



BAILEY ROAD BULLETIN

Tenā koutou, Mālo e lelei, Kia orana, Fakaalofa lahi atu, Malō ni, Kamusta, नमस्कार, Namaste, 안녕하세요, Talofa lava, Hallo, ḥāḥā, Hola, Ayubowan, Nǐ hǎo, Mhoro, Szia, こんにちは, Xin chào and Bula Vinaka!



TERM 3 HAS ARRIVED!

A warm welcome to a cold term! This term we have a number of key events happening – Parent Teacher Conferences, an opportunity to discuss your child's report and their learning; the annual Kahui Ako Rehu Tai – speech competition; a parent hui to share your ideas and feedback about BRS; and a number of sports and dance programmes. A very busy term.

Our Curiosity, Purpose and Wonder (CPW) inquiry focus is: Your Vote Counts! How does voting contribute to shaping our communities and country as a whole?

TERM DATES 2026

Term 1

Monday 2 February - Thursday 2 April

Term 2

Monday 20 April - Friday 3 July

Term 3

Monday 20 July - Friday 25 September

Term 4

Monday 12 October - Monday 14 December



TE RĀ O TUMEKE TUMUAKI

Te Rā o Tumeke Tumuaki is an initiative launched by NZEI Te Riu Roa Principals' Council in 2022 to honour and acknowledge the contributions of principals.

This year's theme is the whakataukī (proverb): He waka eke noa (We are all in this together).

Our staff acknowledged the great job that Mr Ray Kelly, our Principal is doing at Bailey Road School with of course – cake. Ka mau te wehi Mr Kelly!



BAILEY ROAD SCHOOL

PARENT AND TEACHER CONFERENCES

Wednesday 5 August from 1pm - 7pm
School will close early at 12.30pm

We invite you to book a time to meet your child's teacher to discuss your child's learning and progress. School will close early at 12.30pm so please arrange pick up and childcare from this time.

You can book your time through our school app:

Skool Loop > Bookings > Date > Choose your teacher

Please do not book back to back conference times, if you have more than one child, allow yourself time to get from one conference to the next.

If you require assistance, please email: office@baileyrad.school.nz
or phone 579 4619

PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES

Parent Teacher Conferences are this Wednesday 5 August from 1pm - 7pm, a reminder that the school will close at 12.40pm so please organise your child's care for that afternoon.

Bookings can be made through our school app - Skool Loop, or call the office to book your appointments. When you book please ensure you have enough time between appointments if you have more than one child.

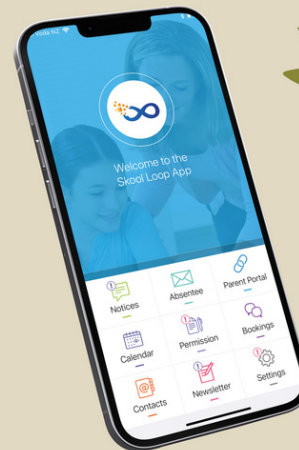
See information below if you have not downloaded Skool Loop.

EASTERN ZONE SPORTS

We have started the term with the Eastern Zone Netball tournament for Rimu, where we sent three teams. The Year 8 girls won their pool and the Year 8 Boys came third in their pool. The sun shone and it was a great result.



Seasonal Updates, Anytime



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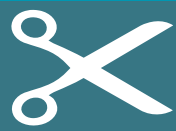
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Scan the QR code or In Google play & App Store search 'Skool Loop' & choose our school once installed.



We collect YUMMY stickers off fruit and bar codes off bags of fruit. Send to the office!



TEAM SNIPPETS

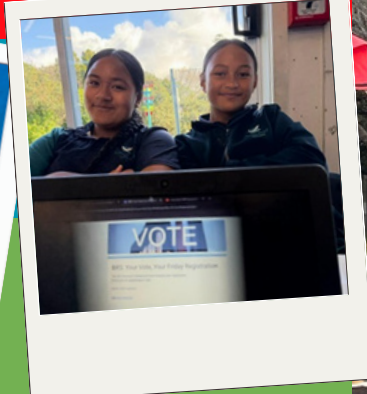
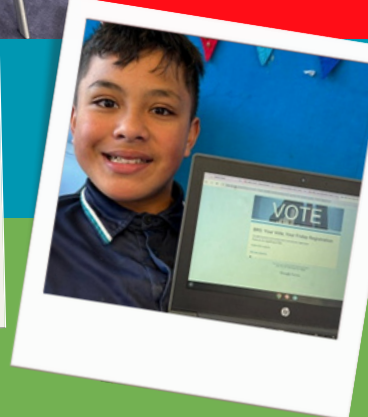
Kowhai Team

Wow, we are already in Term 3, and there are lots of exciting opportunities coming up for our students in Kōwhai. These include sports tournaments such as Rugby League and netball, Cultural Language Weeks, the speech competition, dance groups, and lunchtime clubs. A reminder to attend school every day on time so you don't miss out on these great opportunities.



Rata Team

In Rata, we had a fantastic start to Term 3 as we welcomed our new cohort to Ruma 7. We are pleased to report that they are settling in well. During week 1, we celebrated 100 days at school, students enjoyed lots of handson activites. We are excited about our speech competition next week and wish all the participants the best of luck. Please keep an eye on our Seesaw pages, where we will regularly update you on our class activities and upcoming events.



Rimu Team

The Rimu Team has had a fantastic start to Term 3, with students settling back into learning and setting personal goals for the term ahead. We are looking forward to the many exciting learning opportunities, sporting events, and experiences that Term 3 has to offer. We can't wait to see our students challenge themselves and achieve their goals throughout the term.





