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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 - Kia manawa tītī - Persevere and don't give up



Kia ora Bayswater whānau

Student-led conferences

Make sure you have booked a time and remember your child attends the conference with you!

Bayswater School's Matariki Festival is fast approaching.

The success of this event relies on all our parents / caregivers / grandparents / uncles and aunts etc getting involved! We need volunteers to help set up,

run activities on the day and finally to pack up. Please go to the Matariki Festival Volunteer Sheet and put your name down!

We need you!



Teacher Only Day - Kahui Ako Conference

Last week members of staff attended our local Kahui Ako conference, the venue was Takapuna Grammar School. Some of our amazing tamariki joined in the welcome as part of the Kahui Ako choir. It was also a privilege to have some of our teachers present a workshop. Thank you Claire, Claires and Norah for all your hard work and time prepping for the workshop.





Dates to remember:

Student Led Conferences Wednesday 5 June 3.15 - 7.30pm Thursday 6 June 3.15 - 5.30pm

Wednesday 12 June Peninsula Cross Country

Thursday 13 June Rippa Tournament

Saturday 22 JuneBayswater School Matariki Festival

Friday 5 July Last day of Term 2

Monday 22 July

Term 3 starts 9.15 Mihi whakatau

We have 25 International students joining us for 4 - 10 weeks. It would be great to see our whānau joining us to welcome them and their families. Please bring a plate to share.



to our tamariki celebrating a birthday this fortnight.

Tillie Horrocks 5yrs, Karlia Dunne 10yrs, Maria Greig 10yrs, Amira Griffiths 7yrs, Charlie Jane-Matravers 6yrs, Luke Harbour 11yrs, Rafael Arriaza Diaz 6yrs, Vedant Vinod 11yrs, Wilder Paulet 6yrs and Daniella Kim 8yrs.

We hope you have fun celebrating with family and friends.

Marianne Coldham Tumuaki - Principal

Attendance

One of the things we are continuing to focus on this term is student attendance. Your child's teacher will share this year's attendance information with you at the student-led conferences.

If a student misses one day of school every two weeks, they miss more than a whole year of school by 16 years of age. As a parent or caregiver, you, alongside our school, play a key role in building strong habits of regular school attendance.

All students are legally required to attend school every day and it is a shared responsibility to make sure students attend and engage in learning from when they first start school.

You must let the school know if your child is going to be absent or intends to be absent for a portion of the school term for whatever reason, like a tangi or medical procedure. Family holidays or taking time off for extracurricular activities (not organised by school) are classified as unjustified absences. Whilst we understand that things crop up once in a while it should not be a regular occurrence.

We know that autumn has certainly brought its crisp mornings and winter is coming with all its chills, bugs and colds. Knowing if your child is well enough to go to school can be tricky at times. Health New Zealand | Te Whatu Ora have refreshed their guidance for schools and parents to use to help make that call. Check out the Ministry of Education website for more information. If you are still unsure, get in touch with us.

At our school we have strong processes and hygiene practices in place to make sure our school environment is as healthy as possible for our students and our staff.

If you're struggling at home with getting your child to school, talk to us! Our school is committed to supporting your child to attend school and building a culture that fosters excellent attendance by having:

- School staff who have strong relationships with students and whānau.
- A school culture that recognises your child and your family for who they are, where they come from and who they want to be.
- A school community that does everything to make sure students are at school, and they are participating, and progressing in their education.

Sports Results

Hockey

27/5/24 Rakāu, our Year 5/6 team, played the Norwest Tornadoes . The score was 4-1 to Bayswater. Player of the day was Hunter Secker. A great game tonight with everyone trying hard. Great defence and great attack. Well done team!

Basketball

21/5/24 On Tuesday the Bayswater Panthers played the Bayview Wolves. Both teams were strong competitors. In the last few minutes Bayview broke the 16 all tie winning 18-16. Player of the day was Abraham Parker.

22/5/24 On Wednesday the Bayswater Breakers played the Windy Ridge Storm. We played a great offensive game. Windy Ridge hustled hard at the end, breaking the tie winning 12-10. Our player of the day was Rio Saffer.

28/5/24 What a great game the Bayswater Panthers played on Tuesday. Their defence was as strong as was their attack. They pushed hard till the last minute, winning 15-10 against the Bayfield Celtics. Player of the day was Kingston Robinson.

29/5/24 On Wednesday the Bayswater Breakers played the Chelsea Primary Stars. What a real confidence booster, with some good passing and defence helping us take the win, 24-2. Player of the day was Wiremu Catterall.

Netball

22/5/24 Our Year 5/6 team, the Fantails played Belmont School. The score was 19 - 5 to Bayswater. Player of the day was Willa Shapiro. What a fantastic game tonight with great defence and amazing team work. Well done Fantails.

Bayswater School Cross Country





Congratulations to our students who received a certificate at assembly on Friday 24 May for:

Room 2 Samuel showing the Bayswater value of Kairangatira by being a champion of our kiwaha, Kia Manawa

Tītī. Ka Rawe, e hoa!
Ellie showing the Bayswater value of Kairangatira in Learning Adventures by making a number of

charts representing data of farm energy usage.

Room 4 Noa the Bayswater value of Kairangatira/Personal Excellence during Learning Adventures. You

asked questions to further your learning and even helped to create an Al generated article to

guide your research. Tino pai.

Elizabeth the Bayswater value of Manawaroa/Resilience in maths. You are taking on new challenges in

multiplication and division and showing your understanding. You are quite the mathematician.

He whetū koe.

Marnie

Room 6 Mia showing the Bayswater value of Kairangatira/Personal Excellence in maths. You have positively

taken on the challenge to learn your times tables. You are focused on your own learning but also

supporting other children with learning their times tables.

Elliot showing the Bayswater value of Hauora. You are supportive and a role model for other children.

You have shown you are a kind friend and help others to have a great day. Tumeke!

Room 7 Wilder the Bayswater value of Kairangatira - Personal Excellence in writing. You are making great

progress in your ability to hear the sounds in words and write them independently. We can see

your self-confidence blooming! Mīharo!

Caitlyn the Bayswater value of Kairangatira - Personal Excellence. During our Learning Adventures

discussions about changes in farming technology you asked intelligent questions and shared

your awesome ideas with the class. He whetū koe! You are a star!

Room 9A Milan the Bayswater value of Kairangatira Personal Excellence in literacy. You are applying your

writing skills to create interesting and booklets about nature to share with Room 9. You inspire

others to karawhiua during learning through play. We are all inspired by you. Miharo!

the Bayswater value of Kairangatira Personal Excellence in maths. You are a fraction wizard making connections in your knowledge to solve difficult problems and then eagerly share your

strategies with clarity. We are proud of your achievement. He whetu koe, you're a star!

Room 9B Vincent demonstrating the Bayswater value of Kairangatira. You show personal excellence in

technology. You explore ways of building items by reading printed diagrams and trying to replicate them. You are also always willing to share your knowledge with others who are

interested. Tino pai Vincent!

Ayva demonstrating the Bayswater value of Manaawaroa. You have shown resilience throughout

every task this year. You approach mistakes as a way to learn new information and skills. You

are always determined to give things a go. Ka pai Ayva! Keep it up!



