



# NEWSLETTER No. 18

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

This newsletter comes with a very warm welcome to Term 3 and especially to our new families who have joined us.

## Welcome to the James Street whanau.

### FAREWELL ASSEMBLY

We had an emotional end to Term 2. The children presented an amazing final assembly to Mrs Sells. Sandra was very touched by the children's messages to her. Thank you to those families who attended the farewell. Mrs Sarah Judd is the new teacher in Kauri—welcome Sarah.

### ATTENDANCES

Congratulations to all the students who received a certificate for 100% attendance in Term 2. I will have a weekly draw again this term for students at school every day.



**Growing Great Learners**  
*Where Lifetime Learning Begins!*

**For Growing Great Learners this week we are focusing on We are Respectful.**

What does being respectful sound like in the classroom ? In the playground? With other adults? With my classmates? What does being respectful look like?

Have a look in your child's classroom; each room has a Growing Great Learners display.

### Our kiwaha for this week is:

Tena koe - hello to one person - tena koe  
Tena korua - hello to two people - tena korua  
Tena koutou - hello to three or more people - tena koutou

*Leiren and Kaio from Puriri are leading the kiwaha this week.*

### BROWNIES

I received an email yesterday from the local Brownies leader, Helena Martin. She asked me to share with you and acknowledge Aisha Ranapia.



Aisha Ranapia has recently completed her Gold Koru which is the highest Brownie award and involves a lot of commitment to earn. Aisha had to attend many guiding events and camps, complete badges both as part of her Brownie unit and on her own at home, and undertake some leadership activities. She has now moved onto Guides and is ready for the challenges which will be part of her guiding journey.

## SCHOOL UNIFORM



Please, please, please name all your child's uniform. It is very easy for us to return polar fleeces when they are named; impossible when they aren't. I have a near new size 8 polar fleece in my office - unnamed. We have plenty of uniform in stock and second hand polar fleeces in most sizes.

## NETBALL

Netball is over for another year. Our teams really enjoyed being part of the 2018 competition and have already talked their coach into coaching again in 2019.



**Special thanks to Natalie Jones and Tui Savage who coached the teams and a special thanks to all the parents who supported each Saturday morning.**

Catherine Hogg applied to ANZ Netball for our school and won funding for uniform for the Year 5 and 6 team for 2019.

## SHARE KAI

On the last day of term we had an open morning and shared kai for parents and whanau of students in Matai, Rata and Totara.

**This was so successful we have booked another day—Friday 7 September.**

A separate invitation will come out for this day.



At the end of this term we will present our production to you. It will be based on Dr Seuss and each class will have an item to share. More information will be provided nearer the time.

## ZERO WASTE Education

This week we have Casey in school educating our students about **Zero Waste**. She is covering the topics of:

- Is that really rubbish?
- Reducing Waste and
- Composting

## CAMPS

A reminder about our Term 4 camps... have you returned your child's permission slip? If it is helpful for you, you can pay the camp fees off over the next term. Come to the office for a bank form.

## UPCOMING SCHOOL EVENTS

**9 August** - KIDS CAN # CRAZY DAY

- Bay Steamers visiting

**10 August** - Duffy Theatre

**15 August** - Teachers Stop Work Meeting

**17 August** - DISCOS

**22 August** - Taneatua 7s: Netball, Football and Rugby

**12/14 September** - Winter Sports

**28 September** - Teacher Only Day for Matai, Rata and Totara teachers and support staff.

## Triple P Discussion Group on Developing Good Bedtime Routines

Wednesday 25th July 2018

6.30pm-8.30pm

Eastbay REAP, 21 Pyne Street

All whanau welcome, Registration Required

Register NOW, limited to 8 places

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**Kia pai to rā. Have a great day.**

Kind Regards

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