of July.

School will close early on the 4th of July (students leaving school at 12.45pm) and interviews will begin at 1.30pm.

On Thursday school finishes at normal time and interviews will begin at 3.05pm. Both evenings finish at 6pm. We aim for a 100% turn out from whanau at these interviews. Come along and be informed about your child's learning.

Farewell



It is with sadness that we have accepted the resignation of Mrs Sells from her teaching position.

After teaching for nearly 20 years at James Street, Sandra and her husband are moving

to Tauranga.

We will be farewelling Sandra at our final school assembly this term—2pm on the 6th of July.

You are warmly invited to attend this assembly.

JAMES STREET SCHOOL HAS TALENT

Helena and Crystal-Jaz have organised this event for next week. Students can sign up this week at lunchtime on Thursday and Friday.

Year 1, 2 and 3 students will be performing next Thursday at lunchtime and Year 4, 5 and 6 students will perform on Friday at lunchtime.

UPCOMING SCHOOL EVENTS

Tomorrow - School will finish early at 12.45pm. Teachers will be attending a Paid Union meeting. This will not affect students in Rata, Matai or Totara.

4 July - School will finish early at 12.45pm. This will allow teachers to hold Parent, Teacher and Student interviews—Korero Mai 2. This will not affect students in Rata, Totara and Matai.

6 July - Shared learning and kai for students in Rata, Totara and Matai and their whanau.

- Final assembly for Mrs Sells and the last day of Term 2.

23 July - Term 3 begins.

Kia pai to rā. Have a great day.

Kind Regards

**Roz Dakin
Acting Principal**