



Browns Bay School

EFFORT BRINGS REWARD

**19 October 2017
Newsletter**

你好

Nǐ hǎo

pronounced
"nee how"
means

hello

谢谢

Xièxiè

pronounced
"shieh shieh"
means

thank you

再见

Zàijiàn

pronounced
"dzai jee-en"
means

goodbye

欢迎

Huānying

pronounced
"hoo-ahn ying"
means

welcome

请

Qǐng

pronounced
"ch'ing"
means

please

PRINCIPALS MESSAGE

Dear Parents and Caregivers

Kia Ora Ni Hao

In recognition of Chinese Language Week in New Zealand I have shared with you some phrases that are from the New Zealand Chinese Language Week website: <http://nzclw.com/>

I would like to welcome the families of new students who have enrolled at Browns Bay School. In particular, I would like to welcome our 'new' New Entrants in Room 13 who have just begun their school learning journey.



COOL SCHOOLS

As part of our Social Skills programme we operate a Cool Schools Peer Mediation Training programme. Year 6 students train in Conflict Resolution and each lunchtime we have teams of these students in hi – vis jackets patrolling the grounds ready to help students sort out conflicts. The teams have a set process to work through with students and are incredibly useful in sorting out minor issues (any major issues are referred to teachers). Mrs Karen Tews manages the training and rosters students on each week.

FRIENDSHIP GAMES

The sign shown in the photo is in our Junior Playground and lets our younger students know when the Friendship Games are on. The Friendship Games are organised by our Peer Mediators for the younger children to entertain them or involve them in games if they are not occupied in other ways. The Peer Mediators are amazing in the way they give up their own lunch times to support our younger students – we are very proud of them.

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Peter Mulcahy

UPCOMING EVENTS

A full schedule of events for Term 4 is available on our website calendar with the most current events included in each newsletter.

Thursday 19 October – BOT Meeting 7.30pm	Monday 23 October – Labour Day
Tuesday 24 October – Pre-school visit	Wednesday 25 October – FOTS Meeting 7.30pm
Friday 27 October – Disco Night	Friday 3 November – Full School Assembly 11.15am

SCHOOL EVENTS

SUPER STARS

At the last full school assembly, the following pupils received certificates for their achievements:

YEAR 0/1 TEAM – Aaron Yang 8, Zara Hong-Michael 9, Elaine Lei 10, Oli Halla 11, Alex Su 12, Tristan Seller 13

YEAR 2 TEAM – Jungwoon Jung 3, Tana Peters 4, Harlem McKee 5, Divan Van Wyngaardt 6

YEAR 3 TEAM – Lilian Yang 1, Adele Liu 2, Daniel Anstiss 14, Eden McDonald 15

YEAR 4 TEAM – Yul Kim 27, Emma Liu 24, Leilani Fair 25, Caitlyn Brading 26

YEAR 5 TEAM – Reuben Tewari 16, Soleil Derks Douglas 17, Maksym Popov 22, Lizzie Boyce 23

YEAR 6 TEAM – Anna Greenhalgh 18, Kai Nishida 19, Michael Yang 20, Hunter Wolters 21

VALUES CUP – Lily Marshall R21

ARTS AWARD – Leah Richmond R20, Riana Lee R20

ACHIEVEMENT CUP – Michael Yang R20

SPORTS CUP – Ryan Fleming R18, Maeve Lockett R17,

SERVICE TO SCHOOL – Lara Padrutt R19



SCHOOL UNIFORM

Hats: Sunhats are compulsory for all children for the remainder of Term 4 and Term 1 2018. This will be enforced after Labour Day when students without hats will go to the shade area. I would also recommend that sunscreen be put on your child each day. Students may also wear sunglasses.

Clothing: With the warmer weather approaching, please advise your children to dress appropriately and to remove layers of clothing during the day.

Shoes: To avoid children getting a bee-sting, it is recommended that children wear shoes when playing on the field. Clover will be present on the field soon which attracts bees.



Please make certain your child's clothing items are named. The Lost Property Boxes are overflowing. If anyone is missing anything can they come check and claim missing items.



JUNIOR CROSS COUNTRY PLACINGS

Congratulations to all the students who ran in the Cross Country on Wednesday – you all did really well!

New Entrant Girls

First	Patcha Sheeran R11
Second	Sophie Lemon R11
Third	Mia Goode R11

Year 1 Girls

First	Tilly Duncan R9
Second	Sophie Lau R9
Third	Meika Labuschagne R9

New Entrant Boys

First	Jun Jiang R11
Second	Cooper Smith R11
Third	Justin Park R11

Year 1 Boys

First	Riley Stuart R10
Second	Ryder Baker R10
Third	Cooper Wandler R12

Year 2 Girls

First Pippa Harnett R6
Second Alexa O'Sullivan R5
Third Amy Noh R5

Year 3 Girls

First Sienna Hickling Crane R14
Second Sophie Herde R1
Third Hope Williams R15

Year 2 Boys

First Joel Edmonds R7
Second Carlos Seymour R4
Third Logan Gibbon R5

Year 3 Boys

First Matthew Fleming R1
Second Caleb Stuart R1
Third Taine Wilson R15



SCHOOL NOTICES

Mobile Uploads
1 of 1

Shave-athon

for **LOGAN**

\$15 per cut.
All money
raised goes to
Logan &
his fight

Sunday 29 Oct '17
2-4pm
@ Amanda Baker Hair
& Makeup
Browns Bay

Choc fish & lollipops to
all kids who get
involved

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PHONES

I have noticed an increase in the number of students with phones. I would like to request that they remain in their bags and not come out during the school day. Please note that no responsibility will be taken by the school with regard to lost phones. If you want them to be secure during the school day, they may be handed into the School Office in the morning.



NEW LOOK FOR KINDO ONLINE SHOP

We are moving to the 'new look' for our online shop provided in association with Kindo. This is designed to work much better on phones and various screen sizes, and provide a more modern look, as well as some new features.

The changeover will happen at the end of this week.

A YouTube tutorial is available [here](#).

Please contact the Kindo helpdesk using the ? link onscreen or on 0508 4KINDO (09-869 5200) or hello@mykindo.co.nz if you have any trouble.

You can find links to our shop on our school website.

NOEL LEEMING FRIENDS AND FAMILY EVENT

Dear Friends & Family of Our School,

With support from Noel Leeming, the School is running a Friends & Family Fund Raising event for 1 week from Monday 30th October. Proceeds from this event will be used to help fund the many Academic, Sporting and Cultural events our students participate in every year.

So, whether you've been dreaming of a flash new TV or a funky new phone cover, this is your chance to save big & support our school. During this fundraising event our local Albany store will be discounting, to cost +10% with 2.5% of those sales going back to our School!

All you need to do to support the cause is save this flyer to your smartphone/device or print it out and bring it with you when you shop at Noel Leeming during the week starting 30th October.

To make this the most successful fundraiser ever, we encourage you to share this flyer with your extended friends, family, business contacts, and colleagues.

We sincerely hope with the support of our extended family and friends network we can make this the most successful fundraising event ever.

Thank You

MOBILE DENTAL VAN

The Mobile Dental Van will be visiting your School this term to examine children who are due to be seen. If you wish to discuss further, please ring your local Dental Clinic (Motutapu TDU situated at Murrays Bay Primary) on: 09) 838 1761

RUGBY KIDZ NZ

Rugby Skills Clinics (non-contact)

5 Weekly Sessions

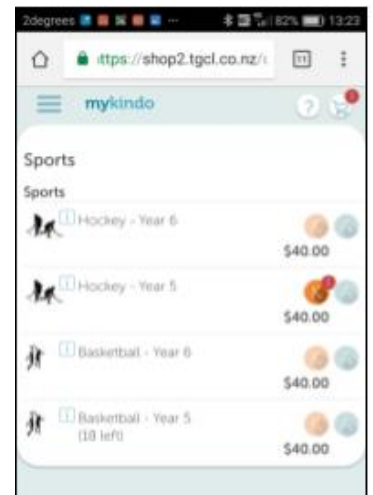
Starts: Friday 17 November 2017

Time: 3.10pm – 3.55pm

Venue: School Field

Cost: \$49.00 for single child
\$24 for each siblings

www.footballkidz.co.nz



friends & family deals Browns Bay School

Offer is available Monday 30 October - Sunday 5 November 2017

Offer only available at Noel Leeming Albany

get cost +10% on all televisions • computers • software • mobile phones excluding IT accessories, PC software, AV Accessories, & PC Consumables

