

Friday 18th June 2021

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NEWSLETTER

KAWERONGO

June

21st Year 6 camp
28th Teacher Only Day
30th Northern Bays X-Country
Year 4 – 6

July

1st Ripa #2
6th Save Day Ripa #2
7th Parent Interviews
8th Parent Interviews
9th Last day Term 2

For School Donations and Activity fees:

Donation: \$200 per student
Act Fee: \$35 per term

School Bank Account
Number: 12 3109 0011698 00

Uniform Shop Hours (onsite)

Tuesday 2.45 – 3.15pm
Thursday 8.30 – 9.00am

Term Dates 2021

3rd February – 16th April
3rd May – 9th July
26th July – 1st October
18th October – December (TBC)

Before School Care: Lorna –
martinvr@xtra.co.nz

After School Care: Karen –
027 235 8724

This week I set a challenge to the children to see if we could catch even more people displaying our PRIDE values across our school. As always, our wonderful children stepped up and we have a record number of certificates this week! The use of our values across the school ensures our children continue to grow those essential life skills of **P**erseverance, **R**espect, **I**nitiative, **D**iligence and **E**xcellence. The children awarded certificates this week are Zac Bould, Hudson Pascoe, Sabrina Smith, Piper Harrison, Luke Taylor, Charlotte Wilson, Kyla Hurley, Montana Kirkland, Lily Wallace, Caja Tonkin, Emerson Smith, Frankie Clarkson, Sophia Simpson - Wereszczynska, Breeze Ashman, Drew Balsom, Ellie Muller, Jessica Hope and Jodie Jaffe.

What a week!

I reflect on how lucky we are to have our events up and running this year. I have been fortunate to attend several events and hear about our successes at others! Firstly, congratulations to all our cross country runners. Not only did they win the overall school prize, but displayed some wonderful sportsmanship and behaviour. Our school also took part in the Bays Arts Festival on Wednesday evening, what a night! I think the audience reaction to our item was amazing. The children performed beautifully! The artwork from our school that was on display was also fabulous! I was also lucky to be able to take two teams to the North Shore Mathex competition, held at Northcross Intermediate. Our teams finished joint fourth from over 50 teams. They worked very hard on some very very challenging maths problems! I would like to thank all the staff involved for their organisation to give our children these experiences and also the parents who supported at the events. We can't give the children these opportunities without your help! As a school this week we have excelled in sports, the arts and academically! Seeing our school perform so well across such a wide variety of activities makes me very proud of our amazing children!

Donations

A massive thank you to those who have already been in to pay donations and activity contributions this term. These are so important to us. Please remember these can be paid at either the office or online. If you are in a position to make a donation, we really do appreciate them, as it does allow us to provide opportunities across the school. The donation suggested is \$200 if paid in terms 1 and 2, or \$220 if after this time.

Online Payment Details

School Bank Account Number: 12 3109 0011698 00

Please put your child's name as a reference if paying directly into the school bank account.

We really appreciate your support with the contribution of your donation and payment towards our school activities. We are very proud of our school, our facilities and the extras we can offer, thanks to those donations.

Parent Conference

Our parent interviews are coming up shortly on Wednesday 7th and Thursday 8th July. This is an opportunity for your child's teacher to discuss the progress of your child so far this year and share the goals from the reports. The report is not a stand alone document. It is your child's learning goals for the rest of the year and will be supported by the information you will receive at the parent conference. From 9am Monday morning you can book your interview at schoolinterviews.co.nz and then enter the code e2nr5. Then follow the instructions to make your appointments.

Enrolments

If you have a child who will be joining us later in 2021 or early 2022 please call into the office to pick up an enrolment pack. Knowing our numbers ahead of time allows us to recruit the best teachers we can for your children. Please pass this information onto any friends who also may have children joining us soon!

New Teacher

We are very happy to welcome Steph Sussex to our staff. She starts our next New Entrant class at the start of term 3. We are really happy to have her join our team at Greenhithe School.

Disco

Thank you to our amazing PTA for the wonderful disco they organised. We really appreciate your efforts! Thank you as well to those parents who joined us in the staffroom to discuss future directions of the school, have a look at our property plans and also meet with the Principal and one of the Deputy Principals from Albany Junior High School, who we invited to share some information about their school and to be available to answer any questions.

Teacher Only Day

Don't forget the teacher only day on Monday 28th June. This is an allocated NZEI day, which is part of the teachers collective agreement. Our teachers will be in school working hard! The YMCA will again run a programme for us in the hall to support child care on that day. Details of the YMCA programme are listed below.

Ngā mihi

Stephen Grady
Principal
Greenhithe School

SPORTS CORNER

Korero hākinakina

CROSS COUNTRY

Today we have taken 36 runners to compete at the Inter School Cross Country Champs at Coatesville School. The results from today's races will be published in the next Sports Corner.

