



# NEWSLETTER No. 20

TERM 3, WEEK 3

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**K**ia Ora to Parents, Caregivers and whanau of James Street School.



This week in Growing Great Learners we are building on last week's learning of how to interact with a buddy.

This week we are learning to be **respectful** with our tuakana-teina buddy. I am building a positive relationship with other children in the school.

#### **This is important because**

- I am learning to be inclusive
- I will have a sense of belonging
- I will have a supportive 'go to' buddy in the playground
- I can be a positive role model

#### **What does that look like?**

- I will find my buddy before school and say 'morena'
- I will acknowledge them during the day when I see them
- At morning tea I will sit with my buddy, eat morning tea, chat and put our rubbish in the bin and go off to play
- I will go with them to put their lunchbox away and zip up their bag
- I will take turns with my buddy when playing a game
- I will pay them a compliment after a game
- I **can** go and see my buddy at the Matai playground - I am allowed there
- I will sit with my buddy at Friday assembly
- I will show an interest in what my buddy is doing
- Use tuakana-teina taima to grow this.

#### **Our kiwaha for this week is:**

Ka kite ano See you again Ka kite ano.  
When your child leaves for school you can say, 'Ka kite ano.'

*Aidan from Puriri and Kyro from Manuka  
are leading the kiwaha this week.*



#### **THE EASTERN BAY SEVENS HAS BEEN POSTPONED TO THURSDAY**

Mr Anderson has contacted all parents who were helping with this day.

**Let's hope that Thursday is fine!**



#### **KIDS CAN # CRAZY DAY**

**When:** This Thursday

**What:** Crazy clothes  
and crazy hair

**Why:** To support KIDS  
CAN

**Donate a gold coin -  
we want to raise  
\$400.00 for KIDS CAN.**

They support our school by providing raincoats, shoes, tissues, nit treatment, bread, spreads and muesli bars—all at no cost to us.




#### MESSAGE FROM THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

"James Street School will implement a "strike closure" on August 15, 2018; in response to the current industrial action of NZEI."

This decision by the BOT has been made on the grounds of health and safety as there will not be adequate teaching staff to safely supervise and instruct children".

**That means there will be no one on site—school is closed for instruction.**

**Teachers and Principals need to have time to teach, time to lead, and be valued for the professionals that we are. All children need to get the support they need to thrive at school.**



**We will be holding  
two DISCOS next  
Friday the 17th  
August.**

These are a fundraiser for our new worm farms and resources required to set these up. Any extra funds will be spent on Growing Great Learners activities.

The Junior DISCO for Year 1 and 2 children will be in PUKA from 4.00 to 5.00pm.

The Senior DISCO for Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 children will be in PUKA from 5.30 to 7.00pm.

Entry fee is \$2.00.

There will be food for sale: pizza, iceblocks, lollies and chips. Water will be available.

Parents are welcome to stay. Children will need to be collected from Puka.



**TERM 4 CAMPS. These are booked and planned for the 7th to 9th of November.**

The Year 3 and 4 students will be camping at the Ohiwa Holiday Park and the Year 5 and 6 students at the Lions Hut.

Most permission slips are now in—thanks. Remember you can pay camp off over the term.

We still need 3 parents for the Ohiwa Camp if you are available to help out.

#### UPCOMING SCHOOL EVENTS

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

- Bay Steamers visiting

- Eastern Bay Sevens Tournament

**10 August - Duffy Theatre**

**15 August - Teachers and Principals' Strike Day**

**17 August - DISCOs**

**12/14 September - Winter Sports**

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

**Kia pai to rā. Have a great day.**

Kind Regards

**Roz Dakin  
Acting Principal**