

Year 5 & 6 Camp:

Yesterday our year 5 & 6 children, along with Mrs Walker, Mrs England, Mr Meyer and a group of parents left for camp at Totara Springs in Matamata. They left at 7.30am in pretty wet conditions but arrived in sunshine. The camp is well set up with a range of activities for the children to take part in. I stayed with them for the day as they set up their cabins, carried out a walk of the camp to orientate themselves and took part in the range of activities. I am sure the children will create great memories at this camp. Thank you to all who have supported us with this. When the Covid lockdown occurred at the start of the year we did not know if we would be able to have a camp experience, fortunately a vacancy came up for us.

PRIDE Time:

Well done to our Pride time children last week. Great to see the children modelling our PRIDE values at school. Keep up the good work. Another sunny day at Maraetotara park.

Assembly:

Last week Matariki hosted our weekly assembly and shared their Kiwi art and stories. The presenters spoke clearly and confidently, well done to you all. Congratulations to Kowhai who were awarded the tidy environment trophy for the week. This week we look forward to Kowhai hosting assembly.



Future Pupils:

This term we are planning and preparing for 2021. For this planning we really appreciate knowing who will be starting school throughout the year. If you have a pre-schooler at home, who is due to start school anytime next year, please contact us to pick up an enrolment form. If you have neighbours with pre-schoolers, please encourage them to call in to see us. This information is vital as we forecast our future enrolments which help us plan for the increase as the year progresses.

EBOP Athletics:

Well done to the four students who represented the school at this event. With our year 5 & 6 children at camp it was left to our year 4 children to compete. Thea and Harper competed in the 800 metres race with Thea placing 1st and Harper placing 5th. Eva competed in the long jump and placed 2nd and Ryder competed in the high jump.

Gifts for Bus Drivers

As a school, we would like to acknowledge the kindness and hard work of our bus drivers who are very accommodating to our children.

We would like to give them a gift basket of "goodies" at the end of the year and would ask that each family who uses either the Harbour Rd/Wainui bus or the town bus to please send along a treat item to add to the basket. Thank you.

The staff of Ohope Beach School



UPCOMING EVENTS:

Te Tiwai Athletics Demonstration – Thursday 3rd December
Cram the Van – Friday 4th December
Year 6 Leavers Dinner – Tuesday 15th December
Term four ends – Friday 18th December at 12.00pm

Staffing for 2021:

We have completed our staff appointments for 2021 and are now working on classes. There will be three teams next year with a team leader for each team.

Ngā Huiarau will be made up of three Year 5 & 6 classes with Mrs Jones as team leader and we welcome two new staff members to this team.

Ngā Peka will be made up of four Year 3 & 4 classes with Cherie Walker as the team leader.

Te Tiwai will be the Year 1 & 2 classes and any new 5 years olds that start throughout the year, Nicky Baker will be the team leader.

Principal – Cathryn Naera Deputy Principals – Alex Hanlen & Sandy Jones				
NGĀ HUIARAU	Year 5 & 6	Rimu	Mrs Sandy Jones	Team Leader
		Rimu	Miss Sarah Morgan	
		Totara	Mrs Northey-Singsam	
NGĀ PEKA	Year 3 & 4	Kahikatea	Ms Cherie Walker	Team Leader
		Kahikatea	Miss Kirsty Brown	
		Meremere	Mrs Karen England	
		Matariki	Mr Philip Meyer	
TE TIWAI	Year 2	Awatea	Mrs Jenny Jones	
	Year 1 & 2	Kowhai	Miss Nicky Baker	Team Leader
		Kowhai	Miss Laura McCarthy	
	Year 1	Manuka	Mrs Abi Berquist	
		Manuka	Mrs Meg Broadhurst Mrs Emma Gibson	Mon. to Wed. Thurs. & Fri.
Specialist Teacher			Mrs Alex Hanlen	
Reading Recovery & Learning Support			Miss Angela Gouk	
Release Teacher in Rimu			Mrs Lynda Wylie	Tues. Wed. & Thurs.
Release Teacher in Kahikatea			Mr Ben McDonald	Thurs.
Release Teacher in Kowhai			Mrs Rowena Findlater	Wed. & Thurs.

Ngā mihi
Cathryn Naera – Principal

PB4L - This week we have been focusing on becoming more Independent

Positivity Respect **Integrity** **Diligence** Empathy

- I will show Ohope PRIDE by trying to be the best version of myself
- I will think about the things I can do for myself and do them
- I will aim to be a problem solver not a problem maker
- I will use positive self-talk in order to develop my can-do attitude!

