

PRINCIPALS MESSAGE

Dear Parents and Caregivers Kia Ora

Term 2 begins on Monday April 30 and ends on Friday 6 July. Our theme is **Discovery** - **Discoveries change our lives** (Science and Technology) and the Inquiry Topics are:

Year 1: Up, Up and Away

Year 2: Save Our Seas / What was That? (Sound)

Year 3: Camp and Magnetism Year 4: Camp and Rocky Shore

Year 5: Animal Enclosure enrichment

Year 6: Magnificent 7 (Wonders of the World)

Each Year level team chooses a topic that allows them to teach the Science Curriculum – Physical World and Technology curriculum objectives. The topics are shared with the other teams to ensure there is no crossover or duplication and are integrated across into other curriculum areas e.g. reading, writing, art.

SAFETY PLAN

Browns Bay School has been working with an independent company, Harrison Tew®, who specialise in Emergency Management Plans for schools. On Tuesday we were to conduct a school-wide lockdown exercise under the guidance of Harrison Tew®. Unfortunately after preparing the students for the lockdown with Assemblies and class visits, we cancelled the final drill due to the heavy weather conditions we began to experience. We will complete the

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drill early next term. Should you hear of a lock down or evacuation at the school, can I please ask that you do not come to the school or phone us, as we may not be in a position to respond. Our process if we ever go into a lockdown is: text to parents, an email to parents and then updates on the website / Facebook page.

The power outage yesterday was a good test of our emergency systems with the texts, Facebook and website alerts. If you did not get the early morning text it may pay to check we have your correct mobile phone details in our system. At the time of the outage we were in contact with the Ministry of Education, Vector and constantly reviewing the

situation to ensure the children would be warm and have enough natural light in the rooms. The easiest form of communication from our point of view in this situation was Facebook. We could operate Facebook using mobile devices and answer questions quickly. If you are not already connected then please link in at:



For the latest Browns Bay School & F.O.T.S news, events and fundraisers,

find us and like us:

Browns-Bay-School-Friends-of-the-School

PHYSICAL ACTIVITY GUIDELINES

Recently I was told that some children are looking very tired in class. I know it has been a long term yet the **Sit Less, Move More, Sleep Well – Physical Activity Guidelines for Children and Young People** include new sleep
recommendations as well as updated advice on the amount of physical activity children and young people need and I thought it may be of interest to parents.

The updated advice for school-aged children and young people (aged 5 to 17 years) for a healthy 24-hours includes:

- quality uninterrupted sleep of 9 to 11 hours per night for those aged 5 to 13 years and 8 to 10 hours per night for those aged 14 to 17 years, with consistent bed and wake-up times
- an accumulation of at least 1 hour a day of moderate to vigorous physical activity (incorporate vigorous physical activities and activities that strengthen muscles and bones, at least 3 days a week)
- no more than 2 hours per day of <u>recreational</u> screen time
- for the remainder of the day:
 - sitting less and moving more break up sitting time
 - o participating in structured and unstructured light physical activities.

Children and young people not currently meeting these guidelines should make a progressive adjustment towards them, as the benefits of following these guidelines far exceed potential risks.

For more information on these recommendations, download: <u>Physical Activity Guidelines for Children and Young People (PDF, 164 KB)</u>

Peter Mulcahy

UPCOMING EVENTS

A full schedule of events for Term 2 is available on our website calendar with the most current events included in each newsletter.

Please note that on Friday June 1 the school will be closed for a Teachers Only Day. This is the Friday before the Queen's Birthday Monday holiday.

Thursday 12 April – BOT Meeting 7pm	Friday 13 April – Full School Assembly
Friday 13 April – Last Day of Term 1	Monday 30 April – First Day of Term 2
Wednesday 02 May – FOTS Meeting	Friday 04 May – Football Kidz
Monday 07 May - Year 4 Camp – Group 1	Tuesday 08 May – Year 4 Camp – Group 1
Monday 07 May – MOTAT Trip – Rooms 9,10,12	Tuesday 08 May - ICAS Digital Technologies Exam (except Y4)
Wednesday 09 May – Maori Whanau	Wednesday 09 May – Cluster Basketball

SCHOOL EVENTS

CLUSTER SWIMMING

Last week the Browns Bay School Cluster Swim Team competed at the 2018 Cluster Schools swim meet. We had a team of 36 swimmers represent our school. Throughout the morning there was some very exciting racing and amazing results. Each and every member of the team swam their hearts out. They should be proud of the team spirit and encouragement they displayed towards their teammates and the great sportsmanship they showed towards the other competitors.

Browns Bay school came away with an impressive - Ten 3rd place placings, Fifteen 2nd place placings and Thirteen 1st place placings. These results definitely paid off as Browns Bay School were announced the Mid Bays Cluster Champions for 2018 and took home the trophy. (Newsletter's lead photo)

Congratulations to the following swimmers for receiving a 1st, 2nd or 3rd placing at the 2018 Cluster School Swim Event. A great achievement:

Year 4

Sophie Herde - 1st 25m Breaststroke Sienna Hickling Crane - 2nd 25m Breast, 3rd 50m Free, 3rd 25m Back, Matthew Fleming - 1st 25m Back, 2nd 50m Free, 3rd 25m Free Jamie Holroyd - 2nd 25m Breast Harry Oliver - 3rd 25m Back

Year 4 Boys Relay 2nd Place - Matthew Fleming, Connor Mees, Chris Kumala, Julian Noh Year 4 Girls Relay 2nd Place - Sienna Hickling-Crane, Paige Williams, Bella Lyu, Emily Armes

Year 5

Dennis Wu - 1st 50m Free, 1st 25m Back, 1st 75m Medley, 2nd 25m Fly, Ethan Storey - 2nd 25m Breast, 3rd 50m Free, 3rd 25m Fly, 3rd 75m Medley Dane Waretini - 2nd 25m Back Thomas Mansfield - 2nd 25m Free Deonna Qu - 1st 50m Free, 1st 75m Medley, Alicia Zhou - 2nd 25m Breast Ella Waterman - 1st 25m Free, 2nd 50m Free, 2nd 25m Back

Year 5 Boys Relay - 1st Place; Dennis Wu, Ethan Storey, Thomas Mansfield, Campbell Bibbie Year 5 Girls Relay - 1st Place; Deonna Qu, Ella Waterman, Chloe Baughan, Brooke Gillespie

Year 6

Maeve Lockett - 1st, 75m Medley, 2nd 50m Free, 2nd 25m Back, 3rd 25m Fly Vincent Prajogo - 1st 25m Fly, 1st 75m Medley, 2nd 50m Free,

Year 6 Boys Relay - 3rd Place; Vincent Prajogo, Brydon Storey, Jamie Rentoul, Toby Holroyd Year 6 Girls Relay - 3rd Place; Maeve Lockett, Jess Emery, Lara Deacon, Grace Hirst

Team Medley Relay - 1st place; Dennis Wu, Vincent Prajogo, Maeve Lockett, Alicia Zhou

FLIPPABALL

Congratulations to the BBS Year 4 Turtles and the Year 3 Orcas Flippaball teams for winning their respective grade this term. The Turtles went through the term unbeaten, scoring 59 goals and conceding only 2 in the Year 3/4 league. Well done to both teams!

WATERWISE

Some great photos from a beautiful day at Waterwise -Waiake Beach!







ACTIV-ASIAN

This year our ESOL team have been working with ActivAsian, which is an initiative at Harbour Sport aiming to establish sport and recreation opportunities for Asian parents and grandparents on the North Shore. This can include anything from walking groups to windsurfing sessions. On Monday, seven of our Korean parents met the ActivAsian walking group at BBS and headed out around the coast to Mairangi Bay beach (see photo). Next term the ActivAsian coordinators will organise a series of yoga sessions for Asian parents and grandparents from BBS in our hall, starting at 2:00 and finishing at 3:00. These sessions are provided free of charge



through funding from ActivAsian. We'd like to thank Dave, Jenny and Marian from ActivAsian for giving our families the opportunity to try some active NZ pursuits which their children may be getting involved in over the years, but they themselves might not otherwise have the chance to take part in. *Karen Cebalo - International, ESOL & GATE*

SCHOOL NOTICES

FULL SCHOOL ASSEMBLY

Every third week we have a Full School Assembly for parents to attend. Each team has a turn to lead an Assembly – this Friday it is the Year 5. Please note some Assemblies are postponed if the weather is inclement, this is to save the students from being soaked as they move to the Hall (it takes about 15 minutes for the whole school to be seated in the Hall). We will make this announcement via text or email about 10am on the day of the Assembly.

CHORUS CABINET MURAL ART

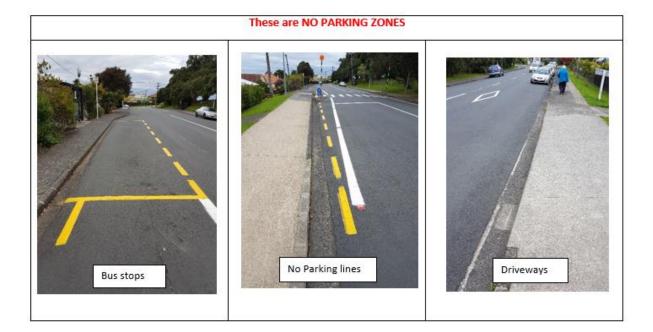
Our Year 5 children have been hard at work designing murals that reflect our Browns Bay environment and community. Their individual designs will be submitted to a team at Chorus and the two winning murals will be painted onto two cabinets in the Browns Bay shopping area.