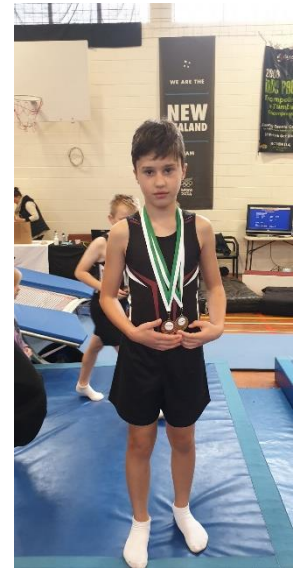
CONGRATULATIONS

Olivia from Room 25, competed in her first Auckland Cross Country Race on Saturday in the 2021 Grand Prix Race 3/Teams Championship at East Tamaki.

She ran a wonderful race and came second in the Under 8 2km category. Way to go Olivia!



Luis from Room 17, participated in the North Island iTRACSS Championships last weekend. He won a bronze medal in the Double Mini Trampoline and a Gold in the Individual Trampoline 10 and under. He has qualified for the New Zealand Trampoline National Championships to be held in July. This is an amazing achievement as Luis has only been competing in trampoline for two terms. Congratulations Luis and good luck for Nationals.



SWISH BASKETBALL

July Basketball Holiday Camp at the Swish Factory - NZ's most advanced basketball training facility. Two and three day camps, for years 4-10, coached by NZ 3x3 Head Coach and Number 1 ranked player Karl Noyer, from \$60 per day. To book your spot go to

www.theswishfactory.com/holidaycamps

KEEPING IN TOUCH

If there is anything that you would like included in the school newsletter, an achievement that you think is worth sharing, please email me at sharonh@greenhithe.school.nz

Sharon Hilton-Jones
Sports Co-ordinator

Albany Student Whanau Wellbeing Evening

Albany Senior High School and Netsafe present:

ASHS Student Whanau Wellbeing Evening 2021

6.00-7.30 pm

Thursday 1st July 2021

Albany Senior High School Theatre

Please join us for our inaugural 'Whanau Wellbeing Evening'! This evening is designed for family and whanau of ASHS students who are seeking ways to further support their young people. There will be an opening keynote followed by optional workshops.

Register your interest here: <https://forms.gle/aS9EqxrHfBktXyYQA>

Keynote - Andrew Cowie
Netsafe Education & Schools Team Manager
Habits of Mind in the Digital Space

In this keynote Andrew will discuss some of the ways young people can create the most optimal conditions to interact positively online. This includes applying the principles of deliberate practice, mindfulness, and understanding ways to identify, avoid, and prevent online bullying and unwanted contact.

Optional workshops will include:

- Career to where? Supporting your young person with their pathway beyond school.
- Getting moving. Supporting your young person with their physical well-being.
- Keeping safe online. Tools and strategies for supporting your teen online.
- Whanau Support Group for families with teenagers with mental health concerns.

Art Day for children in the holidays (ages 7 - 12 yrs.)

If your child loves drawing and painting they'll love this one-day workshop with artist Eion Bryant. With step-by-step instruction they will draw then create a vibrant acrylic painting learning tips and techniques along the way. Fun and focused!

VENUE: St. Anne's Hall, Browns Bay, July 13th, 10.00am-3.00pm.

Cost: \$55

Bookings: eion@eionbryant.com, mob 0211327033 or 021 0606641



The poster features the Ethos Academy logo at the top, which includes a stylized tree and the text 'ETHOS' and 'EMPOWERING THROUGH SPORT'. Below the logo is the main heading 'KEEP THE KIDS ACTIVE THESE HOLIDAYS'. A paragraph describes the program as a holiday program at local schools for learning skills and practicing values. Four sports are listed with icons: Football, Basketball, Turbo Touch, and Dodgeball. A table provides details for kids aged 8-13, including location (Hobsonville Pt Secondary School), dates (July 13th, 14th, 15th), times (8am - 5pm), and cost (\$60 per day or \$134.99 for all 3 days). The background shows a group of children on a sports court. A sign-up link is provided at the bottom.

ETHOS
EMPOWERING THROUGH SPORT

**KEEP THE KIDS ACTIVE
THESE HOLIDAYS**

Ethos Academy of Sport School Holiday Program is coming to your local school. Learn new skills, make great friends & practice bringing the values of integrity, fortitude, loyalty and respect to everyday life.

FOOTBALL **BASKETBALL** **TURBO TOUCH** **DODGEBALL**

FOR KIDS AGED 8-13	
LOCATION	HOBSONVILLE PT SECONDARY SCHOOL
DATES	JULY 13 TH , 14 TH , 15 TH
TIMES	8AM - 5PM
COST	\$60 PER DAY or \$134. ⁹⁹ FOR ALL 3 DAYS

SIGN UP AT: ETHOSACADEMY.CO.NZ



**LEARN,
PLAY AND
GROW**



**Teacher Only Day
Programme**

**Monday 28 June
at Greenhithe School**

8am - 6pm

How to Book:

- > Please log into your Aimy Plus Account
<https://ymca-akl-ham-bop.aimyplus.com/>
- > Go to Bookings
- > Click on **SPECIAL DAY**

Or call 09 480 7099
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Or email
northshore@ymcauckland.org.nz



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Storytelling
Social Speeches
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