SCHOLASTIC BOOK ORDERS –

Please place orders by Friday the 27th November

(tomorrow). If you would like your order held at the office for pick up mark order as GIFT or email

julie@ohopebeach.school.nz

and you will receive a text when they arrive.

This is the last order for the year.



OHOPÉ AFTER SCHOOL – INSPIRING STUDENTS

DECEMBER HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

\$6 per hour, per child. Casual bookings welcome. Please contact Vanessa for an enrolment form if your child has not previously attended Oasis.

NEW LOCATION:

Port Ohope Playcentre, 340 Harbour Road
 OPENING HOURS: 8AM – 5:30PM



Port Ōhōpe Playcentre

Children will need to bring a packed lunch, afternoon tea supplied. Please also bring togs and towels everyday, hats and drink bottles.

MONDAY 21 st DEC	TUESDAY 22 nd DEC	WED 23 rd DEC
BEACH WALK AND SANDCASTLE COMPETITION	FISHING OFF THE WHARF WITH HAND REELS OR BRING YOUR OWN ROD	HARBOUR TRAIL WALK AND PICNIC
		

No additional costs as we are not travelling to alternate venues or getting any special guests in. OASIS will be closed for the rest of the holiday period until school resumes in 2021.

CONTACT: Vanessa Carmody 021 030 8960

EMAIL: ohopeafterschoolcare@gmail.com

PACIFIC TOYOTA | **ONE-DOUBLE X**

TRAVELLING FROM 23RD NOVEMBER UNTIL 16TH DECEMBER
 Whakatane, Kawerau and Opotiki region

DONATIONS WILL BE DISTRIBUTED TO LOCAL CHARITIES!
 SPCA, Food Bank, Opotiki Society for the Care of Animals, The Salvation Army, & Women's Refuge

CRAM THE VAN WITH NON-PERISHABLE FOOD ITEMS, DOG/CAT FOOD, WRAPPED GIFTS AND TOYS!

SPECIAL THANKS TO OUR SPONSORS

PAK'nSAVE | FOCUR CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS | CALTEX WHAKATANE | nova energy | FOODBANK NEW ZEALAND | first credit union | VETERINARY HEALTH CENTRE | FINANCIAL SERVICES | BEACON | LAWCREATIVE | SPCA Community Supporter | THE SALVATION ARMY

CRAM THE VAN:

LET'S CRAM THE VAN THIS CHRISTMAS!

Christmas is just around the corner and it's the season of giving, so the team at Pacific Toyota and Radio Bay of Plenty want to celebrate Christmas by helping charities by organising a Christmas Charity event 'CRAM THE VAN'.

Cram the van is about giving back to families who are in need during Christmas time. We want to provide children, families, and animals with food and gifts to make their Christmas special and we need your help! The aim is to CRAM THE VAN with non-perishable food and wrapped gifts which will then be distributed to the chosen charities: THE SALVATION ARMY, FOOD BANK, WOMEN'S REFUGE, SPCA'S WHAKATANE AND KAWERAU, AND OSCA.

You can find us parked up around the eastern bay of plenty from 12 – 3pm from the 23th of November till the 18th of December. Location map and information can be found on the Pacific Toyota and One Double X, Q97, and BAYROCK websites.

CRAM THE VAN will be at Ōhōpe Beach School on Friday 4th December

Remainder of Term Dates for 2020:

Term four ends - Friday 18th December at 12.00pm

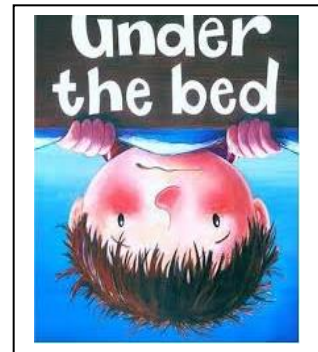
Term Dates 2021

Term 1	Wednesday 3 rd February to Friday 16 th April	Monday 1 st February – Auckland Anniversary Monday 8 th February – Waitangi Day Friday 2 nd April – Good Friday Monday 5 th April – Easter Tuesday 6 th April – Easter
Term 2	Monday 3 rd May to Friday 9 th July	Friday 4 th June – Teacher Development Day Monday 7 th June – Queen's Birthday
Term 3	Monday 26 th July to Friday 1 st October	
Term 4	Monday 18 th October To Wednesday 15 th December	Monday 25 th October – Labour Day
Two Teacher Development Days are still to be confirmed		

LIBRARY BOOK STOCKTAKE – Yes, it's coming up to that time of the year again.

Please check your bookshelves, under the beds and in the wardrobes for any library books.

Please return these to school by Friday 4th December (next Friday)



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