We are looking for a local artist who would be happy to paint the children's designs onto these cabinets for us. All necessary paint and supplies will be provided. If this sounds like something you would like to be involved in then please contact Kerry Jowett at kerryj@brownsbay.school.nz Many thanks, The Year 5 team



SCHOOL TRAFFIC

School traffic in the morning and afternoon can be stressful, especially when there is limited parking, yet I would ask that you respect our neighbours and the road rules. Our neighbours in Hyde Road, Masterton Road and Browns Bay Road would appreciate not having their driveways blocked and the teachers at the Crossings would also appreciate parents not stopping in the Bus bays or on No Parking lines. These actions by a few of our parents are frustrating for our neighbours and dangerous for our students who use the crossings. These are NO PARKING ZONES -







Our 'Slow Down Around Schools' campaign was a huge success! The Travelwise team were very active on Friday and Monday and received over 370 'toots' and 450 'waves' of support. Thank you for taking notice of us and making the effort to slow down. Although some members of the community were going too fast, your efforts to slow down made them have to slow down. Good job Browns Bay School!!!







Browns Bay School DROP or COLLECT and GO Zone

<u>Drivers DO NOT</u> get out of your car!

<u>DO NOT WAIT</u> in the zone for children - if your child is not waiting, please go around the block

DO NOT do a U-turn to leave

Be prepared - Please have children's bags and belonging next to them so they can get out of the car quickly

BE sensible role models at all times





YES! Stop to let your BBS children out or collect your BBS child who is <u>waiting</u>

YES, keep moving forward as spaces ahead become available

If you cannot follow <u>ALL</u> of these rules, please find a park to attend to your morning drop off or afternoon pick up. Thank you.

학교 앞 주자 단속



Safety at the School Gate



校門安全









공교 전, 공과 두 국교 모든 내구 문구합니다. 무자 규칙 준수는 어린이 보호 및 안전에 도움이 되며, 반면 불법 주차는 어린이에게 위험을 초래합니다.

이번 학기 동안 주차 단속원이 학교 앞을 순회하면서 불법 주차를 단속할 것입니다.

불법 주차 벌금은 다음과 같습니다.

	보도나 도로 가장자리의 잔디밭 위 주차	\$40
	차량 진입로나 진입로에서 1m 이내 주차	\$40
	표시가 안된 버스 정류장의 앞뒤 6m 이내 주차	\$40
	표시가 된 버스 정류장 내 주차	\$60
•	소화전 0.5m 이내 주차(차를 옮길 수 있는 면허 소지자가 탑승해 있지 않은 경우)	\$60
•	지정된 버스 차선, 전용 차선, 자전거 전용로 내 주차	\$60
	주정차 급지 도로 위 주차	\$60
	이중 주차	\$60
•	다른 도로 사용자(보행인 포함)를 배려하지 않은 주차	\$60
	교차로, 또는 교차로에서 6m 이내 주차	\$60
	횡단 보도 위 주차	\$60
	황색 실선이 있는 주정차 급지 구역 내 주차	\$60

이를 주차 위반에 관한 자세한 내용은 뉴질랜드 로드 코드에 있습니다.

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Park safely outside schools

Before and after school is a busy time for everyone. Parking rules help protect our children and keep them safe. Drivers who park illegally put our kids at risk.

This term parking officers will be on patrol outside your school to issue tickets to those who are illegally parked.

Fines for illegal parking include:

•	Parked on the footpath or grass verge/ berm	\$40
•	Parked across or within 1m of a vehicle entrance	\$40
•	Parked within 6m either side of an unmarked bus stop	\$40
٠	Parked within a marked bus stop	\$60
•	Parked within 0.5m of a fire hydrant with no one in the car legally capable of moving it	\$60
•	Parked within a designated bus lane, transit or cycle lane	\$60
٠	Parked on a clearway	\$60
•	Double parked	\$60
•	Inconsiderate parking to other road users, including pedestrians	\$60
	Parked on or within 6m of an intersection	\$60
	Parked on a pedestrian crossing	\$60
	Parked on a broken yellow line	\$60

These parking offences are detailed in the New Zeal and Road Code.

Thank you for your cooperation.



