



# NEWSLETTER No. 24

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

## RONGOHIA TE HAU

Yesterday you would have received a whanau survey. Please fill it out and return it to school this week.

We take notice of this survey along with the results from the students' and staff surveys. Feel free to come and have a chat at any time with me also. If you'd rather fill this survey out on line; the link is on our school facebook page.

**We have had 31 returned so far—kia ora!**



Each class is busy practising their item for our school production of DR SUESS which is being held at the end of the term.

*Keep these dates free to come and watch your child(ren) perform.*

Show times are:

- **Wednesday 26th September at 10.30am**
- **Thursday 27th September at 12.30pm**

The show will be on at the Liberty Centre and will last about an hour.

We will be bussing the children to and from Liberty Centre for both shows and also to the practice the day before.



This week in **Growing Great Learners** our learning is We are Respectful - We are learning to speak appropriately at school.

### What does that sound like?

- Acceptable and appropriate vocabulary to the school setting
- Acceptable and appropriate language when talking with my peers and to adults

### Why is this important?

- Swearing is **never** acceptable at school
- Differentiate between their out of school and in school normal
- Building skills/social graces for being accepted in society

### Our kiwaha for this week is:

Tino pai to ako - Great learning - Tino pai to ako.

Alex from Puriri and Jade from Kahikatea are leading the kiwaha this week. Kia Ora to you both for stepping up to lead our daily kiwaha.



Our school leaders are running a sausage sizzle this Friday for lunch.

We will have sausages for sale and mini iceblocks.

We will take orders from tomorrow morning. Fill out the form on the back of the newsletter and return with money



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 - tuakana teina - and then stay on for a picnic lunch.

### CALENDER ART ORDERS

All tamariki have completed their calendar art and order forms came home yesterday.

Feel free to pop in and see your child's art before you order.

You are also able to upload photos straight to the website if you are wanting a photo calendar. The instructions for this are at the bottom of the order form.

### CHICKEN POX

Chicken Pox is in the school community. We have had several children away last week and new cases this week - ( 6 students in Kauri this week).

If your child has chicken pox please keep them at home until the contagious period is over. Thanks.

### PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE MESSAGE

- \* LESS THAN 2 HOURS SCREEN TIME EVERYDAY
- \* LESS THAN ONE HOUR OF SCREENTIME A DAY IF UNDER FIVE YEARS OLD, AND NONE IF UNDER TWO YEARS OLD.
- KEEP BEDROOMS FREE OF SCREENS AND DEVICES, SUCH AS COMPUTERS, PHONES, TV'S GAMING CONSOLES AND TABLETS.
- \* TURN OFF SCREENS DURING MEAL TIMES AND ENJOY EATING TOGETHER AS A FAMILY.
- \* TURN OFF SCREENS AND DEVICES AT LEAST AN HOUR BEFORE BEDTIME.



### UPCOMING SCHOOL EVENTS

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

- Sausage Sizzle

**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



### SAUSAGE SIZZLE ORDER FORM

Sausages \$2 each

Mini Ice blocks 50C each

NAME: ..... CLASS: .....

I would like to order \_\_\_\_\_ Sausages

I would like to order \_\_\_\_\_ Ice Blocks

TOTAL: