

# EBBETT PARK SCHOOL

EXCELLENCE, PRIDE & SPIRIT



## WHAT HAS BEEN HAPPENING

### Kapa Haka Performance at Civic Square



Due to COVID and level restrictions so many things have been cancelled for us and our tamariki. One of these has been the annual Kaka Haka Festival.

Rather than miss out of performing completely we took our year 5 and 6 Kapa Haka learners to Civic Square on Thursday where they performed to school whānau that were present and to members of the public.

This group did us PROUD. They performed beautifully, raised the volume and enchanted those of us watching. **Tu Meke rōpū haka!**



#### 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 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 absences.



### Seesaw

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



## Hastings Giants Boxing Academy Award Ceremony



On Thursday evening Mr Dufty and Ms Medicott attended the Giants Boxing Academy 2021 Award Ceremony. We were proud to have 3 of our young men acknowledged.

Giants Boxing Academy work with a group of learners at EPS on a Friday morning. They get involved in training, sparring and all activities are integrated into developing values and integrity.

Congratulations to:

Joshua: Recognised as 'Outstanding Team Member'

Waka: Recognised for 'Just being Cool'

Kauri: Recognised for 'Living Our Values'

## BASKETBALL RESULTS Week 5

Round 3 of Basketball and a great win and a few loses but all taken in our stride. Results: EPS 1 played Te Mata Fernandez and Lost, EPS 2 played Lucknow Kereru and won, EPS 3 played HNP Slammers and Lost.

CONGRATULATIONS to our players of the day: Airini (EPS1), Compton and another player (EPS 2) and Ezekeil (EPS3).

## School Values HOUSE WINNER: Week 5



Well done Tawhirimatea for winning our Week 5 competition.

## CLASSROOM CHAMPIONS - WEEK 5

With our bubbles still operating and no assemblies taking place the best way to acknowledge our classroom champions is via the newsletter. The awards are being presented in the classroom or within bubbles by the class teachers and photos are being taken. We are proud of the resilience that our tamariki have shown and continue to show during these unsettled times.



Ka mau te wehi!

## Reading Recovery Graduation

Grayson is reading level 19 and reads his books with fluency and phrasing. He is able to write amazing stories and is a great example of excellence, pride and spirit at Ebbett park school. Congratulations Grayson your Ebbett Park whanau is very proud of you.

Ka pai te mahi Grayson



## DENTAL VAN is at EBBETT PARK SCHOOL

From the Dental Team

Kia Ora. The dental mobile is now at Ebbett Park school. We will examine the children's teeth and send home consent forms if they require any treatment. It is important to return forms as soon as possible, or phone us to give consent.

We are also able to see any preschool children. Just phone us to make a time. You are also welcome to attend your child's treatments. Just remember to sign in at the school office if you are coming to the dental van. Wear a mask please, and sign in to our covid tracer sign too.

Phone 0272342193



## WHAT IS COMING UP...

### Values Focus week 5 and 6

**Excellence Matatau**

TO KNOW, KNOW WELL, BE PROFICIENT, EXPERT AT, COMPETENT, FLUENT.

We always try to show our best.



Often when we deal with conflict we get the 'he did...' or 'she was doing...' before the person concerned considers their own actions. At EPS we work hard to talk through events and get each person to consider their part in something rather than focusing on what the other person did. We relate everything back to our values and how they were, or weren't, being demonstrated. It's important to ensure that YOU are the BEST version of YOU!



"Your real strength comes from being the **BEST YOU** you can be.

Who are you?  
What are you good at?  
**WHAT MAKES YOU, YOU?"**

# THINGS TO CONSIDER...

# NEW UNIFORM

Ready for 2022

Yay...we will have our new uniform ready to start the 2022 academic year. It is NOT expected that our current learners will move into the new uniform however, if you wish to we are happy for this to happen. It does mean, however, that any NEW learner as of 2022 will be in the new uniform.

As a current learner, if you wish to purchase the new uniform there is a set of shorts and polos for sizing that you can try on. Please make a booking with Ms Medlicott to do this measure and the order will be recorded and then placed as an addition to the bulk order that we will be making.

Pricing: Polo - \$35 + Gst

Shorts - 35 + Gst



## 2021 Year 5 Whānau

Your child will be a year 6 learner next year and part of our expectations is that our year 6 learners have access to an appropriate device for use at school and home. In the next few newsletters we will be sharing the technology requirements and other information about 2022. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact either Ms Medlicott or Mr Dufty.



## **2022 Academic Year details**

Term 1: Monday 31st January - Thursday 14th April (Monday 31st Jan. and Tuesday 1st Feb. are Getting Connected Days - booking details to come.)

