



TERM 3. WEEK 6.

Welcome to Gabriel in Mrs. Patel's homeroom.

DATES FOR THE DIARY.

- September.
- Wednesday 7- school photos. Eastern Zone swimming.
- Wednesday 21- Eastern Zone floorball.
- Thursday 22- Board meeting.

School Production in our hall.

Tuesday 27- Matairangi Hub presents:

The Great Kiwi Road Trip.

Matinee: 11am
Evening show: 6.30pm

Wednesday 28- Whātaitai Hub presents:

Ki runga Ki runga Ki runga atu. Up, Up and Away.

Matinee: 11am. Evening show: 6.30pm

Thursday 29- Ngake Hub presents:

Rātā and the Tree.

Matinee: 1.45pm Evening show: 6.30pm

Friday 30- Last day of term 3.

October.

- Monday 17- First day of term 4.
- Monday 24- Labour Day holiday.
- Tuesday 25- Teacher Only day. School closed.
- Thursday 27- School athletic sports day.

PRINCIPAL NEWS.

Kia ora koutou,

Learning in the performing arts permeates
Kilbirnie School at the moment. This time last
year the visual arts shone just as brightly as our
focus. Teaching and learning in the arts is one of
our pillars as a school. We think this learning is
essential as part of an education that is full and
exciting, an education that allows students to
develop the skills and competencies needed for
success and enjoyment at school and in life. 25
years working in education has proven to me
that the learning possible through the arts is
rich, personal and important.

Students will be very excited to share their learning with you as the term culminates in performances in week 10. I am feeling very proud of our students and staff.

We still discuss the late Sir Ken Robinson within the context of the arts. Ken was a strong believer in the arts and often talked about the value of the arts within a modern education that meets the needs of modern students such as those at Kilbirnie School.

If you can find a spare 10 minutes this video is well worth watching, he has produced other seminal videos available on utube.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zDZFcDGpL4U

Have a great weekend.

Tony Austin- Principal.



• KILBIRNIE SCHOOL PRODUCTION.





This week I asked teachers to take a few pictures of production rehearsals to allow whānau a peek at some of the work that has been developed. We can now also share the title of each piece along with a short blurb.

Everyone is working to bring together elements of dance, drama and music to share with whānau in the last week of term. It is terrific to see students working together creatively and having great fun.

THE MATAIRANGI HUB PRESENTS:

The Great Kiwi Road Trip.

Join Seven Sharp's Hilary Barry and Jeremy Wells as they host special coverage of 'A Great Kiwi Road Trip'. Follow competition prizewinners as they enjoy and explore the beauty of Aotearoa.







THE WHATAITAI HUB PRESENTS:

Ki runga Ki runga Ki runga atu. Up, Up and Away.

Come and ride with us as we fly in our beautiful balloon. Come and look at the world, it's such a nice place. We will dance, sing songs and entertain you as we all sail along the sky.









THE NGAKE HUB PRESENTS:

Rātā and the Tree.

Take a trip to an island to hear and see the legend of Rātā and the Tree unfold with spellbinding performances from the tamariki of the Ngake Hub.

Be ready to be entertained!





KILBIRNIE SCHOOL BOARD.

Last night members of our new school Board met with departing members for an indication hui. The new Board meets formally later in the term. We thanked **Andy Davies, Heidi Cannell, John Denton and Chris Montgomerie** for their work in support of the school.

The new Board:

(Back row, left to right):

Robin Fepuleai, Leah Mataira, Soha Ahmed, Muhammad Azam and Peter Dobson (staff representative).

(Front row, left to right):

Tony Austin (Principal), Davin Hall, Anna Allen.



The Board can be contacted at: chair@kilbirnie.school.nz

We are looking for a new minute secretary. Please contact me if you are interested in this paid position.



NZSTA ACKNOWLEDGEMENT TO CHRIS MONTGOMERIE.

At the hui last night I presented Chris Montgomerie with an award from the New Zealand School Trustee Association (NZSTA). This award is recognition of the completion of 10 years as a Board member. Chris was on our Board for 10 years including 9 as the Chair. I believe she is the first Kilbirnie School Board member to receive this award.

Chris' work on the Board, around the school and in the wider education community has been characterised by drive, energy and a relentless determination to get things done. Chris has been a principled and considered leader focussed on bettering the experience and outcomes for students.

We thank her and wish her well in her next endeavour standing in the upcoming election for the Greater Wellington Regional Council.





KILBIRNIE SCHOOL VALUES.



