

Term 2 Week 10, Thursday 5th July, 2018 Tēnā koutou e te whānau, he mihi nui ki a koutou katoa

Principals Message

Tēnā koutou katoa,

Kia mihi atu mātau ki ngā whetū hari kai mai Ka kitea a Matariki, nā kua makoa te hinu Ka kitea a Puanga, nā kua maruaroa te hotoke Rere whānui koutou i te pō tūtanga nui a Pipiri Eke mai i te rangi e roa e, kia whangai iho ki te mata o te tau re roa e.

Term 3 is going to be a really exciting time at Freemans Bay school with some new staffing changes:

- Suz is moving from Rau Rua to ESOL to join Anne and Lucy supporting ESOL students at our school
- Shital will now become the fulltime teacher of Suz and Shital's class in Whānau Rau Rua
- Jeanie and Emma are joining Whānau Rau Tahi due to the increasing numbers. Jeanie is a parent at our school and is already familiar with our students and community. Emma joins us from Matakana Primary School.
- Theresa will be joining Adele in the Whānau Wai team. She has been teaching overseas and brings a
 great deal of experience with her.
- We also welcome Wyllis back into Whānau Ata in Term 3.

At the start of Term 3 Annette will be competing in the Hockey EXIN Masters World Cup in Barcelona. It is a fantastic achievement to represent New Zealand at this level and we wish her all the best.

It was great to see so many parents supporting the Whānau Puna Matariki performance. What a great way to celebrate our children's learning. It was that packed we could hardly move in the hall. Well done to everyone!



On Monday, parents in Whānau Wai, Puna and Rau should have received their child's latest school report, *Curriculum Progress Report*. Please take some time to read the comments in *My Learning Journey* and discuss and celebrate the progress that your child has made over this term.

In early Term 3, Whānau Ata parents will receive their child's Checkpoint.

Ice has been forming on the deck in front of the yellow building which makes it very slippery and dangerous. When there is ice on the ground, Mike cordons this off the area so please stay away and take care. We are currently investigating options that will make the area safe for everyone.

Noho ora mai,

Bridget

Acting Principal

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WELCOME TO ALL OUR NEW STUDENTS!

Sasha, June, Enaya, Rico

IMPORTANT DATES

Friday 6th July 10.50am, Kapa Haka Matariki Performance

Last day of Term 2

Monday 23rd July First day of Term 3

PLEASE CHECK OUT OUR SCHOOL CALENDAR FOR UPCOMING EVENTS

TERM 3 BASKETBALL

Over the term a number of students have been representing our school in an Inner city basketball competition held every Friday. This term we had two teams, a Year 5 and Year 6 team.

It has been a wonderful experience with both teams representing Freemans Bay School well. All our students demonstrated great sportsmanship and have grown tremendously in skills and



understanding. The Year 5 team lost their first three games but tasted victory in their last head to head against Pt Chev 12-13 (without subs). Well done Cris who was awarded player of the day.

A huge thank you to all the family and whānau involved and to Damon and Stu, the coachers, for their commitment and hard work.



NEW!! EASY LUNCH ORDERS – AVAILABLE EVERY DAY! COMMENCING MONDAY 23 JULY 2018.

Support our school and get a fab fresh lunch! Now you can order lunch by clicking here

Order any time before 9am on the day or schedule in advance. Lunch will be delivered to school at lunchtime. Available every day!

<u>Click here</u> to view the sample menus for term 3. (Prices may change).

A percentage of sales goes to school fundraising – easy for you and great for the school!



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The Yummy Fruit Company

School Sticker Promotion



It's yummy sticker time again and we need your help. All you have to do is shop at your local New World, Pak 'n Save or participating Four Square stores and purchase Yummy apples. They can either be in bags with cut-out labels (One cut-out label is worth 10 apple stickers) or as individual apples with Yummy stickers. Yummy nectarines or other stone fruit stickers are also accepted.

Then you can either:

- Add stickers to your child's classroom sticker collection sheet
- Get a copy of a sticker collection sheet (from the office), place the Yummy stickers on them and then post in the Yummy box at the school office.

At the end of the promotion we will collect and collate all of the sheets and our stickers will be used to purchase sports gear from DG Sport. The more you collect, the more sports gear we get so get going and start collecting your Yummy labels and stickers now!

The promotion ends Friday 21 September

COMMUNITY NOTICES



NOTICE FROM AUCKLAND TRANSPORT

Sunday 8 July, 2018 – Bus services in Auckland Central Suburbs are changing. Please view your

new timetables at https://at.govt.nz/timetables



Auckland Live Pick & Mix – enjoy 10 action-packed weekends of FREE entertainment for kids of all ages. Featuring performances from the Royal NZ Ballet, NZ Opera and so many cool NZ

companies! Which is a great opportunity for children to engage in the performing arts for free.

Big Bad Wolf – taking over the Bruce Mason Centre these these July school holidays, the Big Bad Wolf is perfect for children 5+. This



fairytale classic has been turned upside down, and it turns out the Big Bad Wolf is just a soft cuddly wolf looking for a friend (plus he's a 'vege-matarian' – that means he loves broccoli not rabbits!). Kids will learn the importance of friendship and embracing their differences.

Tickets: \$22 – 28 (plus service fees).







Ponsonby Intermediate School

Term 2

Tuesday 15th May - Open Morning

9:15am – 12:00pm for Year 6 students and parents/ caregivers. Students will be invited to come to Ponsonby Intermediate School at 9:15am from their school with their parents/ caregivers. This is a chance to see the school in action.

Tuesday 12th June - Open Morning

Wednesday 13th June - Open Morning

Term 3

Tuesday 31st July - Open Morning

Wednesday 15th August - Open Evening

The school will be open for viewing with programmes operating from 6:00pm – 7:00pm. A meeting with parents and teachers will take place in the hall at 6:45pm to answer any queries and to take enrolments.

Tuesday 21st August - Final Open Morning

For more information: www.ponsonbyintermediate.school.nz