



NEWSLETTER No. 23

TERM 3, WEEK 6

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

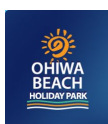
CANS for GOOD

Thank you for the donations to CANS for GOOD. This is one way we can support our community; the community who also supports us.



Thanks to the Salvation Army, who every week drop boxes of bread and buns off to us to distribute to you, our school whanau. Thanks to Countdown also who supply this bread.

TERM 4 CAMPS



If you have offered to be a CAMP parent and have received a Police Vetting Form please bring it into school this week.

The teachers are now busy planning these camps.

It's not too late to start paying camp off.

The Year 3 and 4 students are going to Ohiwa Holiday Park (CAMP OHIWA).

The Year 5 and 6 students are going to the Lions Hut (CAMP TE UREWERA).

THE LION KING PERFORMANCE

The year 1 and 2 students are attending the performance of The Lion King tomorrow at the Little Theatre. If you haven't returned the permission slip please return it in the morning, with a gold coin. Please remember your child's car seat also.



Growing Great Learners
Where Lifetime Learning Begins!

This week in **Growing Great Learners** our learning is We are Respectful - We are learning to be kind to others.

This looks like 'kind actions' to peers and adults and sounds like 'kind words' to peers and adults. This week we are teaching our students what they could say or do when something happens.

For example:

- Someone does not know what to do
- Someone is hurt
- Someone has no one to play with
- Someone does/says something nice to you
- How to accept compliments.

This week we will be sharing stories of kindness and sharing about what makes us happy.

Teachers and students will be encouraging each other to fill someone's bucket. Ask your child what this means...

Mrs Byrne has been out and about this morning with her camera capturing kindness, in the playground.

We are also speaking with children about the use of inappropriate language. Swearing at other children and adults and making racist comments is not appropriate and will not be tolerated at our school.

Our kiwaha for this week is:

He aha to ako?
What is your learning?
He aha to ako?

An important part of learning is being able to talk about what you have learned. Our students have been asking each other today, "He aha to ako?"

Olivia and Skylah both from Puriri are leading the kiwaha this week. Kia Ora girls.

The Breakfast Club

Our Breakfast Club is open each morning.

Children are welcome to come in and have breakfast to **fill up** or **top up**.
It's also a fun social time for all.

We also make lunch (marmite or peanut butter sandwiches) if children need lunch. We make a couple of loaves of sandwiches daily with food donated by KIDS CAN.



Also through FRUIT in SCHOOLS we have fresh fruit delivered twice a week.

Please do not send sugary drinks or fizzy to school with your children.



Week Eight is a celebration of Te Reo Maori—the Maori Language.... And YES we will be celebrating all week.

You will receive an invitation to attend a celebration on Tuesday 11 September at 12 o'clock.

Come and join your tamariki in their learning with their buddies and then stay on for a picnic lunch.

CAREGIVERS REQUIRED

Are you able to provide a safe home, quality time, and have a child be a part of your family?

We are looking for caregivers who can provide both short and long term care for children who can no longer live at home.

INTERESTED IN KNOWING MORE?

COME ALONG TO ONE OF OUR INFORMATION SESSIONS AND FIND OUT HOW YOU CAN HELP SHAPE YOUNG LIVES FOR THE BETTER

Date: Thursday 30th August

Time: 12-1 pm

Venue: Curate Church – 19 George Street, Whakatane

Date: Thursday 6th September

Time: EVENING session – 5.30-7 pm

Venue: Curate Church – 19 George Street, Whakatane

Cara Addison—Caregiver Social Worker
Oranga Tamariki, Ministry for Children,
Whakatane Site
First Floor WINZ Building, 24 Pyne Street,
Whakatane, 3120

UPCOMING SCHOOL EVENTS

7 September—Whanau day for students in Rata, Matai and Totara

12 September - Winter Sports for Year 5 and 6 students

14 September—Winter Sports for Year 3 and 4 students

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

Kia pai to rā. Have a great day.

Kind Regards

Roz Dakin
Acting Principal