

Bailey Road School Newsletter: # 3.



Wednesday 19 February - 2014

Informal Meet the Teacher.

Our staff look forward to meeting you tomorrow from 4.00-7.00.p.m. at our Meet the Teacher Evening. Please catch up with your child's teacher at the Pool, during the games sessions or in their classrooms as per the Timetable sent out last week. Please stop by at the hall and enjoy a free sausage prepared by our wonderful PTA parents. Please also visit the hall foyer and view and comment upon our 2014-2016 Strategic Plan. Stay long enough just to meet teachers or enjoy the free swim and the games on offer.

Bailey Road School Fale:



We would love to build a fale in our school grounds as a meeting place for our community and a building to offer shade and shelter for our students.

The Sylvia Park Warehouse is supporting projects such as ours by asking shoppers to place a 'token' into containers for the Community Project they wish to support.

When you next visit Sylvia Park and purchase goods from the Warehouse, please support our project.

Information / Permission Sheet: (Reminder)

A reminder that the Student Information Sheets as sent home in last week's newsletter need to be returned to school asap.

They contain vital information about contact and health details for our students. Please have them back to school by this Friday 21 February.

BRS Breakfast Club:

A reminder that we are still requiring helpers to assist with serving and cleaning up for our Breakfast Club.

Initially, we will run on Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 7.45-8.15.a.m.

It is expected that we will be underway by March 3 2014 if we have enough helpers.

Please drop into the office, ring us on 579-4619 or e-mail admin@baileyrroad.school.nz and leave your name, phone number and the day(s) you could help.

School Uniform:

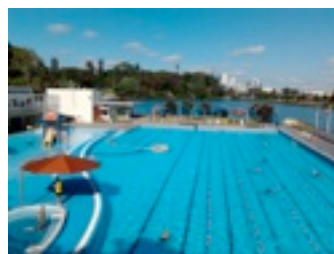
ALL students should now be in the proper school uniform that includes a navy hat.

Parents, whanau and aiga are reminded that sandals with back straps are allowed and shoes MUST be black, dark blue, grey. Socks must also be in the same colour range.

Cyber Bullying Show:

A reminder that we have the Cyber Bullying Show coming to BRS on the 27th February. The cost of the performance is \$3.00 per child.

School Picnic:



A reminder that our School Picnic will be held on Monday 3 March at the Parnell Pools. The cost is \$4.00 per child for the bus fare.

Piano Lessons in your home.

Have fun learning to play with a qualified teacher with 20 years experience: for pleasure or exams. Reasonable rates. Phone Nigel 0221 860 296.

Volunteer Request:

Do we have any parents/caregivers that could spare a few hours a week to help with the taping and repairing of reading books. Please contact the office.

Up Coming Events:

- *Wednesday 26 February - Reading Together Workshop 1.
- *Cyber Bullying Show Thursday 27 February.
- *Friday 28 Feb Kowhai Assembly 2.15.p.m.



School Website:

Have you visited our school website?

www.baileyroad.school.nz

You can visit Class Wikis and get more detailed information about a weekly topic from the Principal's BLOG. You can also write your ideas and questions back to me.

This week my BLOG discusses the Annual Plan for Bailey Road School and what we will achieve this year.

Road Safety:

Please cross the road at the crossing. We have had some near misses of parents and students almost being hit by on coming cars. Also a reminder that there is no parking in the staff carpark. **THIS IS FOR THE SAFETY OF STUDENTS.**

BOT Meeting:

Our BOT meets on the third Monday of the month. Our first meeting will be held next Monday 24 February from 6.30-9.00.p.m. in the staffroom.

The agenda includes:

- *Charter /The 2014-2016 Strategic Plan
- * 2014 Annual Plan.
- *2014 Budget.
- *Bible in Schools Programme -Year 4-6

You are so welcome to attend this or any BOT Meeting.

Rata Snippet:

Kia Ora!! Welcome to our new children in the Rata Team. The teachers are all excited to meet all of our new and old parents at our Meet The Parents Evening on Thursday (February 20).

Rata will have our very first Team Assembly on Thursday, 12.00- 12.30 in the school hall. You are most welcome to come and celebrate with us.

Remember to read with your child every night!!!!

Karaka Snippet:

Welcome to all Karaka Team Parents and Caregivers to the new school year. We look forward to working with you this year to ensure that your child receives the best possible learning outcomes. Your child's teacher will appreciate you making an appointment whenever you are available to discuss your child's learning. We have 4 classrooms in Karaka Team:

Mr V. Naidoo in Room 9 (Year 3), Mrs P. Moodley in Room 10 (Year 3), Miss K. Sampson in Room 21 (Year 4) and Miss V. Cheng in Room 22 (Year 4).

Swimming is a compulsory part of the Physical Education Programme. Your child's teacher will be assessing and reporting on their swimming skills, so please ensure that they have their swimming togs on their swimming days. If they are unwell please send a written note or email to your child's teacher.

Upcoming activities:

Cyber Safety Show: Cost \$3:00 – 20 February 2014

School Picnic – Cost \$4:00 – 3 March 2014

Kowhai Snippet:

This week the students in the Kowhai Team have been busy doing a lot of assessments such as eastle reading and writing. Please encourage your child to do a lot of reading and practise their basic facts daily.

Rimu Snippet:

Rimu Team Camp 2014

The Rimu Team has booked and confirmed a Year 7 & 8 camp at YMCA Camp Adair, Hunua Road, Papakura.

The camp will be from Tuesday the 18th of November to Friday the 21st November 2014. It will be a fully catered camp with lots of exciting onsite activities.

The cost and other information will be sent home later this term so parents and caregivers can start budgeting for the camp. Please feel free to contact the school if you have any queries.

Lost Keys

We have a set of keys in the office that have been handed in. Found in the junior play area. Call into the office if you think that they could be yours.