Term 2: Monday 1st May - Friday 8th July

Term 3: Monday 25th July - Friday 30th September

Term 4: Monday 17th October - somewhere between Tuesday 13th and Friday 16th December (Teacher Only Day dependent)

## **CALENDAR: TERM FOUR**

### **WEEK 6:**

**NOVEMBER Monday 22nd - Friday 29th: A quiet Week**

### **WEEK 7:**

**NOVEMBER Monday 29th - Friday 3rd: IEPs WEEK - transition focus.**

**DECEMBER Monday 29th - Friday 3rd : ATHLETICS WEEK - Bubbles will be organising their own events.**

**DECEMBER Thursday 2nd: Board of Trustees meeting at 6.15pm**

### **WEEK 8:**

**DECEMBER: A quiet Week**

**Friday 10th: End of Year Prize giving: Details to come and are level dependent.**

### **WEEK 9:**

**DECEMBER: Monday 13th: End of Year Reports Home**

**Tuesday 14th: END OF TERM/YEAR - School finished at 12.30pm**

Protect Te Matau-a-Māui

## Whānau plan - preparing your whānau and your whare



### Make a plan

Decide what happens if someone in your whare gets mauiui/sick.

#### Option 1

Set up a room in your whare where whānau members can isolate themselves away from others.

#### Option 2

If it's not possible to set up a room, create separate zones so they're away from shared spaces such as the living room and kitchen.

#### Option 3

Coordinate with your whānau/hapori another whare where whānau can go and isolate.

### Prepare your whare

Think about how to set up your whare to minimise the spread.

Draw up a map of your whare to help define your zones, for example shared spaces, isolation areas, sanitising stations.

Make a list of household instructions that are easy to follow if you get sick, such as feeding pets, paying bills.

If you don't have enough room inside your whare, consider using a tent to make a comfortable space with all the necessary supplies.

### Prepare your whānau

Make sure all the whānau are on board and understand the plan.

Put a list up on your fridge of whānau details (names, ages, NHI numbers, medical conditions, addictions) and emergency contacts (GP clinic, after hours, support agencies) — just in case.

Talk with your tamariki about what the plan is if you get sick or go to hospital and how to reach out for help if needed.

Nominate someone outside of your whare who can help if your whānau is isolating, like delivering kai or supplies.

### Prepare your pātaka

Make sure your pātaka has plenty of kai in case you need to isolate.

- Kai high in vitamins, for example fruit and veges
- Fluids, like water, broth, kawakawa tea
- Baby supplies
- Hygiene products
- Medical supplies
- Cleaning supplies.

Organise kai ahead of time that's easy to heat when needed, like soups, stew.

Make up individual laundry and toilet bags for each person and store separately with your personal belongings.

### Set the tikanga

Decide what the tikanga is for your whare so everyone is clear.

Hold a whānau hui so everyone knows how to manaaki each other if someone gets sick.

Communicate your expectations with your manuhiri, for example text or message before they arrive, beep from the gate, wait in the waka.

Put up signs on your fence and front door, set up a table outside the front door with sanitiser and a QR code/register.

### Protect your whakapapa

Keep to the kaupapa and encourage each other to stick to the plan.

Stay connected — arrange regular catch-ups with your whānau, friends and community.

Don't be whakamā to reach out if you need help. You are not alone. If you need to talk to someone, free call or text 1737 anytime.

Encourage your whānau aged 12 years and over to get their vaccination against COVID-19. It protects everyone in the rohe. You can see what clinics are on in Hawke's Bay at [hbcovidvaccine.nz](http://hbcovidvaccine.nz) Book online at [bookmyvaccine.nz](http://bookmyvaccine.nz) or call 0800 28 29 26

Like our tūpuna of Te Matau-a-Māui — stay strong, stay resolute.

# Protect Te Matau-a-Māui

## Rautaki whānau - kia rite mai tō whānau me tō whare

### Whakaritea he rautaki

Ki te mau i te tētehi o te whare me whakatau he aha te ara whakamua.

**Whiringa 1:** Whakaritea he rūma motuhake mō te hunga mau i te whare hei whakahaumarua i ērā atu e noho ana i te whare.

**Whiringa 2:** Ki te kore e wātea tētehi rūma motuhake, whakaritea he wāhi motuhake kē. Me kua e pātata ki ngā wāhi hui pēnei i te nohomanga, i te kāuta, i te wāhi kai rānei.