+2.5% of total sales will support Browns Bay School

We will help you find the right BYOD device at the right price PLUS we will set you up and show you how to use it

hurry in store and make the most of this offer!
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Price Promise

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HEART KIDS NZ

Every week, 12 babies are born with a heart defect in New Zealand. Whilst there are surgical procedures that can improve the heart's function, there is no cure for a Congenital Heart Disease. 7 and a half years ago, Year 2 BBS student Maya Gourlay became part of this statistic having being born prematurely weighing just 1kg alongside her twin. She was diagnosed with an aortic coarctation and underwent three life saving surgeries in her first three months of life. Lucky enough to have miraculously had her live to tell the tale, we are on a mission to support organisations that supported us all those years ago. Last year Browns Bay School joined team Maya as we raised more than \$5000 for Starship Children's hospital, and this year we are so thrilled to have BBS back on the Team to support us once again. This time Maya is one of the faces of the nationwide appeal campaign for Heart Kids NZ.

Heart Kids NZ is New Zealand's only charity that focuses its efforts on kiwi kids and their families affected by congenital heart defects right throughout their lives. They receive no government funding and have to fundraise for all its services which include practical and emotional support which is vital for those affected, helping them cope with the day-to-day challenges of living with a childhood heart condition.

For us, Heart Kids provided information, support and a hand to hold in those dark days where Maya's survival was touch and go. They continued to support us through our subsequent 'un Heart related' hospital admissions and offer family events to meet other heart kids and their families. Most unique are the camps they run for older heart kids which are attended by medical personal where requiring medication and being unable to keep up with the pack, is the norm. For our Heart Kids feeling 'normal' is a luxury they so rarely have, so it's super important that charities like Heart Kids spread awareness so they are able to continue to operate at their best.

Maya's broken heart may have been mended, but there are more and more Kiwi Kids adding to the statistics every day who need our support and we are so grateful to you all for help.



<https://donate.heartkids.org.nz/>

FOTS – Friends of the School

NEXT FOTS MEETING – WED, 25 OCT, 7.15PM, STAFF ROOM

There's only 2 meetings left for the year! Come and be part of the team that helps create some cool activities at BBS for our kids and their families – all parents/caregivers are welcome. FOTS October meeting will focus on our Term 4 activities, plans for next year and new information about the junior playground.

GLOW CRAZY DISCO – FRI, OCT 27

Next Friday night it's a big night out for our kids at the Glow Crazy school disco. Kids – dress up bright! Buy tickets and pre-order hotdogs before next Tues 24 Oct. No door sales this year sorry!

- Use KINDO to buy tickets and pre-order hotdogs (FOTS section) before midnight on Tues, 24 Oct <https://shop.tgcl.co.nz/> Please complete a paper ticket as well and return to the school office.
- Download Junior tickets [here](#) (Years 0-3) & Senior tickets [here](#) (Years 4-6) if you need to pay by cash or cheque.
- Bring lots of gold coins on the night for snacks, treats and activities.



PARENT HELPERS NEEDED FOR SENIOR DISCO

We urgently require parent/caregiver helpers at the senior disco (6.40-8.45pm). Please get in touch if you can be there to collect tickets, help out on stalls or in the kitchen by emailing fots@my.brownsbay.school.nz

PHOTO BOOTH AT DISCO

With thanks to sponsors Flow Academy and Glimpse Photography, we're excited to provide, for the very first time, a Photo Booth for Disco-goers! Held in The Studio, kids can get together with friends and pop on some costume props for some photo fun. They'll receive an instant printed result because we'll be using an Instax Camera. Photo prints will be \$2 each.



