

EBBETT PARK SCHOOL**EXCELLENCE, PRIDE & SPIRIT****Things to note...****Teacher Only Day**

Reminder: We will be having an extended holiday during the long weekend of HB Anniversary and Labour Day as we will be having a TOD on the Tuesday also (please see the calendar attached). This has been in the calendar since last term so please ensure you have made arrangements for your child/children.

School is CLOSED: Friday 25th October (HB anniversary), Monday 28th October (Labour Day) and Tuesday 29th October (Teacher Only Day)

Stolen Property

Over the last week of term 3 and the first week of this term students have had a number of items taken from their bags and/or hooks in the cloak-bays. As a result of this cloak-bays will now be locked permanently. Classrooms will also be locked when classes are not in them. Please DO NOT be offended if you can not get into your child's classroom or cloak-bay. We need to do everything we can to keep students property safe and secure. The bag pictured here is one of the items that has been removed



If you have ANY item that is not yours at home please return it to school so that it can be returned to the rightful owner - NO QUESTIONS ASKED.

**Seesaw**

A free app to access your students learning and experiences while at Ebbett Park School.

**ClassDojo**

A free app we use to reward students and an easy way to communicate with your child's teacher.

**Skool Loop**

A free app for us to share notices, for parents to sign permission slips and to inform us of your child's absence.

School Hats

It is the term when we expect students to be wearing sun hats - not just any hat but a school hat. These can be purchased from the school office at \$8. Please come in and sort this for your child otherwise they will be expected to be under the trees during any and all break times.



Lost Property



We have an extraordinarily large amount of lost property in the office. This is going to be on display in the hall this week. Classes will have checked through this but some children may not be able to identify their own gear. PLEASE come and check through this if your child/children have lost any items of clothing or footwear.

What's Been Happening

School Legends



It was with great pride that we were able to award our very first 'Ebbett Park School Legends'.

On Friday Xzylus and Jorja both received their 'Spirit' bands. This meant that they are now officially the first two students to get all three bands. As a result of this achievement they were also awarded a 'legend' band and a brand new Ebbett Park School Cap.

We are all very proud of these two.



Reading Recovery Graduates

Hine has moved 16 reading levels and is able to write 60 plus high frequency writing words. She can now write interesting stories in class independently. Hine is a bubbly girl who is very enthusiastic about her learning. She is a fine example of excellence, pride and spirit. Well done Hine we are very proud of your reading and writing achievements.



AJ has moved 16 reading levels. He can now write high frequency writing words independently. He is also able to write 3 or more sentences independently in class. AJ has shown determination and perseverance and can be congratulated on making such amazing progress in Reading and writing. Keep up the hard work AJ.

Classroom Champions

A great start to term 4 with a mixture of 'Spirt', 'Excellence' and 'Pride' awards being given out on Friday.

Congratulations to: Taylar-Ray, Fuivai, Leahmara, Priate, Daniel, Bruce and Junior who have all showed the EPS school values during the first week back in term 4.



Loud Shirt Day



A huge thank you to all those who supported our deaf community on Friday by wearing a 'loud shirt'. The staff are fortunate enough to have our wonderful Nora on staff who makes NZSL tee-shirts. She made one for every member of staff. These are awesome and will now be part of the staff uniform during significant events at EPS.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT

PROUDLY SUPPORTING EBBETT PARK SCHOOL

HEATHER & SHANE

Heather Murphy - 027 246 9733
Shane Pugh - 027 704 8845

We are thrilled to be sponsoring 'Royal Jelly' one of the Harcourts Hawkes Bay Arts Festival shows into your school this year. We are looking forward to joining you for the show on Monday 21st October.

**ENTER OUR COLOURING IN
COMPETITION**

4 tickets to be won to the Harcourts Halloween Hunt
Sports Park Hawke's Bay, Percival Rd, Hastings.
Thursday 31 Oct 2019 6pm -7:30pm
<https://www.eventfinda.co.nz/2019/harcourts-halloween-hunt/hastings>
Colouring in competition will be available in school on Monday 21st October. BE IN TO WIN!

TERM 4 Calendar (details to date)

Hats are required during this term

Week 2: Monday 21st: Royal Jelly Show 1pm - sponsored by Harcourts
Oct Friday 25th: HB Anniversary - SCHOOL CLOSED

Week 3: Monday 28th: Labour Day - SCHOOL CLOSED
Oct Tuesday 29th: Teacher Only Day - SCHOOL CLOSED

Week 4: Tuesday 5th: School Photos
Nov

Week 5: Monday 11th - Friday 15th Kapa Haka Competition
Nov Thursday 14th: EPS Kapa Haka Competition (pm)

Week 6: Monday 18th: 2020 Road Patrol Training (am)
Nov Kapa Haka Practice (pm)(instead of Thursday)
Wednesday 20th: Books, Babes and Baking 3-4pm

Week 7: *Nothing to date*
Nov

Week 8: Tuesday 3rd: Water safety Pool Session: Life Jackets
Dec

Week 9: *Nothing to date*
Dec

Week 10: Monday 16th and Tuesday 17th: Celebration Assemblies (time TBC)
Wednesday 18th: End of Year Prize giving Assembly (time TBC)
Thursday 19th: Term 4 Ends @12pm (noon)

The academic years begins on Monday 27th January 2020

Pizza Fundraiser

All classes can order a slice of Hawaiian pizza for \$2 per slice.

Money and orders can be brought to the office during the week but must be in by **9am on Friday.**

Pizza Orders

Name: _____ . Rm _____ Quantity _____

Name: _____ . Rm _____ Quantity _____

Name: _____ . Rm _____ Quantity _____