校外安全泊車

上學前和故學後是最繁忙的時段。泊車規則有助於保護我 們的孩子,維護他們的人身安全。這規泊車的司機則會給孩 子帶來風險。

在本學期·泊車管理員將會在校外巡查·並向違規泊車書開 具觀單。

違規泊車罰款如下:

٠	在人行道上或草地邊緣/路階泊車	\$40
٠	在車輛入口對面或距其不到一米處泊車	\$40
٠	在沒有標誌的公車站前後六米内泊車	\$40
•	在有標誌的公車站範圍內泊車	\$60
٠	在距消防栓不到半米建泊車,車上沒有可	
	合法駕車駅離的人員	\$60
	在規定的公車道、專用快車道(transit lane)	
	或自行車道内泊車	\$60
٠	在禁止上落客質區内泊車	\$60
٠	並排停車	\$60
	對包括行人在内的其他道路使用者造成	
	不便的泊車	\$60
٠	在距交叉路口六米處及以內泊車	\$60
٠	在人行橫道上泊車	\$60
٠	在虚黃線上泊車	\$60

助于(1875航车型)中央共有限上线链接泊率行为的阶值。

膨胀燃的合作。





NEXT FOTS MEETING: WEDNESDAY, 2nd MAY, 7.15pm, STAFF ROOM

All parents and caregivers are welcome to attend our informal monthly meetings. Come along and get involved! We'll be finalising plans for term 2 and beyond.

PRECIOUS LABELS FUNDRAISER

Get ready for winter and label your fleeces before they end up in lost property! Precious Labels offers colourful and durable labels in a variety of stick-on and iron-on formats. They're laundry, dishwasher, microwave, and freezer safe and can be used on clothes, lunch boxes, sports gear, and more! For your purchase to benefit FOTS, please use this link: https://www.preciouslabels.co.nz/?aff=58

ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS

2018/2019 Entertainment™ Books/Digital Memberships are nearly here. Pre-order before this Friday 13th and you will receive over \$200 of bonus early bird offers! Use the following link to purchase your Entertainment Membership and help our fundraising efforts. Help us even more by sharing it with your friends and family:

https://www.entertainmentbook.co.nz/orderbooks/9905w6

Entertainment Books will be sent home via students in the first week of term 2. If you don't wish to have a book come home for viewing please return the opt out form to school by the end of this week, April 13th. Thanks for your support.





DISCRETIONARY FUND TERM 1

It was great to receive submissions for the FOTS Discretionary Fund for assisting small projects around the school. Applications are now closed for term 1, but we will be accepting applications again next term.

We're pleased to let you know that we will help fund the following 4 projects:

- Lunchtime play equipment watch out for a set of pogo sticks coming soon!
- Camp/day trip first aid kit
- Year 3/4 classroom equipment stamp sets
- Multi team rugby tournament uniform

SPONSORS NEEDED - BLAST IN THE BAYS, OCTOBER 2018

- Interested in supporting a safe public fireworks display?
- Want to connect your business to thousands of people?
- Keen to help make Browns Bay an exciting, vibrant community?
- Like to help support a great cause such as Browns Bay School?



We would love to have a chat about sponsorship opportunities for Blast In The Bays with you. We need the support of lots of generous sponsors to help make this event blast off! It will bring thousands of people to Browns Bay seeking a fun, safe way to enjoy fireworks. Funds raised from the event will help Browns Bay School achieve some great initiatives. Planning for 'Blast' is now well underway with a professional events company and the Business Association. Fire up with Blast In The Bays now and your business will benefit from the excitement, passion, and buzz generated from the outset of our inaugural event. There are lots of options available, so please get in touch to discuss opportunities. Contact Jan O'Connor-Brown on 021 701 513.

Keen to follow what's happening with our Blast In the Bays fireworks event? Please follow our Facebook page and share it with your family and friends: www.facebook.com/blastinthebays/





FACEBOOK

For news, photos, updates, and event information, check out: www.facebook.com/Browns-Bay-School-Friends-of-the-School-173302139385925/

FOTS CONTACT

Need to get in touch? Please email us: fots@my.brownsbay.school.nz

Community Notices

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

M Sports April Holiday Football Camp at Devonport Primary using Inflatable pitch

M Sports holiday programmes are suitable for children aged 5 to 12. The week is full of exciting games and tournaments. Enjoy our unique Inflatable Football pitches. Our team of highly qualified staff will ensure your kids have a ball!!



Holiday Camp Details

Venue: Devonport Primary School

Week 1: 16 to 20 April

Week 2: 23, 24, 26 & 27 April (no camp on Anzac Day)

Times/Costs:

- 9am to 12pm \$19 per day, \$69 for 4 days (week 2), \$89 for 5 days,
- 9am to 3pm \$35 per day, \$129 for 4 days (week 2) or \$149 for 5 days

MULTIPLE GOALS!

Register Your Child:

Go to **footykids.m-sports.org**, click 'programmes', 'holiday programmes', then 'book now' at the bottom of the page. Book your child's place now as numbers are limited.

Queries: Contact adminnorthshore@msports.co.nz



