



Thursday 25 July 2024

## This week's PB4L Focus: Compassion: Being a Good Friend



This week we have been focusing on the important theme of compassion, particularly in the context of being a good friend. We have also been emphasizing the development of social skills, which is a key component of our Graduate Profile. This includes understanding that having friends and being a friend to others means being inclusive and considerate. Through discussions and role-playing activities, classes have been exploring what qualities make a good friend. Classes have talked about what a good friend looks like and sounds like, highlighting trust, kindness and empathy.

## He aha te tupu i Tirimoana! What's happening at Tirimoana!

### Kia ora e te whānau



We hope you all had a safe and wonderful holiday with your family.

Term 3 has started well with students and teachers refreshed and ready for a busy term of learning.

Our first event of the term is to celebrate the opening of the Olympic Games in Paris, France. Parents are welcome to attend the school's Olympic Tabloid morning next Tuesday.



## Olympic Tabloid Morning

Tuesday 30 July

9.00am

Our morning will begin with an Olympic parade of countries

**Children should wear active/ sports wear for this fun morning.  
(Non uniform day)**

Throughout the morning, children will be rotating around a variety of fun activities.

We welcome all parents to join us in celebrating this event.  
A coffee cart will be available

We anticipate the tabloid activities will run till lunchtime.



A sausage sizzle will be held after the Olympic Tabloid day on Tuesday to support the Year 6 camp.

**Please bring in \$2 in a named envelope.** Clearly state if your child would like a vegetarian sausage.



Welcome to Nikita Weir who has joined us at Tirimoana working with our youngest learners in Room 10



### Ports of Auckland support Year 6 Camp

Ports of Auckland has helped support our Year 6 camp by donating \$1500 towards the camp costs. This support goes a long way towards helping keep the cost of camp as low as possible. Thanks to Tamati Davie for supporting the school by helping us apply for this donation and to Kaelyn, Moringa, Mrs Christensen and Mr Lyon for going to the Ports of Auckland and Meeting with CEO Roger Gray to receive the donation.



### Tirimoana School Uniform

Uniform payments can be made using eftpos or cash in the office.

**Please note we do not have paywave available.**

Uniforms cannot be issued until payment is received.

Thank you.

### Reporting an absence - via school app, email or phone call

#### Edge App

**edge learning solutions**

### Reporting an Absence

Parents can now report their child's absence directly from their Edge app, if the school has enabled this feature. This will automatically update the school and adjust the attendance records.

- Once you are logged in, you will be presented with the dashboard. Click 'Notify School of Absence'.
- You have the option of easily advising that your child is sick today. If it is a different reason or if you would like to add multiple days choose 'A different Absence'.
- Choose best option and then you can choose the length of time absent from school.

**Notify School of Absence**

What type of absence is it?

- Jasmine Hall will be away sick Monday 22 July
- A different absence

For absences longer than 3 days or more than 3 weeks in the future, please phone the school office.

**Phone School**

**Notify School of Absence**

Select the absence type

- Sick
- Doctor or dentist appointment
- Family reasons (e.g. funeral)
- Other reason

For absences longer than 3 days or more than 3 weeks in the future, please phone the school office.

**Phone School**

#### School Website

**Tirimoana School**  
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## Absences

If your child will not be at school today please make sure you let the school office know by 9.00am. If a student is absent, the school will endeavour to contact the family to find out where the student is. However, please remember that the responsibility is on the family to contact the school before 9.00am.

To let the school know your child will be absent, please fill out the form below or phone the school on **(09) 838 9737**, and leave a message. Thanks!

Your child/children's full name/s (required)

Your child/children's class/es or room number (required)

Your Full Name (required)

**Phone the school office to leave a message (09) 8389737**

Please pack a spare set of clothes in your child's school bag in case your child falls in the mud.



During the winter terms, the fields and grassy areas around the school tend to get muddy. If your child enjoys kicking a ball and playing on the field, they are likely to get dirty.

**Please note** the school is not able to supply spare clothes, and we will not be ringing you to bring additional clothing.



