



Newsletter / Kawerongo 4 * 26 March 2024

Each fortnight at our Monday goal setting hui we introduce our tamariki to a new Kiwaha (phrases to drop into conversation). You can have-a-go at home! This fortnight it's:

Kiwaha - whakaute i te waahi whaiaro - respect personal space

Kia ora Bayswater whānau

It's hard to believe it's week 8 already and the school holidays are nearly upon us! There has been lots going on this term as you can see in the photos below.

Our theme for this year is 'Change Happens'! Look out towards the end of term for a summary of all the amazing reading, writing, maths, and technology learning that has been happening in relation to this theme!

Kelly Club

Kelly Club is open 7 to 8.30am and 3 - 6pm and is held in the hall. Did you know that you can earn up to about \$140,000 and still be eligible for a subsidy? Did you know that a portion of their income comes to Bayswater School? You can check out the exact details by contacting them on 0223018610 or emailing bayswater@kellyclub.co.nz

School Donation

Thank you to all those that have paid all or a portion of their school donation. Anything paid before 1 April will be included in this year's tax refunds! The donations mean we can keep the school pool open and buy resources that are not provided for in the school's operations funds.

* Reminder *

Schools are closed for Easter Tuesday on the 2nd of April.

Usually we don't notice this day as it occurs in the school holidays. The rule to close schools on Easter Tuesday was first introduced in 1954. It's unclear why exactly it was introduced, but the holiday has remained in place and is part of the Education Act legislation.

This is not an extra 'day off' for children as the total number of school days for the year remains the same!

Marianne Coldham
Tumuaki - Principal

Dates to remember:

Wednesday 27 March

Last Day for Scholastic Orders

Friday 29 March - Tuesday 2 April

Easter Holiday

Thursday 4 April

Squash taster

Friday 12 April

Last day of term one

Monday 29 April

First day of term two

29 April - 3 May

Y5 & 6 at Camp MERC

No Friday whānau hui this week

Friday 17 May

Clothing Share - start sorting now!



to our tamariki celebrating a birthday this fortnight.

Sena Vieira Yasutake 10yrs and Alfie Drew 8yrs

We hope you'll have fun celebrating with family and friends.



Well done to those in Whānau Kokoru who placed in our swimming sports, and below to those who represented Bayswater at the Peninsula swimming sports. Congratulations to Hazel who came third in the freestyle, it was a very close race with only a finger touch between first and third.



Recently a group of our tamariki attended the GRIP Young Leaders' Conference. They learnt all about what strategies a good leader uses to make things happen! Some of them got called up on stage to participate in some games!





Irene was thrilled to have tamariki share their good wish stories in the lead up to St Patrick's Day!



A huge thank you to Lucy (Maria's mum) who has made these beautiful earrings for our Kapa Haka rōpū.

Lots of fun was had at the Girls' and Boys' Football Festival days run by the local football club. These days were an opportunity for children to give it a go. Lots of great skills, teamwork, good sportsmanship and yes goals were seen from our budding footballers!



Battle of the Schools on Saturday saw a team of intrepid Bayswater tamariki participate in a range of games. Well done team, fourth place this year.





Congratulations to our students who received a certificate at assembly on **Friday 22 March** for:

