### EBBETT PARK SCHOOL

EXCELLENCE, PRIDE & SPIRIT



# **HEADS UP - Things you need to know...**

QUEENS BIRTHDAY - Monday 6th MAY - SCHOOL IS CLOSED on this day

#### Absences from school

If you child is away there are a number of ways to let us know:

- 1. The ABSENCE tab via the SkoolLoop App
- 2. The school office via phone or email: admin@ebbettpark.school.nz, 068789599.
- 3. Emailing directly to the classroom teacher.

When informing us of absences please **be specific about the reason for the absence** as this allows us to record the absence appropriately and report to the Ministry of Education and Ministry of Health.

#### **New School Playground**

We are in the fortunate position to be having two new classrooms built at the end of the year and alongside this a **NEW PLAYGROUND**. We have 3 designs that we would like **your feedback** on. The three designs will be displayed outside the school office for you to check out. Paper will be provided to cast a vote of your preference as well as make comments. **Please do this before the 10th May.** 

PRIDE Kaha

SPIRIT Mana



#### 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

#### 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.



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#### Change in Staffing

Ebbett Park School have been fortunate enough to be offered a wonder opportunity that requires a staff member to be released 4 out of 5 days a week to take part in Structured Literacy Professional Development that will benefit our year 4-6 learners.

Having considered this very carefully Mr Dufty and Ms Medlicott agree that this is an opportunity not to be missed.

Therefore, after a great deal of consideration, Mr Dufty will be released from his classroom teaching position in room 5 for the rest of the 2022 academic year Ms Tokoar will remain in room 5 as the classroom teacher.

#### WHAT HAS BEEN HAPPENING

#### Kia Whakatau te Hauroa Session

On Friday afternoon the whole school came together to participate in a 'Healthy Active Learning' session. This saw students and teachers actively

participating in activities ranging from team challenges, Yoga, Gymnastics, Art, Traditional Māori games and loose play.

The tamariki had a ball, the teachers relived their youth and everyone had a wonderful end to the week.



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#### **SPORTS RESULTS**

Netball Results for last week: Round 2

Ebbett Park Mana played Raureka and **WON** 12:1. Player of the day was Stylee and Most Improved was Sophia

Ebbett Park Matatau played Mayfair Manawaroa and **LOST** 3:5. Player of the day was Rhythm and Most Improved was Manaia.

Ebbett Park Kaha had a BYE.



# Positive Behaviour 4Learning

#### Our Week 5 PB4L Focus is:

#### USING OUR WITS

We are revisiting this focus from last week to support those that were away and because it is an important management strategy to ensure issues do not escalate.

While **Walking away** and **Ignore** is something tamariki do well it is important to **Talk** and **Seek help** also.

Please talk with your tamariki and find out who they trust at school and who they would talk with if they had issues or concerns.









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#### Our Week 4 PB4L Classroom VIPs:



Room 5: Max

#### Our Week 4 CLASSROOM CHAMPIONS.



Room 7: For listening to instructions and being focussed on learning.



Room 5: Taleah: For helping others and putting great effort into her writing.