Kia ora and Welcome to  
Tirimoana School



<b>Year 0</b>	Maria	Billy	Ysabelle	Cameron
Frankie	Vihaan	Lovanna	Sharon	Grayson
<b>Year 1</b>	Ollie <i>Welcome back</i>			
<b>Year 3</b>	Mivaan	<b>Year 4</b>	Bowen	Chloe <i>Welcome back</i>
<b>Year 5</b>	Alice		<b>Year 6</b>	Lucy

## Tirimoana School Events

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Week 2</b> 29 July- 2 Aug		Olympic Tabloid Morning		Year 6 Trip to Art Gallery	Year 6 Trip to Art Gallery
<b>Week 3</b> 5- 9 August		Year 4: Rm 13 and 15 Corbans Art Centre	Mobile Library Bus at a school Year 6 Cake Sale (Lunchtime)		Year 5 and 6 Children's Summer Nights Dream show Year 4: Rm 3 and 14 Corbans Art Centre
<b>Week 4</b> 12-16 August					
<b>Week 5</b> 19-23 August	Book Week in School Performance (Whole school)	Photolife Portrait and Sibling Photos	Netball Zonal Board Meeting Y6 Volunteer Camp Meeting		
<b>Week 6</b> 26-30 August					Daffodil Day (Wear Yellow) Men's Morning
<b>Week 7</b> 2-6 September		Mobile Library Bus at a school	Year 3 trip to Te Uru	Year 3 trip to Te Uru	Year 1 and 2 Disco at lunchtime (Gold coin donation)
<b>Week 8</b> 9-13 Sept	Te Wiki o te Reo Māori	Te Wiki o te Reo Māori	Te Wiki o te Reo Māori Year 0/1 trip to Museum	Te Wiki o te Reo Māori	Te Wiki o te Reo Māori Year 3 and 4 Disco at lunchtime (Gold coin donation)
<b>Week 9</b> 16-20 Sept					Year 5 and 6 Disco at lunchtime (Gold coin donation)
<b>Week 10</b> 23-27 Sept		Art Expo Opening evening			Last day of term 3

**Note:** Change of days for Sushi and Pita Pit

Burger Fuel delivering on specific days



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### Tirimoana School

27<sup>th</sup> August & 24<sup>th</sup> September - BURGER FUEL

Wednesday - SUSHI BEE (note change of day)

Thursday - SUBWAY

Friday – PITA PIT (note change of day)

Yummy, delicious, healthy lunches delivered to School

Sushi Bee orders close 10pm Tuesday

All other orders close 9am on day of delivery



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1. Login/Place an Order
2. Create an account
3. Add member/s include name, school and classroom number
4. Under Lunch Orders select student name – Start order and place your order
5. You will be directed to the make a payment page
6. A pop up will confirm 'your order has been successful' or check 'Order History' tab
7. Any queries please call us on 0800 LOL LOL (0800565565)



#### Mobile Library Bus visiting our school



In 2024 the Auckland Libraries Mobile Library Bus will begin visiting our school and all of our tamariki will get the opportunity to jump aboard and choose 1 or 2 books. This is a wonderful opportunity for them.

During 2024 if you already have your child signed up as a Library Member they will use this membership to issue a maximum number of 2 items. There are no overdue fines for these cards.

Those children who are not already library members can be issued with a 'Starter Card' which lets them borrow a maximum of 2 items, which Auckland Libraries will take responsibility for (you will receive reminders though via e-mail or post if items are overdue, however there will be no late fees or replacement costs to you).

Please help us retain this wonderful service and encourage respect for books by helping your child return their books to school or your local public Library (Ranui).

Children do-not need to bring their card to school, and you are welcome to visit your local Library to use their services too.

Please note that in order for children to have this opportunity we give your child's details to Auckland Libraries. This info will be used for creating the membership card only. Please notify the office if you DON'T wish this to happen or have privacy concerns. Likewise if your child has an existing membership & you do -not wish them to use this card please let us know. 😊

Mobile Library Bus will be at school on  
Wednesday 7th August

## After School Care Information



Are you looking for after school care for your child/ren?