**ONLY KIDSCAN OR SCHOOL
JACKETS AT SCHOOL THANKS**

Mr Kelly

BRS UNIFORM

SHOES OR SANDALS

These must be plain black.



BRS IS A KidsCan SCHOOL

Bailey Road is supported by KidsCan, a charity dedicated to helping Kiwi Kids. **We supply FREE of charge plain black shoes and navy blue jackets.** If you require these items, please see your child's teacher or drop by the office.

Are you uniform ready? Buy new uniforms online or visit The Brand Makers shop at 2 Olive Road, Penrose. Check out their website - <https://dgstore.co.nz>. We welcome any old uniform donations at the office.

IT IS JACKET WEATHER!



It has been cold, windy and on some days - wet! Our students should be wearing their school jacket, shoes and socks. Some days we are seeing students arriving at school wearing just their t-shirt, please remind your child to come dressed appropriately.

A WORD FROM THE PRINCIPAL - MR KELLY

Tēnā koutou kātoa

I write this the night before our School Speech finals. The Rehu Tai competition is one of the highlights of the school year, providing all of our students the opportunity to practice their speaking skills, whether through rap, flash talk, spoken word, or speech, and so giving them all the chance to build confidence and oral language skills.

Last term we enjoyed our team finals and now we are at the stage where the successful students get to compete for places in our Kahui Ako final which we will be hosting at the school on Wednesday, August 12 at 9:10am. All guests are welcome to attend.

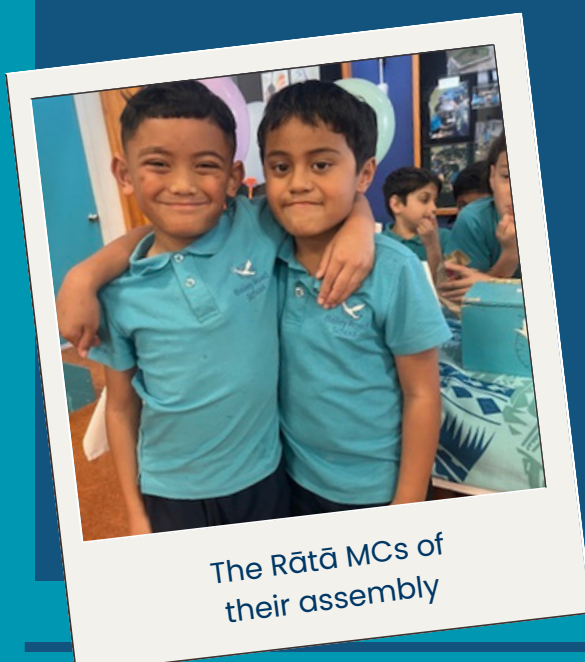
From there the most outstanding performers in our region move onto the Auckland Rehu Tai finals.

Our school tries to offer every experience we can to as many children we can expose to them. Primary and Intermediate school are the times for young people to try lots and lots of different things, have fun doing them, and maybe get an inkling about something they might want to pursue when they go to college and beyond.

Welcome back to school for term 3. The days are chillier and it might rain a little more. Now is the time to really focus on great attendance. We have been getting some really spectacular attendance results.

Ngā mihi

Ray Kelly
Principal/Tumuaki



The Rātā MCs of their assembly

Teacher's love certificates too

Welcome to our youngest students

COMMUNITY NOTICES

COOK ISLANDS LANGUAGE WEEK

Sunday 2 August -
Saturday 8 August

Activities in
the Whare
Ahuru Mowai
at lunch time

"Me kite koe i te tuatua i to'ou
reo tupuna, e turanga
rangatira tena nō'ou no te uki
amuri atu"

With our language as our
foundation, we will embrace
the future

Celebrate at
Assembly on
Friday at 2pm

Come dressed in
your Cook Island
gear on Friday or
in traditional
dress

YOUNG GUITARISTS BEGINNER ACOUSTIC GUITAR WORKSHOP

Free

AGES
9-13



Panmure Library

July 22 (Wed), 24 (Fri), 29 (Wed), 31 (Fri)
3:30 PM – 4:30 PM

- Register Online or at Library
- 10 spots per session
- 5 Loan Guitars available / 5 BYO Acoustic Guitar
- These are identical one-off sessions, please register for one date only

Maungakiekie-Tāmaki
Local Board



COME PLAY!
INDOOR & BEACH

AUCKLAND CENTRAL VOLLEYBALL CLUB



Daytime programmes for ages 8+
Evening training for ages 16+

[LINKTR.EE/ACVCLUB](https://linktr.ee/ACVCLUB)
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PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES ON WEDNESDAY BRS CLOSES EARLY WEDNESDAY 5 AUGUST 12.40PM

IMPORTANT DATES

COOK ISLANDS LANGUAGE WEEK
Sunday 2 August – Saturday 8 August

BOARD MEETING
Monday 3 August 6pm

PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES
Wednesday 5 August from 1pm – 7pm
BRS closes at 12.40pm

ASSEMBLY
Friday 7 August 2pm

KAHUI AKO REHU TAI FINALS
Wednesday 12 August 9.10am

TAKĀRO WHĀNAU – RUGBY LEAGUE
Friday 14 August

TONGAN LANGUAGE WEEK
Sunday 16 August – Saturday 22 August

MATHEX COMPETITION
Thursday 20 August 6pm – 10pm

ASSEMBLY
Friday 21 August 2pm

MATHS WEEK
Monday 24 August – Friday 28 August

WHĀNAU HUI
Thursday 27 August 6pm