Congratulations to **Rosie** who came over to my office to receive her word rocket certificate. We are always very proud when our youngest students achieve this milestone. Well done, **Rosie!**

Congratulations also to **Walter and Tomas** who received Principal's
awards in recognition of their
demonstration of the Kilbirnie School
values.





Many thanks to everyone who supported Kilbirnie School's online Daffodil Day fundraiser. We managed to reach our target and raise \$512.00, which is a fantastic effort.

This donation will go towards cancer care for patients and their whānau, education and awareness programmes and life changing cancer research.



LEAVERS' DINNER 2022- AN UPDATE.

We are excited to announce that at the end of this year, we will be hosting the Year 6 Leaver's Dinner at the Roxy Cinema. This will be a change from our normal venue of The Pines.

The leaver's dinner will be held on **Monday 5th December.** We are looking forward to celebrating our Year 6's alongside whānau. More information will be made available at a closer date.

COLLECT APPLE YUMMY STICKERS, WE GET SPORTS GEAR!

If you have been collecting them at home, please return to the school office.



LOST PROPERTY.

We have had quite a lot of lost property this year. We have given students a chance to look through it all a few times, however there is still a bit there. If you would like a look through yourself, you are most welcome too. It is all kept in the hall bathroom. Any lost property that is not collected by the 19th September will be kindly given to charity.



• KILBIRNIE SCHOOL PHOTOS- THIS WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 7TH.



Inspire Photography will be coming to photograph the children at Kilbirnie School from 9am on:

Wednesday 7 September 2022

As part of Kilbirnie School's fundraising for the year Inspire Photography will donate 10% of all sales directly to Kilbirnie School.

Inspire Photography is an award-winning, Wellington-based professional photography studio who specialise in School and ECE photography. We are popular throughout a number of Wellington Schools for the photographs we take, the manner in which we take them and our generous fundraising offers. We are unique in our style and approach.

What we offer on the day

- A totally relaxed and unique style of photography
 - · A friendly and easy-going photographer
- Fun, games and general silliness to get even the shyest children smiling
 - Group photos of each class
 - Individual portraits, friend portraits and siblings photos.

To view the pictures, we offer an online ordering system. The School Office will be advised of the password for the online gallery when the proofs are ready. Proofs are available to view online approximately two weeks after the date of the photo shoot, you will then have two weeks to place an order and two weeks after orders will be delivered back to the School. If you would prefer not to order online, please contact us in the studio for assistance.

Basic Pricing

Size	Single print price	3 or more copies*
A. 10x15cm (4x6 inches)	\$16	\$12
B. 12.5x20cm (5x7.5 inches)	\$19	15
C. 20x30cm (8x12 inches)	\$29	\$21
D. 24.5x37cm (10x15 inches)	\$45	\$30
Individual Digital File	\$40 per file	\$10 - \$30 thereafter
Group Photo	\$18	N/A

Digital File, Sibling and Group packages are also available at the time of ordering. * A discount applies if you order 3 or more identical prints at the same size with the same specifications.







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NEWS FROM OUR COMMUNITY.

Marrzipan Drama

Is it a bird? Is it a plane? No. It's a Marrzipan kid dressed as a bird-plane for their upcoming play! Marrzipan is at Kilbirnie school and we would love to have you come and try it out! Come see all the craziness and fun as we run 9 drama-based self-confidence lessons a term. Marrzipan is full of games, a wacky play, and an even wackier Joshuwawa!

*Free Trial Lesson. For more information please contact Joshuwawa at: Josh@MarrzipanDrama.co.nz or visit www.marrzipandrama.co.nz



Quiz Night at The Realm - Sunday 11 September from 6pm

Tickets are now available for our fundraiser Quiz Night at The Realm on Sunday 11 September. We're raising funds for a new sail shade over the sandpits at the Community House, \$15 each for tickets, so make up a team of 6 and book as soon as possible. Dinner from 6pm, Quiz starts at 7pm.

You can book online by going to https://events.humanitix.com/hataitai-community-house-quiz-night or email: hataitaievents@gmail.com

A fun night is planned with raffles, auctions, spot prizes, great company, food and drinks.



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Father's Day

Saturday 3 September 10.00am - 2.00pm











Art, Crafts, Preserves, Vintage, Plants...





hataitai centre, 157 hataitai road (former bowling club)

Each year we have a significant number of deaths in and around our beaches and water ways and we would love to help reduce these.