**Whiringa 3:** Me wānanga tahi ki tō whānau/hapori mō te noho ki tētehi whare kē atu hei whakahaumarua i te whānau.

### Whakaritea tō whare

Whakaarotia te huarahi tika hei whakahaumarua i tō whānau kia kua e rere whānui te mate urutā.

Tāngia he mahere o tō whare kia pai ai te kite i ngā wāhi katoa e.g. wāhi noho tahi, wāhi noho motuhake, wahi horoi.

Mō te tūpono ka māuiui koe, whakaritea he rārangi tohutohu ngāwari nei te whai e.g. whāngai kararehe, utu i ngā nama.

Ki te kore he rūma wātea i tō whare me whai whakaaro ki te whakatū tēneti (e kī ana ki ngā taputapu me ngā kai) hei whare motuhake mō te hunga māuiui.

### Whakaritea tō whānau

Me mahi tahi te whānau, me marama hoki te katoa ki te rautaki haumarua.

Whakairia ki te pouaka makariri ngā kōrero whānui mō tō whānau (ingoa, pakeketanga, nama NHI, pānga mau i te waranga) me ngā whakapanga ohore (tākuta, nēhi, hunga tautoko) - mō te tūpono ka puta mai he raru.

Kōrero ki ngā tamariki mō te rautaki haumarua i te māuiui ki te haere tētehi ki te hohipera. Me mōhio hoki ngā tamariki ki te tono āwhina mehemea he take.

Tohua he tangata o waho atu i tō whare ki te hoko kai, te aha atu rānei mo te katoa o te wā e noho rāhui ana tō whare.

### Whakaritea tō pātaka

Me mātua whakaritea kia nui noa atu ngā kai ki te pātaka mō te tūpono me motuhake te noho.

- Ngā kai kī tonu i te hauora i.e. hua rākau/whenua
- He hua wai i.e. te wai, te hupa, te tī kawakawa
- Ngā rauemi/kai mā te pēpi
- Ngā taputapu horoi tinana
- Ngā rongoā katoa
- Ngā taputapu whakamā whare.

Tunua ngā kai i mua tonu, ka whakamahana ai i te wā e hiahia ana e.g. he hupa, he kai kōhua.

Whakaritea he pēke horoi kākahu, he pēke horoi tinana mā ia tangata. Me noho motuhake ō rawa ki a koe.

### Whakatauhia te tikanga

Whakatauhia te tikanga hei whaitanga mā tō whare. Me tino marama ki te katoa!

Karangahia he hui whānau kia mōhio ai te katoa te ara whakamua hei manaaki i te hunga ka pāngia e te māuiui.

Whakapā atu ki ngā manuhiri hei whakatau i ngā tikanga haumarua a tō whare e.g. tuku karere i mua i te tae mai, whakatangihia te hāona, tatari ki rō waka.

Whakairia he pānui 'tikanga' ki te taiapa me te kūaha matua o te whare. Whakatūria he tēpu mō te hopi ārai ngārara ki te kūaha matua, he tohu QR/rēhita anō hoki.

### Tiakina tō whakapapa

Kia u ki te kaupapa me te kaha akiaki i te katoa kia mau, kia ita ki te rautaki haumarua.

Hono atu/hono mai — kia kaha ki te whakawhanaunga atu ki tō whānau, ō hoa, me tō hapori.

Kua rawa e whakamā ki te tono āwhina. He waka eke noa. E hiahia ana koe ki te whakawhitwhiti kōrero ki tētahi tangata mōhio pai. Waea mai! Kore e utu, text mai rānei 1737.

Ao noa! Po noa! Akinatia!  
Whakakipakipa ngā tamariki, te whānau, tekau ma rua tau ake atu. Tikina te rongoa arai i te mate hei kaupare ake i tenei ki ngangara moroiti. Mā te [ipurangi hbcovidvaccine.nz](https://www.ipurangihbcovidvaccine.nz) ka kitea i ngā tauranga, nga whare haumanu. Whakaritea mā te [ipurangi Bookmyvaccine.nz](https://www.ipurangihbcovidvaccine.nz) waea atu rānei 0800282926.



# NEXT CHAPTER PARENTING

Offering Individual, or group, PARENTING SESSIONS via Zoom. Eight one hourly sessions, weekly at a time convenient to you, available evenings.

Topics covered include Communication, Empathy, Setting Limits, Quality Time, Consequences, Choices, Redirection, Problem Behaviour, Praise vs Acknowledgement, Time In vs Time Out, The Pause, Erickson's Stages of Growth, Personality Types and how it affects your children.

WINZ funding assistance where eligible.

Website: [www.nextchapterparenting.co.nz](http://www.nextchapterparenting.co.nz)  
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