

OREWA BEACH SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



He waka eke noa: We are all in this together

Kia ora koutou,

Welcome to our new students and their families.

Spare clothes

Please pack a spare set of clothes for your child in their school bag, in case they need to change during the day. Our spare clothes supply has been diminished and we are asking for donations of Boy's trousers in various sizes in good clean condition.

Arriving late to school

We have had an increase in students arriving late to school. We would really appreciate you supporting your child to be at school before the 8.55 am bell. Students are so much more settled for the day and ready to learn when they have time to get ready and greet friends in the morning. If you are late please drop your child off at the school office to sign in to reduce the disruption to other students that are in class that have started their learning

New Library Opening

We are excited to announce the upcoming opening of our new school library. To create a welcoming environment for our young readers, we are introducing a special addition—a collection of soft toys for children to read to. If you would like to support us in this we would love donations of a new, store-bought soft toy to add to our school library. These toys will provide a special and comforting reading experience for our students. Donations can be dropped off at the school office. Thank you for being a valuable part of our school community and contributing to the growth and enjoyment of our young readers.



Teacher Only Day

A reminder this Friday 2nd June is a Teacher Only Day. We hope you enjoy the Kings Birthday long weekend and we look forward to seeing our students back on Tuesday the 6th of June.

Health Survey

Thank you to the parents who completed this survey. We will share the results and further actions after our upcoming board meeting.

The Resilience Project Part 1: Introducing The Resilience Project – Parent and Carer video series.

Throughout 2023, we will be working closely with The Resilience Project to support the well-being of our school community.

The Resilience Project delivers emotionally engaging programmes and provides evidence-based, practical strategies to build resilience. Our Partnership Programme consists of online presentations and weekly lessons for students, professional development for staff, and Parent Carer Hub (inc. digital presentations) for our parent and carer community.

Over the coming weeks, we'll be sharing the Parent & Carer Hub with you. The videos are 5-10 minutes long and will walk through the key pillars of resilience: Gratitude, Empathy & Mindfulness. You'll hear stories and be introduced to activities to show how these strategies can support our kid's learning and development and support you as parents and carers. This programme is an important part of our school's effort to look after the mental health of our community.

View the first presentation of the series here: Part 1: Meet Hugh and learn about The Resilience Project - <https://theresilienceproject.com.au/2023-parent-carer-hub-inspire-hugh/> In this presentation, Hugh shares a personal experience about his sister's battles with Mental Illness. Note: This video contains a story about an eating disorder that may be triggering. Please consider this before watching. For mental health resources and support information, visit The Resilience Project's Further Support Page.

Remember to check out the remainder of the programme in Parts 2-5.

WHAT'S
ON

June

2nd Teachers Only Day
(School Closed)
8th PTA Meeting 3 pm
13th BOT Meeting 5 pm
15th Interschool Football
21st Year 6 Netball Inter-
school
27th June Kereru Zoo Trip
29th School Conferences
30th End of Term 2

**PLEASE HELP REDUCE
THE SPREAD OF VIRUSES
IF YOUR CHILD IS SICK
PLEASE KEEP THEM
HOME!**

Arohanui.

Katherine Pascoe - Principal

Please KEEP your child at HOME if...



They have a Fever

A temperature of over 37.5C (99.5F) is a fever

Also check for:

Persistent cough,
Shortness of breath,
Sore throat, swollen
glands, earache



Remember to keep your provider informed when your child is unwell, even when they are being kept at home.



They have a Rash

Especially with a fever or itching

Check for:

Chickenpox, Impetigo
or Hand, foot and
mouth



They have an Upset Stomach

If your child has been vomiting or had diarrhoea within the last 48 hours they must **STAY at HOME**



They have an Eye Infection

Thick mucus or pus draining from the eye or swollen face



They have Headlice or nits

Please check your child's hair regularly and treat immediately



They are Feeling Unwell

If your child is unusually tired, pale, cranky or lost their appetite, they will be more comfortable at home.



Ensure your provider has up to date emergency contact details, allergen and medical information for your child.



If you or your child are displaying symptoms or have a confirmed diagnosis of **coronavirus**, please **STAY AT HOME!**



If your child has a mild cold, infrequent cough or clear, runny nose and is active, playful and rested, They can **Stay and Play!**

Please help to keep our Setting **SAFE** for **EVERYONE**

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Please Keep Your Child at Home if (Illness) Poster

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Friday 2nd June 2023

TEACHER ONLY DAY PROGRAMME

OREWA BEACH PRIMARY SCHOOL

**OSCAR
PROGRAMME
SUBSIDIES
AVAILABLE!**

**Conditions apply*

We've got an amazing programme planned including baking, crafts, games and more! Book online now for our fun-filled one day holiday programme. See you there!

Full Day: \$55
7am-6pm

School Day: \$45
8:30am-3pm

Half Day: \$35
7am-12:30pm or 12:30pm-6pm

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