Maranui is a family orientated surf club where skill development through fun and inclusive activity is our driver. We strive for 100% fun to drive 100% effort. We take youngsters from 5 years old. We teach beach safety, how to enjoy being in the ocean and through a development programme hope to grow life guards of the future. We do not teach swimming and encourage parent involvement in their Childs learning.



RATs available at the Hataitai Community House

We are asking for people to call/email in advance if symptomatic, so we can arrange for the RATs to be left outside for them at the allotted time.

Phone: 0204862821

Email: bookings@hataitai.org.nz

Collection times:

Monday 12 - 2.30 pm and Tuesday 12 - 2.30 pm

Wednesday 10 am - 2 pm. Thursday 10 am - 2 pm. Friday 10 am - 2 pm

PRIDE LANDS FUN HOLIDAY ADVENTURES

SPRING SCHOOL HOLIDAYS AT WESTERN SUBURBS RUGBY CLUB (WILTON) AND SOUTHERN SUBURBS SWIS (BERHAMPORE-NEWTOWN)

3rd – 14th OCT 2022 from 7.00am-6pm daily from 7.00am-6pm daily . Interactive Activities and NO TV or Video Games, Cooking, Fitness, and Life Skills Programme creating healthy Breakfast, Morning Tea, Lunch and Afternoon Teas. One-on-one care and shuttle services available. Daily \$81.04/cub per session or \$137.77 for two siblings per session; Weekly: \$324.16 per cub/week or \$551.07 for two siblings/week . MSD Approved & WINZ subsidies are available for eligible families.

Please contact us: 0800 PRIDE 4 U Or Register online: www.PRIDELANDS.co.nz or Visit our Facebook page: www.Facebook.com/PrideLandsChildcare

EVERYONE OUT HOLIDAY PROGRAMMES

Everyone Out Holiday Programmes offer tamariki the opportunity to play and follow their own interests in an amazing natural environment. Whether they want to build huts in the bush, test out our slackline, learn how to start a campfire or just hang out in the hammock there is something for everyone.

Book in for the Spring Holidays, 3 - 14 October, at enrolmy.com/everyone-out or for more information check out our website www.everyoneout.co.nz



Wellington Surf Lessons are offering a fantastic kids summer surf program each week of the school holidays at Lyall Bay. The program will run every week in January and April and will cater for a range of abilities and ages. There is also an after school program during term 1 next year.

The programs will include surf lessons and surfskate classes and will be a great chance for kids to make friends to surf and skate with over summer.

Find out more below

Kids Summer Holiday Program

https://wellingtonsurflessons.co.nz/kids-holiday-program/

Kids After School Program

https://wellingtonsurflessons.co.nz/kids-after-school-program



Nau mai! Kuhu mai!

- Instrumental and vocal tuition for tamariki aged 5-12
- Weekly karaehe on Saturday mornings
- Friendly and experienced kaiako of beginner to advanced ākonga
- \$120 for a full year's tuition!







TUESDAY MORNINGS

Cupcakes Doughnuts Sausage Rolls

TUESDAY 4TH AFTERNOON

Main: Homemade pizza with garlic bread and Greek style salad

Dessert: Mini pavlovas with berries and cream

TUESDAY 11TH AFTERNOON

Main: Spaghetti and meatballs with garlic, parmesan pizza bread and garden salad

Dessert: Chocolate mousse

THURSDAY MORNINGS

Cinnamon Rolls Vanilla Biscuits Sausage Rolls

THURSDAY 6TH AFTERNOON

Main: Beef koftas with flatbreads, tomato salsa, homemade hummus and cucumber salad

Dessert: Chocolate cake with cream

THURSDAY 13TH AFTERNOON

Main: Homemade dumplings with pickled cucumber, steamed rice and spring onion flatbread

Dessert: Lemon meringue pie

Email: sarahhalewood8@gmail.com

KIDS COOKING





Perfect for kids age 10 to 14

Send your child off to become a Mini Masterchef this school holidays. In the morning sessions, we'll bake treats perfect for an afternoon tea feast. During the afternoon sessions, we'll prepare a delicious dinner and dessert for the whole family. No matter which session your child chooses, they'll walk away with a meal for 4 people and skills for a lifetime.

DATES

Week One: Tuesday 4th & Thursday 6thoch Week Two: Tuesday 11th & Thursday 13thoct

Morning Baking Session: 9am - 12pm \$80 Afternoon Full Meal Session: 1pm - 4:30pm \$120 Full Day (Includes lunch from prefab): 9am - 4:30pm \$220

WHERE

Prefab Hall - 14 Jessie Street Te Aro

BOOK

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