

Bailey Road HEART

Our staff are so proud of our students in the past week for displaying such outstanding sportsmanship and our Bailey Road HEART at several events.

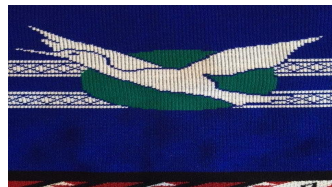
We received a call from Our Lady of Sacred Heart School stating how they had met the Bailey Road Braves Netball Team in the final game of the season. They went on to win but just had to take time to let us know what a great game it was and the sportsmanship displayed by The Braves and our supporters was simply outstanding.

Our teachers who attended the Year 5-8 Rugby Competition last Wednesday also reported the same incredible strong values and manners displayed by all of our students.

Well done to all of our students and supporters involved.

Kapa Haka Uniforms:

Theeija Lewees, Maria Papuni, Kylah Drake & Dave Muir have been designing our new kapa haka uniform from donated funds from the Mazda Foundation and The Ellerslie Rotary Club. The new design for the bodice is shown to the right. We expect our new costumes to be delivered in the next fortnight and on display for the first time at our Cultural Festival.



Have you purchased your 6 tickets for either performance - Tuesday 20 September and Wednesday 21 September- 6.00-8.00pm.? Tickets are \$5.00 each. Unrestricted sales go on sale from Monday 12 September. If students are wanting to watch the show after they have performed you will have to purchase a ticket for them.

Tongan Language Week:

This week we are celebrating Tongan Language Week at Bailey Road School. There are 45 Tongan students at our school. Over the next two days these students will hold a speech competition on Tu'apuleululu and Falaite, there will be a Taste of Tonga including an Assembly hosted by Tongan students and special guests Prizes and Awards will be presented in the hall from 11.45 - 12.25pm.



Teacher's Stop Work Meeting.

Have you notified your child's teacher about your course of action when our teachers stop work on **TUESDAY 13 SEPTEMBER** to attend Local Union meetings after 12.00pm?

1. Keep the children home for the day.
2. Children attend until 12.00pm and then get sent home.
3. Skeleton Staff will supervise the children from 12.00-2.45pm.
4. Send the children to After School Care from 12.00-6.00pm (\$4.00 per hour per child)- Please register with Moka. Forms available at the school office.

Positive Behaviour for Learning- PB4L:

At our last week's Friday Assembly, we were able to hand out Bronze Badges to the following amazing students. Sarah Boskett, Jayda Tapuvae, Ethan Krause, Keiko Bruce, James Robson-Keepa, Dhruv Patel, Solomon Tufuga, Aisea Maile, Ayesha Kumar, Calvin Singh, Sunaina Paul, Devina Sakhti, Carlos Contrevida and Kalani Johns who were awarded Bronze Badges. The following stars were awarded Silver (200 Tokens) Neveah Iakopo, Legacy Noue, Meleinu Latu, Amy Tameilau, Isobel McDougall. Well done students for displaying how to be Respectful, Be Responsible, Be Safe and Aim High.

School Dates for 2017:

The Board of Trustees has authorised the following Term dates for 2017.

- Term 1-** Commences On Tuesday 31 January and concludes Thursday 13 April. We celebrate Bailey Road School's 50th Jubilee on Friday 7 and Saturday 8 April.
- Term 2** Commences on Monday 1 May and concludes on Friday 7 July.
- Term 3** Commences on Monday 24 July and concludes on Friday 29 September.
- Term 4** Commences on Monday 16 October and the school year finishes on Thursday 14 December.

SNAG Golf:

Mr Muir has organised 'Starting New At Golf' (SNAG) lessons to take place at our school from week 2 (Wednesday 19 October) in Term 4. The Golf lessons are free and take place from 3.00- 4.00pm for a period of 6 weeks. The lessons are instructed by Daniel Montgomery. We will call for attendees soon.



Tongan Language Week Celebrations -Sunday 4- Saturday 10 September 2016.

KidsCan Mufti Day:

Thank you for supporting the KidsCan Mufti Day Fundraiser last Friday. We were able to donate \$404.00 to the organisation.

Whare Ahuru Marai:

The Whare is closed for a stocktake. Can all books please be returned asap? At present we have over 200 books outstanding, this is a lot of stock, so please look high and low for them. We will re-open the Whare on Monday 12 September

Scholastic Book Orders:

The final day for orders is 8th September, please return any orders along with payment to the office.

Principal's BLOG:-Community of Learning:

My BLOG this week discusses the MaungaKiekie Community of Learning (CofL) clustered around Bailey Road, Sylvia Park, Stan Hope Rd, Panmure District, Ellerslie Schools and One Tree Hill College. My BLOG informs readers about the benefits of being a member of the CofL and the initial plans made thus far. The CofL starts officially in 2017.

Yummy Stickers:

Can we ask our community to keep on collecting Yummy Fruit Stickers and bar codes from the bags of fruit?

By collecting the stickers and sending them to the Yummy Fruit Company we can earn free sports equipment for our students.

Outdoor Solar Lights:

Can I again request 'spare' solar lights to be donated to Bailey Road School for our ENVIRO displays. Should you have any to donate please send them directly to Mrs Norma Raman in Room 18 before the end of Term 3.

Upcoming Bailey Road School Events:

*School Assembly Friday 23 September

*BOT Meeting Monday 19 September

*Cultural Festival Shows-Tuesday 20 Sept Wednesday 21 September.

*School Closes on Friday 23 September at

3.00. Term 4 commences on Monday 10 October.



Farewell Mrs Rassool:

Yesmeen Rassool has won a position just 6 kilometres from her home instead of having to battle the Southern Motorway each day. Yesmeen will commence her new position at the commencement of Term 4 2016. We wish her continued success in her new role at Rowandale School Manurewa.

Rata Team Snippet:

This week was the first whole school practice for our school Cultural Festival. All the groups are getting very excited as we creep closer and closer to the performance dates. The Rata team is spread out over a variety of Cultural Groups and all the children are very keen to show off the dances they have learnt. Don't forget to get tickets for the whole family, it will be a show not to be missed!

Karaka Team Snippet:

Room 20 has been learning about sports culture. We have recorded our group questions for further inquiry such as, What makes an amazing athlete?, Why are females not allowed to compete in sports in some countries?, What child athletes are famous in sports now they are older? and What do athletes do after they retire?. The skills that our classes are learning is how to scan books, magazines and articles for key information, narrow down our research questions when we find too much information and what websites provide us with facts about our questions. We are currently in the Acquire and Communication stage of our inquiry TEACH model and welcome all of our parents and whanau to come along before and after school to engage in our learning displays.

Kowhai Team Snippet:

This week the whole school is celebrating the Tongan Language week. It is interesting to respect and acknowledge other cultures. This week provides us an opportunity to learn about the Tongan language, their traditional costumes and taste their delicious food. Thank you to all those parents who are providing us with some food on Friday.

Rimu Snippet:

'Camp is coming up real soon. Rimu team is doing a fundraiser to help with funding. There is a raffle and tickets are \$5 each. There are 1st and 2nd place prizes.

1st: Blues jersey (XXL) and NPC ball 2nd: Blues Bucket and cap, and NPC ball
The draw will be on the last week of term 3, 22nd Sept.'