IMPORTANT DISCO INFORMATION

- For the safety of everyone, discos are for BBS students only - sorry but pre-schoolers or older siblings are unable to attend.
- Parents are encouraged to drop off children to the event in the school hall, which is a kids-only zone.
- It is understood that parents/caregivers of Year 0/New Entrant students may need to stay at the Disco with their child.
- Discos are well supervised by FOTS volunteers, BBS staff and parent helpers.
- Parents/Caregivers must collect their child from inside the Hall at the end of the disco.

Thanks for your support!

11 DAYS LEFT TO GET TICKETS FOR LADIES MOVIE NIGHT 'A BAD MOM'S CHRISTMAS' – THURS NOV 9, 8PM

Time is ticking to get your tickets for a fun night out with your girlfriends to the much anticipated sequel to last year's hilarious 'Bad Moms'. Ticket payments can be made online (not on Kindo sorry) until Oct 31. On Movie Night doors open at Hoyts Wairau from 8pm for an 8.30pm showing so come along and enjoy some goodies, choose a drink (included in the \$30 ticket price), bring gold coins for a fantastic raffle and listen out for spot prizes! Find all information [here](#).



STUDENT'S ARTWORK CALENDARS & STATIONERY – ORDERS HAVE ARRIVED!

A huge thank you to everyone involved in the Calendar/Stationery Artwork fundraiser which was once again a big success! If you purchased items, thank you so much for your support. Stationery items are now being delivered to your child so please look out for them this week. An enormous thank you to all BBS teachers and staff, to FOTS' Christine Wilson and to Jacky Carr who coordinated this fundraiser. For any questions about your items, please get in touch with Christine on 021 032 0457.

A TASTY FUNDRAISER IS COMING YOUR WAY!

Love a Greek Spanokopita? Ever tried a chocolate and hazelnut praline pastry? Thanks to Little Greece Delicatessen in Browns Bay, you, your friends and family can purchase 4-packs of delicious, frozen, large savoury or sweet Greek pastries for only \$10! And your entire purchase will be donated to our school! Look out for information in home packs from next week. We'll be taking orders each week until Dec 7. Start making room in your freezer now to stock up for lunches and convenient holiday season catering.

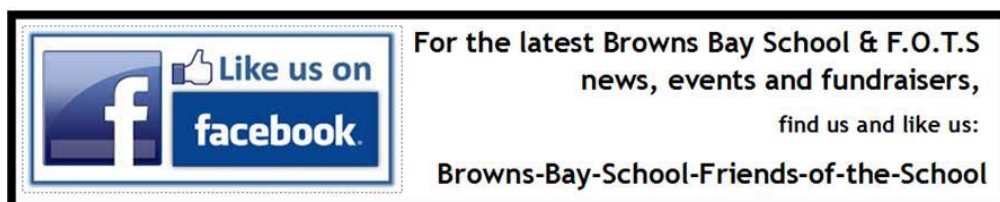


FOTS CONTACT

Need to get in touch? Would you like to know more about FOTS? Please email us: fots@my.brownsbay.school.nz

FACEBOOK

Be sure to follow BBS & FOTS on Facebook for news, photos, updates and event information, check out: www.facebook.com/Browns-Bay-School-Friends-of-the-School





Thinking Caps Maths tutoring is working at Browns Bay School every Thursday morning. If you want extra help for your child's maths, we have spaces available. Years 3-6. Sessions based on the school curriculum with friendly and experienced teachers. Phone: Julie 027 2453870 or Office 09 424 3536 www.thinkingcaps.co.nz

Witches and Wizards Day at Highwic

Enrol your young sorcerers in the Highwic School of Witchcraft and Wizardry for a day of magical mischief, fantastical fun and creepy creativity.

Sunday 29 October from 12.30 to 4.00pm. \$5 per child, \$10 per supervising adult. Maximum of four children per adult. 7 to 11 year olds. Make a Booking - Please call Highwic on (09) 524 5729 or email: highwic@heritage.org.nz

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