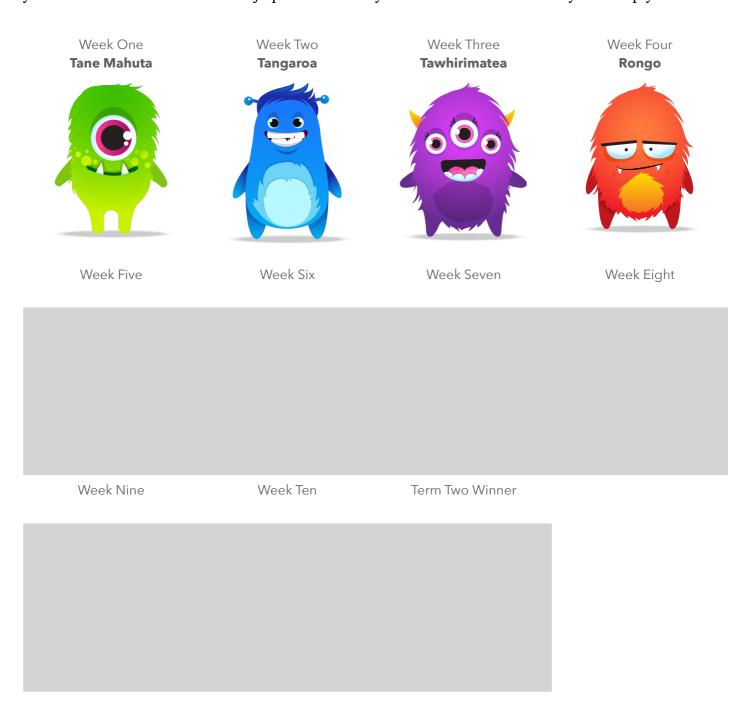


Sorry for the missing photos but due to absences they were not able to be taken.



## Our Term Two Classdojo Leaderboard.

Each week our students are busy showing off their awesomeness and earning Classdojo points. As a parent you can also see how many points they are getting and what they are getting their points for. If you are not connected to Classdojo please contact your child's teacher and they will help you.



#### SPORTS DRAWS FOR THE WEEK

#### Netball

#### This Week:

The Year 5/6 game will be played at LUNCHTIME on THURSDAY this week. Sorry but this does mean no spectators.

Year 3/4 Netball	Team 1	Team 2	Playing at
Week 5: Round 3	Raureka Blue	St Joes Rima	Raureka
Wednesday 1st June	Ebbett Park Mana	Mayfair Whakaute	Ebbett Park
Year 5/6 Netball	Team 1	Team 2	Playing at
Week 5: Round 3	Peterhead Pulse	Raureka Black	Peterhead
Thursday 2nd June	St Matts	St Joes Wha	St Joes
	Mayfair Manawaroa	St Joes Toru	Mayfair
	Ebbett Park Kaha	Ebbett Park Matatau	Ebbett Park

#### **Next Week:**

Year 3/4 Netball	Team 1	Team 2	Playing at
Week 6: Round 4	Ebbett Park Mana	St Joes Rima	Ebbett Park
Wednesday 8th June	Mayfair Whakaute	Raureka Blue	Mayfair
Year 5/6 Netball	Team 1	Team 2	Playing at
Week 6: Round 4	St Joes Toru	Ebbett Park Kaha	Ebbett Park
Thursday 9th June	St Joes Wha	Mayfair Manawaroa	St Joes
	Raureka Black	St Matts	Raureka
	Raureka White	Peterhead Pulse	Peterhead

#### **School Uniform**

Please ring the office to organise your child's new uniform.



#### **Shirt**

\$40.50





#### **Shorts**

\$40.50



#### **Sweatshirt**

Without student name \$70

With student name \$75

# CALENDAR: 2022

#### **TERM One**

Week 5: Monday 30th; Samoan Language Week

May/June Tuesday 31st: Reading Together Programme session 3

of 3

Week 6:

June Tuesday 8th: Road Patrol Refresher - Southland Road, Mobile Ear Clinic in

Week 7: Monday 13th: Friday 17th: IEP WEEK - appointments will be booked shortly

June Tuesday 14th: School photos between 9am -12pm held at school

Monday 6th: QUEENS BIRTHDAY - school is closed.

Week 8: Monday 20th - Thursday 24th: Matariki Focus Week

June Thursday 23rd: Board of Trustees meeting, 6.15pm at Ebbett Park School.

Friday 24th: MATARIKI PUBLIC HOLIDAY (the very first) - school is closed.

Week 9: Monday 27th June - Friday 1st July

June/July Friday 1st: Kia Whakatau te Hauora (Healthy Active Learning Day session 2 of 2)

Week 10: Friday 8th: Last Day of Term (finish time as per normal day) mid year reports home July.

Term 3 begins on Monday 25th July, 2022
This will be a day of 3-way conference - booking via
Skool loop (more details to come)
Full school back on Tuesday 26th July.



# Ebbett Park School Contact List

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