

EBBETT PARK SCHOOL

EXCELLENCE, PRIDE & SPIRIT



IMPORTANT

Term 1 ends on Friday 16th April at 2.45pm

Term 2 begins Monday 3rd May

Newsletter Feedback!

Last week a newsletter was sent home with a survey attached and I am disappointed to say that out of our 112 families only 20 were received back. That's an 18% engagement.

While this might seem unimportant getting information out to whānau it is vital and it seems that not everyone is either getting or reading the newsletter each week and we would like to ensure we get the information out in the best way possible. With this in mind **PLEASE complete the information below and send into school by Thursday of this week: Thursday 15th April.**

Whānau Name:

Do you read the school newsletter each week: Yes. No.

Did you know that there is a calendar of events in each newsletter Yes. No

Do you remove the term calendar from the 1st terms newsletter and put it up somewhere for it to be checked Yes. No.

The newsletter is sent home weekly, is this: too often. Or Just right

The newsletter is sent home, available on Skool Loop and can be emailed to you. What is your preferred method to get the weekly newsletter?

Please confirm your email address:



Vision

Empowering akonga to be culturally inclusive and engaged community members of the future. Striving to excel, standing with pride and connecting with spirit.



Mission

Ebbett Park School will challenge students to excel and provide them With all they require to be lifelong learners.

EXCELLENCE
Matatau

PRIDE
Kaha

SPIRIT
Mana

School Apps

ClassDojo

A free app we use to reward students and an easy way to communicate with your Childs 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 absences.



Seesaw

A free app to access your child's learning and experiences while at Ebbett Park School.



Uniform Review

Our new uniform is now under contract and we aim to have this available mid term 2

Go NOODLE competition

Thank you to all the whānau that came into school to support the 'GO NOODLE' House competition . We have the most amazing feedback about it. Thank you to Mrs Kumar and Ms Clinnick who organised and ran this house challenge.



CONGRATULATIONS to:

Rongo and
Tawhirimatea



CALENDAR

Week 11: Friday 16th: Last day term 1 (normal day finish)

TERM TWO - A heads UP...

- Week 1: Monday 3rd: Term 2 Begins, PALs training for selected learners 1.20pm - 2.30pm
MAY Tuesday 4th: Leg Up Trust sessions begin for selected learners
Friday 7th: Giant Gyms Session begin for selected learners (am)
Te Whawhawhe and Te Marama Performance in the hall for learners 1.30pm
NO ASSEMBLY THIS WEEK
- Week 2: Monday 10th: NZSL WEEK (activities all week focusing on sign language)
MAY Wednesday 12th: Ripper Rugby Competition (Year 3/4) and Year 3/4 Netball begins
Thursday 13th: Ripper Rugby Competition (Year 5/6) and Year 5/6 Netball begins
Friday 14th LOUD SHIRT DAY and House Challenge - Sign Singing @11.30am (Hall)
- Week 3: Thursday 20th: Board of Trustees Meeting 6.15pm at Ebbett Park School
MAY Friday 21st: PINK SHIRT MUFTI DAY - gold coin donation
- Week4: Thursday 27th: Ladies Pink Reading Breakfast 7.30am Hall: wear pink, gold coin
MAY donation
- Week 5: Wednesday 2nd: Junior Tough Guy/Gal Challenge
JUNE
- Week 6: Monday 7th: QUEENS BIRTHDAY - SCHOOL CLOSED
JUNE
- Week 7: Monday 14th: IEP WEEK and Duffy Assembly 11.20am
JUNE Tuesday 15th Class and Individual photos for 2021
- Week 8: Thursday 24th: Board of Trustees Meeting 6.15pm at Ebbett Park School
JUNE Friday 25th: TEACHER ONLY DAY - SCHOOL CLOSED

Week 9: Wednesday 30th: Netball Year 3/4 ends

JUNE/JULY

Week 10: Friday 9th: Last Day of Term: school ends at the normal time. Reports will go home.

JULY

A vertical poster with a pink background. The top half is a solid pink color, and the bottom half is a lighter pink with a wavy border. The text is white and pink. The main headline is 'Come Together for Good' in a large, white, cursive font. Below it is the Pink Ribbon logo, a pink ribbon forming a stylized figure, followed by the text 'PINK RIBBON BREAKFAST' in bold, white, sans-serif font, and 'Breast Cancer Foundation NZ' in a smaller, white, sans-serif font. Below the logo is the text 'YOUR INVITED TO THE EBBETT PARK SCHOOL PINK RIBBON/READING BREAKFAST.' in bold, pink, sans-serif font. Below that is 'Time and date: Thursday 27th May at 7.30am.' and 'Location: Ebbett Park School hall.' in a smaller, pink, sans-serif font. At the bottom is 'Other details: Tamariki bring their favourite lady/ladies to the Pink Ribbon/Reading breakfast. GOLD COIN ENTRY AT THE DOOR.' in a very small, pink, sans-serif font. At the very bottom is the slogan 'Help fund breast cancer research, education and patient support' in a bold, pink, sans-serif font.

Come Together for Good

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Breast Cancer Foundation NZ

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COMMUNITY NOTICES

Parenting Programmes Term 2

Building Awesome Whānau:

- **Day:** Tuesday 18 May – 22 Jun - from 9:30-11:30am

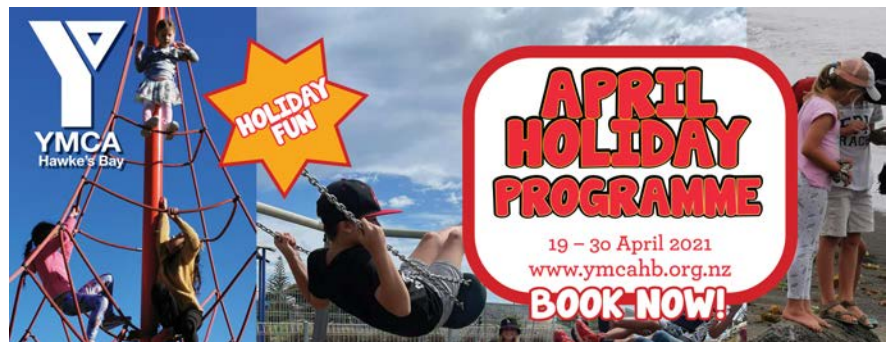
Tweens & Teens:

- **Evening:-** Thursday 20 May – 24 June from 5:30pm – 7:55pm

Both programmes are being held in the Red Room at St Andrews (corner of Lyndon Rd & Market St) in Hastings.

There are plenty of spaces available at present but that can change very fast once school goes back so please get your referrals in asap.

Contact Family Works: 06 8762156 for further details



The YMCA is operating four exciting holiday programmes across HB, based at Taradale Primary, Marewa School in Napier, Raureka School in Hastings and from the Hastings Sports centre. We are open from 7.30am till 6.00pm each day of the April Holidays offering daily activities both on and offsite in a safe environment. As always we have wide range of activities aimed at our two age groups 5-8 years and 9-13years to ensure the children have a fun filled holidays. We would love it if you could promote our programme through your newsletters and other communication forums such as Facebook. I have attached a jpeg with the Holiday Programme details. I have also included the timetables of all the programmes for your information.

We are also opening at Raureka School and Taradale Primary on Easter Tuesday to provide care for families that require it.

If you prefer to use text, feel free to use the following or similar YMCA Holiday programmes are operating 19th April 2020 – 30th April 2020 at our Taradale, Napier and Hastings sites. 7.30am-6.00pm daily. Go to www.ymcahb.org.nz to book or phone 06 8783027 for more information.