Room 2	Mae	showing the Bayswater value of Hauora through your support of a junior class as their voice and ears in student council. Tumeke, e hoa!
	Alex	the Bayswater value of Kairangatira/Personal Excellence during writing. Your story was creative and interesting to read. Ka ware, e hoa!
Room 4	Elena	the Bayswater value of Kairangatira/Personal Excellence in...everything! Elena, you put the mahi in to everything you try. You are gaining new skills and improving yourself daily. Tumeke...
	Corina	the Bayswater value of Manawaroa/Resilience. You heard the kiwaha this week and did it! At Waterwise, you felt the fear and did it anyway. Well done on giving sailing a go and finding success in a challenging situation.
Room 6	Charlie	showing the Bayswater value of Hauora. You have been a supportive class member and helped other children to have a good day. We will miss you when you return home after your travels. Tumeke!
	Kaia	showing the Bayswater value of Personal Excellence/Kairangatira in maths. You show enthusiasm for maths and have been challenging yourself to read nine digit numbers! Tumeke!
Room 7	Rafael	the Bayswater value of Resilience/Manawaroa. We are so proud of the way you have settled into Bayswater School. You always try your best, you are always helpful and we are very glad you have joined us. Tino pai!
	Solah	the Bayswater value of Personal Excellence/Kairangatira. You have been a role model to all your friends, with perfect manners and kindness in your actions. We value the way you lift all of our hauora! Ka rawe!
Room 9A	Annie	the Bayswater value of Hauora. You are a kind tuakana during maths supporting friends to solve the problem of the day. You were encouraging and supportive with your words and actions. Koia kei a koe - you are fantastic.
	Harry	the Bayswater value of Kairangatira Personal Excellence in maths. You persevered with several strategies to successfully solve your sundial problem and then shared your thoughts to help get out of the learning pit. Great effort. He whetū koe you're a star!
Room 9B	Marlon	demonstrating the Bayswater value of Hauora. You look after your classmates and cheer them up when they are sad. You make sure nobody feels left out and help to make them smile. Tumeke Lola!
	Louis	demonstrating the Bayswater value of Kairangatira. You have been working hard on writing this term. You enjoy creative writing challenges and often ask to write a second story during learning through play. You take on each challenge to better your skills. Ka pai Amira!



Congratulations to our students who received a certificate at assembly on **Friday 15 March** for:

Room 2	Nellie	demonstrating the Bayswater value of Manawaroa during Learning Adventures. You chose options that built you up for success. Ka rawe, e hoa!
	Roma	the Bayswater value of Manaakitanga. During a maths workshop you listened and shared your maths knowledge respectfully. Tumeke, e hoa!.
Room 4	Alex	the Bayswater value of Kairangatira/Personal Excellence. During our Learning Adventures, you worked hard to research and design a contraption to save a kiwi bird, using simple machines. Ka pai.
	Seni	the Bayswater value of Manawaroa/Resilience during Waterwise. You felt the fear and did it anyway! Tūwhitia te hopo. Ka pai!
Room 6	Bastian	showing the Bayswater value of Kairangatira in spelling. You have been enthusiastic and focused in your STEPS learning. It is great to see you sharing and celebrating your success. Tumeke!
	Mia	showing the Bayswater value of Hauora on our trip to MOTAT. You used your knowledge and helped to guide us through our experience at MOTAT. You were an amazing tuakana to us all. Tumeke!
Room 7	Hineteāio	the Bayswater value of Resilience - Manawaroa. You persevered in your writing and you listened to the sounds in words to independently write them. Keep up the hard mahi!
	Wilder	the Bayswater value of Resilience - Manawaroa in reading. You have been focusing ōn blending sounds to decode the words in your books which is helping you to read with increasing fluency! Tino pai!
Room 9A	Frankie*	the Bayswater value of Manawaroa Resilience in literacy. You remain focused to complete your writing, edit underlined words with support and do amazing colourful pictures. Thank you for inspiring others. He whetū koe you're a star!
	Huike	the Bayswater value of Manawaroa in literacy. You have shown resilience this term in learning to sound out through new words when reading and writing. You do not give up when words are tricky. You are an inspiration to us all. We are lucky to have you in 9A. Zuò dé hǎo tino pai
Room 9B	Aubrey	demonstrating the Bayswater value of Manawaroa. You have shown resilience this term by not giving up when you make a mistake. You have practised determination when an activity has been tricky. Ka pai Aubrey
	Kade	demonstrating the Bayswater value of Kairangatira. You have been working hard on your writing this week. You have been taking the time to sound out tricky words and using word cards for help. Tino pai Kade!



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4 MARCH – 14 APRIL

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Every \$1 spent = 1 point for your school.**

* Eligible schools: Bayswater School; Devonport Primary School; Forrest Hill School; Hauraki School; Milford School; Northcote Primary School; St Leo's Catholic School; Stanley Bay School; Takapuna Normal Intermediate School; and Takapuna Primary School.

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Parent volunteering opportunity - become a Waterwise Instructor



Did you know that when your child reaches year 6, they get to participate in a fabulous programme called **Waterwise**. They go to Narrow Neck beach on Wednesday afternoons in the summer months (usually term one and two sometimes part of term 4) and learn about water confidence, water safety, how to sail an optimist dinghy, paddle a kayak and enjoy other fun water activities in a safe and supportive environment. Devonport Waterwise has been teaching water skills to children from the local primary schools since 1990.

