

Whaia nga taumata - Aim High!

Wednesday 13 June
Term 2 2018 Newsletter #7



Tēnā koutou, Malo e lelei, Talofa lava, Bula vinaka, Fakaalofa lahi atu, Kia orana, Namaste, Kumusta, Nǐ hǎo, Xin Chao, Guten Tag, Aayubowan, **Здравствуйте!** and Hello!

What a wet and windy week we are having - a timely reminder to make sure we are wrapped up nice and warm in our school uniform, wearing a coat and with shoes on our feet! We are definitely in winter.

A variety of PB4L badges were awarded to responsible students who demonstrate Bailey Road expectations. A MASSIVE congratulations to these learners who received their badges at Assembly last Friday:

Green - Mackenzie Taotua

Gold - Aisling Maddox, Alisha Kumar,
Bayleigh Curry

Bronze - Talakai Tangitau, Jorja Maiave



SOME REMINDERS

Don't forget Year 5-8 can bring their own device to school to use as a tool for their learning. A number of students "Bring Your Own Device" or BYOD - a tablet, ipad or Chromebook. Devices need the capacity to access WIFI, apps and programmes used for learning, within the classroom. Students will need to get a BYOD agreement from their teacher to take home for signing before bringing their device to school.

Elite Athlete Programme applications are now OPEN. Information is available from the school office for any Year 6-8 students who are interested.



Yummy stickers are back! Collect them and stick them to something then bring them in to add to the Yummy Sticker poster in your class. Yummy stickers means sports equipment - and we would love some new equipment so get collecting!

NZEI Paid Union Meeting is being held on Wednesday 27 June to discuss important issues affecting Education and teaching. Further details will be sent home next week. Regular programmes will be running in the morning, however, this will not be the case for the afternoon as many teachers attend this meeting.



"We cannot always build the future for our youth. But we can build our youth for the future."

Edgewater College provides a caring and supportive environment focused on academic excellence, innovation and a genuinely personalised approach. We support all learners to be communicators, collaborators and change leaders, to achieve meaningful qualifications, and to be actively involved in the arts, sports, culture and service to the community.

**2019 ENROLMENT INFORMATION
OPEN EVENING WEDNESDAY 27 JUNE**

We warmly invite prospective students and parents to tour our college campus. There will be an opportunity to hear from our new principal Louise Addison, senior leaders and students. Come along and discover the exciting learning opportunities and personalised support we offer all our learners. Light refreshments will be served.

Schedule for open evening:

- 5.00 to 6.00pm: Tours of the school commence from the main reception area.
- 6.00pm: Principal, senior leaders and students meet and greet in the staffroom.
- 6.30 to 7.30pm: Tours of the school continue.

YEAR 9 ENROLMENT

Applications are now being accepted. Please contact the College office for an enrolment pack or to make an appointment. Enrolment appointments will take place **Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays between 3pm and 5pm during Term 3.**

EDGE INNOVATION PROGRAMME 2019

An exciting opportunity to be part of an innovation programme to develop future entrepreneurs, creative and critical thinkers and change leaders. More information is available on our website and at our open evening.

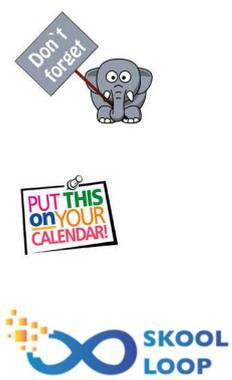
OUT OF ZONE APPLICATIONS

Application closing date is Wednesday 5th September and the ballot date is Wednesday 12th September.

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Rata - Rooms 2, 3, 4, 5, 6	Karaka - Rooms 7, 8, 9, 20, 21
<p>Rata have been taking part in gymnastics . The children have been learning how to jump and land correctly as well as learning how to use a wide variety of gymnastics equipment. This is taking place on Wednesday mornings. A big thank you to Kiwisport for providing the coaches as they give valuable guidance to our children as they learn the basic fundamental skills. Encourage your children to practise the skills they have learnt at home.</p>	<p>Karaka team really enjoyed their trip last week to Panmure Basin. Whilst they walked the 2km to Panmure Basin they counted their steps and used a measuring wheel to measure how many metres it is was to walk to the basin. Once they reached the basin, they had some morning tea before mapping their way around the basin and playing on the playground. Thanks again to all the parents who helped out on the trip. Recently, Room 7 enjoyed celebrating Samoan Language Week by dressing up in their cultural clothes, having a shared lunch and performing in the assembly.</p>
Kowhai - Rooms 13, 16, 17, 18, 19	Rimu - Rooms 10, 11, 12, 14, 15
<p><i>Matariki is the Maori new year that we all celebrate . It starts next week. At our school our teachers and students will take part in lots of fun activities like making kites, weaving, planting and learning about why it is celebrated. You don't have to be a Maori to celebrate Matariki. Everyone who is interested can join. So let's us all join together to celebrate it.</i></p> 	<p><i>Last Wednesday, six boys from the Rimu Team along with Miss Foster attended a co-design session at the National Library in Parnell run by Duffy Books in Homes and National Library. This opportunity was offered to a few schools only.</i></p> <p><i>The boys were able to interact with Year 7-9 boys from 5 other schools across the Auckland region to share their thoughts on how we could promote books and reading to them. They participated in workshops, gave feedback, met an author and selected a range of books which we can enjoy throughout the term.</i></p> <p><i>The boys took valuable knowledge from these sessions and in turn, have been so eager to read their chosen books. Keep it up, boys!</i></p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NZEI Paid Union Meeting is being held on Wednesday 27 June in the afternoon. • LUCKY BOOK CLUB ORDERS - are due to Mrs Ginders in the office by Monday 18th June. Remember you can order and pay online via LOOP on the Scholastic website: www.scholastic.co.nz • PTA Meeting - Thursday 21 June @ 6pm in Ruma Tuhurutanga, we are getting ready for the sausage sizzle at school on Friday 29 June • MOBILE LIBRARY - will be at school on Tuesday of Week 8 and Week 10 • ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS - buy yours for \$70 @ the office or online > www.entertainmentbook.co.nz/orderbooks/990360
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