West Wave Pools and Leisure Centre provides an OSCAR programme between 3pm - 6pm Monday to Friday.

We have pick up services available and will drop your child/ren to the centre for some fun activities. We provide a snack for afternoon tea and have structure plans for each day which includes; sports, a library visit to Waitakere Library, swimming, and a movie afternoon.

If you would like any further information because refer to either the West Wave Pools and Leisure website or Facebook, email us at [reccentre@aklc.govt.nz](mailto:reccentre@aklc.govt.nz) or come see us!

Our fun and enriching before and after school programmes are all about:

- Turning a big step into a little one**  
Starting school with familiar faces and comfortable environments helps make the big step, into a smaller one.
- Making new friends**  
When kids form bonds with each other, it makes the transition to primary school, so much easier. They'll meet familiar faces and feel a sense of belonging, as soon as they start school.
- Having fun and building lifelong skills**  
New experiences and shared challenges build confidence and resilience. It's a fundamental part of how kids look at the world, socialise and learn. Making each experience fun, plays a huge part on how we do it!
- Caring team members**  
Having caring and nurturing grownups around you means all the difference - our team members make sure our kids are encouraged to flourish and have fun, every step of the way.

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Holiday Programmes



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**RISE THEN SHINE**

Our morning programmes are called 'Rise then Shine'

*'Creating the best start to the school day'*  
Fuelling children's curious minds and growing bodies to set children up for their best day ahead.

**STAY AND PLAY**

Our afternoon programmes are called 'Stay and Play'

*'Where friendships are made'*  
Creating meaningful connections and friendships by providing children with a place to stay and have fun after school.

**HOLIDAY PROGRAMMES**

skids offers Holiday Programmes during every school holiday period. Our programmes are packed with activities, incursions and excursions to keep kids entertained.

Introducing our *Adventure* Programmes

Children come to our programmes because they are excited by our experiences, and they leave with the social, emotional, and interpersonal skills to prepare them for life. Our Adventure Programme is designed and based on the research of experts in child play and the key developmental pillars of children.

Our programme offers exciting experiences and enrichment to children's learning beyond the classroom and school curriculum that are designed to engage our tamariki across all ages and interests and help grow core capabilities, confidence, and knowledge.

Scan here to enrol and join our adventure!

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	<b>Brain Boosters</b> Time to put on your thinking cap!
	<b>Flavour Fest</b> Get your taste buds ready for the yummiest afternoon ever!
	<b>Wellbeing Warriors</b> Feel good and increase your wellbeing.
	<b>Global Kids</b> Join the globetrotting citizens of tomorrow.
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	<b>Power Teams</b> Where team work meets fun!

**Before School Care - Places available**

Fun After Three has places available for before school care.

**Mornings:** 7 am- 8.30 am. Breakfast provided.

Contact Tracey Simonsen on 027 249 2428 or email

[funafter3@gmail.com](mailto:funafter3@gmail.com)





## Building a Good Life

Journey with mana and choice through the education, health and disability systems.



### Are you raising a disabled or neurodivergent child? Learn approaches and tools to help build a good life for your children and whānau.

Topics include:

- Accessing health and disability supports to build a good life
- Understanding chronic stress and trauma, how to build family wellbeing and resilience
- Your child's education: rights, inclusion, specialist intervention, how to build partnerships with educators, complaints pathways and resolution
- Vision planning, goal setting, building community and support networks
- Enabling Good Lives principles and how to effectively advocate for your

#### When

Tuesday, 6th August  
9:00am—4:00pm

Morning tea and lunch are provided.

#### Where

[Takapuna District Cricket Club, 44 Northcote Road, Takapuna, Auckland 0627](#)

#### Cost

These workshops are free thanks to funding from:

**SPECTRUM  
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Workshop facilitator **Frian Wadia** has many years' experience advocating for her own disabled children. She is connected with a number of groups and initiatives that champion inclusion and equity for disabled children within their communities.

Please forward to any families who may benefit from attending.

Register here: [https://parenttoparentnz.formstack.com/forms/workshop\\_registration](https://parenttoparentnz.formstack.com/forms/workshop_registration)

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