

Rimu Team are having a fantastic time at Camp Adair and we look forward to hearing all the challenges they have overcome and new experiences they have had when they return. While they have been away some other students have stepped up to take on their duties, we thank these students for their service to our school.

### BYOD for 2017

Bailey Road School has 'Bring your own device' for students Years 5-8 in 2017. If you are purchasing a device for this then please ensure it is a laptop, chrome book, ipad or tablet, with a screen size of 200mm x 130mm or larger. If your child is unable to bring a device they will have access to a school device for part of their school day. Santa may wish to start looking at all the specials on offer in the coming weeks. If you, or Santa, need any advice about what would be good to purchase then look out for the flyer in an upcoming newsletter.



### 2017 School Jubilee

We will be holding our 50 year celebration on 31 March and 1 April 2017. The Jubilee committee are calling for registrations and you can find all the details on our school website.

We are requesting copies of photographs of past students, school events and activities and of Bailey Road School itself. We would welcome scanned copies of the above sent to [admin@baileyroad.school.nz](mailto:admin@baileyroad.school.nz) or drop into the school office and we can do this for you. Please include the names of those included in the photos, what the occasion was and when it took place.

### Tironui Music School for Room 7-8-9, 19-20 Year 3-4s:

Tironui Music registrations of interest are being taken now at the school office. If this is something you would like your child to be considered for in 2017 please make sure we know you are interested.

See the Principal's [BLOG](#) for more information about the music school.  
[www.baileyroad.school.nz](http://www.baileyroad.school.nz)

### Loom Kits from Planet Fun:

We have a large amount of these kits for sale. \$5.00 for 1 x kit. \$1 for refill bands white or blue. Purchase in the office.

### Mr Yippety Show

Mr Yippety will be coming to BRS on Monday 28 November. The cost is \$2 per child for Rata, Karaka and Kowahi Teams. The show will be held in the hall and sounds like lots of fun, music and laughter. Please send your \$2 to your child's teacher as soon as possible.

### PB4L Awards

We are pleased to congratulate the following students on success in achieving the following badges;

Gold - Taiala Rm 17

Bronze - Tyrell Rm17, Abigail Rm 17, Makg Rm 17, Jaylah Rm 16, Trey Rm 16, Vani Rm 16, Sukhjit Rm 16, Delilah-Jo Rm 16, Leighanne Rm 16, Kauri Rm 16

Well done Taiala for being the second person to receive gold, we are proud of you!

### Walking School Bus 2017

Are there any parents out there who would be interested in becoming Walking School Bus Leaders for next year? We are looking for a parent to either help out with our Hamlin Road route or the Penrose Road route. This is a really fun (and healthy) way to get involved and help out at school. If you have any questions, want to chat about what this entails, or are willing to volunteer please come and see Miss Bullough in Room 13 or contact me through the office.

### Walking School Bus End of Year Pool Party

All Walking School Bus Families, please join us on Saturday 3 December from 10am - 12:30 to celebrate the end of a successful year of the Walking School Bus. We will be having a pool party and BBQ so bring your family, togs and BBQ things and come and join us at the BRS Pool!

### Thank You Barfoot & Thompson-Otahuhu.

We would like to thank Barfoot & Thompson Otahuhu who through Bailey Road School parent Manisha Vij donated 10 laptops to our school at Friday's Assembly. We thank Keitha, Mildie, Manu and Manisha for their kindness and generosity in supporting our school.

## Principal's BLOG:

Please visit our website [www.baileyroad.school.nz](http://www.baileyroad.school.nz) and use the Principal's BLOG tab.

## Free UV app

Our sun in New Zealand is very harsh and as a parent it is great to know when the peak times to avoid are and reduce your risk of skin cancer. Data for the app is provided by NIWA and is updated throughout the day. Sun protection is recommended when UV is 3 or above. Download your free app from Google Play or the App Store

## Dare to Explore

Looking for fun, FREE ways to keep your tamariki learning and building their reading skills over summer? Sign up for 'Kia Māia te Whai – Dare to Explore', Auckland Libraries' summer reading programme for ages 5-13, at 54 libraries across Auckland – starts Monday 12 December. Along with fun summer challenges in English and Te Reo Māori to stretch your brain, we've got books and graphic novels to hook in readers of all ages. Plus, come along to free activities at your local library through the holidays! Visit <http://aucklandlibraries.govt.nz> for more details.

## Upcoming Bailey Road Events

Friday 25 November - Rimu return from camp

Monday 28 November - Mr Yippety Show (Years 0-6)

Thursday 1 December - One Tree Hill College Yr 8 transition

Friday 2 December - Rainbows End CARE day

Saturday 3 December - Kiwilele Festival 11 am - 4 pm

Saturday 3 December - Walking School Bus pool party from 10 am - 12.30 pm

## Scholastic Lucky Book Club - Issue 8:

Please send orders and payment to Mrs Ginders, in the office by Thursday 24th November.

You can order and pay online at [www.mybookclub.scholastic.co.nz](http://www.mybookclub.scholastic.co.nz).

Again sorry no late orders can be accepted..



## Rata Team Snippet:

Last week Room 22 and 9 were looking into our question; **How do seeds grow?** The students were very excited to plant a seed in their yoghurt pots, water the seeds and watch them everyday to see how and when the seed grows. They were excited to see them sprout and discussed why some started quickly and others took a while to start.

**Swimming time** - Please make sure you name all clothes, including; towels, togs, uniform and underwear clearly to make it easier to return. Each class has different swimming days, your class teacher will advise you when swimming starts.

## Karaka Team Snippet: I Spy With My Eye.

Room 20 has been learning to combine oral, visual and written language, by creating original I Spy's. We have created a collage using pictures from magazines and overlapped each picture to camouflage our clues which is our visual part. Next we thought about writing sentences that would rhyme, matching them with words we have cut out and pictures in our I Spy's. Lastly we have shared our work with each other and talked about the clues to help us find the hidden pictures. These are amazing and we welcome our parents and other students to come and have a go because our I Spy's are challenging and a lot of fun.

## Kowhai Team Snippet:

Kowhai kids attended the Auckland Philharmonic Orchestra Kiwi Kapers Concert on Tuesday 22nd of November in the Aotea Centre. Thank you to our sponsorships for giving us the opportunity to attend this concert for FREE! The Kiwi Kapers Concert was an awesome and everybody loved it! Thank you to Mrs Grainger for organising for Kowhai to go.

## Rimu Snippet:

During our time in technology this term, we learned and discovered the process of making cosmetic products; body scrub, lip balm, bath salt and etc. Choosing one out of the several choices, we then proceeded to plan and create them. During our planning phase we discovered which common ingredients could be used in our products. Each of the ingredients provided or enhanced an attribute which refined our final product. Chezca Pagtakhan