Sessions are run *entirely* by parent volunteers from each school who have completed the Waterwise instructor training course. Each year our school has the opportunity to train a few new instructors to replace those instructors who are moving on. The instructor course is run over a few weeks starting in April and you learn in a group with parent trainees from other local schools.

It does not matter if you don't have a child in year 6 yet - we're keen to recruit parents long before their child reaches year 6. Without new recruits coming on board now we may not have enough trained instructors when your child reaches year 6.

Sailing experience is not necessary as the course starts from scratch. You learn to sail exactly how the children learn, plus all the safety and instruction aspects, including patrol boat handling. In fact, if you've always wanted to learn how to sail, this is a great opportunity.

The only pre-requisites to train as an instructor are the ability to swim, enthusiasm and commitment. **Following certification, the expectation is that you can help each Wednesday between 12pm and 3pm during terms one, two and four when BAYSWATER School run their Waterwise sessions.**

For more information, have a chat with any of the current DPS Instructors Mat, Kat and Bhoomika.

Course dates as follows:

Wednesday	10 April	7pm - 9pm	Info and introduction evening
Tuesday	30 April	9am - 3pm	On Water
Saturday	4 May	9am - 3pm	On Water
Tuesday	7 May	9am - 3pm	On Water
Saturday	11 May	9am - 3pm	On Water
Tuesday	14 May	9am - 3pm	On Water
Saturday	18 May	9am - 3pm	On Water
Tuesday	21 May	9am - 3pm	On Water
Saturday	25 May	9am - 3pm	On Water
Tuesday	28 May	9am - 3pm	Save Day
Tuesday	28 May	7pm - 9pm	Theory test
Tuesday	4 June	9am - 3pm	Save Day
Saturday	8 June		Practical test



devonportwaterwise.co.nz/training

The course fee is **\$57.50** (covered by Bayswater School) which covers the cost of the course Documentation and the much coveted Yellow Waterwise Cap. If this sounds like you, please contact the office or Mat 021609480 as soon as possible.



Course participants need to be signed up by Friday 5th April.

Visit devonportwaterwise.co.nz for more information about Waterwise



**A FUN PROGRAMME
THAT KIDS LOVE!**

Tuesday 2 April
EASTER TUESDAY

**OSCAR
PROGRAMME
SUBSIDIES
AVAILABLE!**

*Conditions apply

STANLEY BAY SCHOOL

We've got an amazing Easter Tuesday programme planned, including an Easter Egg Hunt, baking, crafts, games and more!

Book online now for our fun-filled one day holiday programme. See you there!

Full Day: \$56
7:30am to 6pm

School Day: \$47
8:30am to 3pm

Half Day: \$40
7:30am to 12:30pm OR 12:30pm to 6pm

Contact: Melanie Amurao
Phone: 020 4163 6747

Email: stanleybay@kellyclub.co.nz
Facebook: @KellyClubStanleyBaySchool

BOOK ONLINE NOW AT www.kellyclub.co.nz



HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

BAYSWATER PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEK 1

Mon 15 April	Tues 16 April	Wed 17 April	Thurs 18 April	Fri 19 April
KELLY CLUB NINJAS	RAINFOREST ADVENTURE	WHEELS DAY	FLASH BANG SCIENCE	ROCK 'N' ROLL

WEEK 2

Mon 22 April	Tues 23 April	Wed 24 April	Thurs 25 April	Fri 26 April
			PROGRAMME NOT ON TODAY	
BUBBLES & BOUNCE	SERGEANTS & SOLDIERS	MEGAZONE TRIP DAY	ANZAC DAY	HUMAN BOARD GAMES

BOOK ONLINE NOW AT
www.kellyclub.co.nz

Guitar and Ukulele Lessons at Bayswater School

Musiqhub offers Guitar and Ukulele tuition to students at Bayswater School with experienced tutor Dave Gatman.

Students learn a range of traditional and contemporary styled songs and techniques where they play together as a group and take turns to play to the group as individuals. This format creates a relaxed and fun environment for students to learn in and is popular in schools around the country.

The lessons are during school hours on Tuesdays and are available to students in Year 2 and older.

Dave has a few spaces for Term 2 lessons. If you are interested, please contact Dave on 021 222 1456 or email dave.gatman@musiqhub.co.nz.