

TERM THREE

WEEK 3 MONDAY 31ST JULY

2023

EBBETT PARK SCHOOL

EXCELLENCE, PRIDE & SPIRIT



Principal Message

As the term goes moves ahead we will slowly see the building progress even further. We are expecting to have access to the new classrooms around the middle of this term. This will mean that that classroom block behind the hall will be removed during the term 3 and 4 holiday period. Once these are removed we can progress ahead with the build of the new playground. I know that these building projects have, and will, take the rest of the year to complete but the excitement is in watching the progress and then celebrating the final outcome. We are looking forward to having a community celebration and officially opening the new spaces so watch this space for the official invitation to join in our celebration.

On another note, I apologise for the late notice but the Ebbett Park School staff will be involved in a Professional Development day on **Friday 18th August**. Therefore, this will be a **TEACHER ONLY DAY**. Students will not be at school this day and will have a long weekend. Please ensure you make the appropriate arrangements for care of your tamariki for this day.

Kai Whakatau Te Hauora



On Friday we held our first Kia Whakatau Te Hauora afternoon for Term 3. There was a huge range of activities for our students to explore. Some of the activities students were involved in were learning to knit, playing Minecraft, colouring in, sensorial play activities, card making, gardening and a cultural group.



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

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Seesaw

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Celebrating Successes

Classroom Champions Week 2



Congratulations to these amazing students who all show awesome excellence, pride and spirit in and around our classrooms. Well done Rowena, Asher, Tiara-Vai, Lachlan, Vallarissa, Jo, Ave, Cascade and Kody.

Values VIPs Week 2

Congratulations to these students who continue to show PB4L focus: Poppy and Faaea.



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Week 3 Sports Results and Awards

NETBALL

EPS Mana game was cancelled due to bad weather

EPS Kaha and EPS Matatau were all set to play but as the games started the rain game down and the decision was made to cancel the game for safety and health reasons. I totally supported these decisions and applauded them for being made.

Here is hoping that the weather this week allows games to take place.

Girls' and Boys' FOOTBALL

Girls - player of the day was Nevaeh Brightwell

Boys - player of the day was Flynn Julian



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Coming Events

Self-Defence Programme: Y3-6 Girls

Last next week we had our girls Year 5 and 6 girls taking part in a self-Defence programme. This week our Year 3 and 4 girls took part today, Monday 31st July.

YEAR 6 Learners - Intermediate School

Our Year 6 learners will be involved in visiting our local Intermediate School's in anticipation for their transition next year. Details about visits and open days can be found in the school newsletters and on our various school apps and social media accounts.

This can be a nervous time for these tamariki and to lessen the stress it is important for whānau to start this conversation early and be part of the process. Enrolment information can be sought directly from the Intermediate Schools.

Please remember we are here to support this transition so feel free to come in and chat with Mr Dufty and/or Ms Medicott if you have any questions or need support.

Values Focus for this Week: Week 2

This week we are developing our understanding about 'CONFLICT' and how to manage conflict is the best possible way.



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Things to Remember

Netball Draw for this Week: Week 3

Wednesday 2nd August

EPS Mana is playing St Joseph's Tactix at **EBBETT PARK**

Thursday 3rd August

EPS Kaha is playing St Joseph's Steel at **ST JOSEPH'S**

EPS Matatau is playing St Joseph's Magic at **EBBETT PARK**

These are the games that were due to be played last week but did not take pace due to the weather.

Year 5/6 Football Week 3

Starts this week. *Please noticed the new time for the girls team.* Students will need to be transported to Frimley Park (parking is on Lyndhurst Road) and collected after their games. We will have practices during school time.

Girl's Game. (Mr Dufty). Ebbett Park School Girls vs Lucknow. Field 3. **4:05pm**

Boy's Game. (Whaea Kelly). Ebbett Park School Boys vs Parkvale. Field 1. **3:30pm**

Ebbett Park School

invites you to attend



Te kura o Epata Kapa haka Practice Performance

This is an invitaion for all whanau and community members to attend as an audience to provide our performers with an opportunity to practice our skills before competition.



Thursday 3rd of August
12.00pm start
Please arrive @ 11.45 to be seated.



Ebbett Park School Hall
(please enter via wall road only)

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Positive Behaviour 4 LEARNING



Term 3 House Results

Our Term Three Classdojo Leaderboard

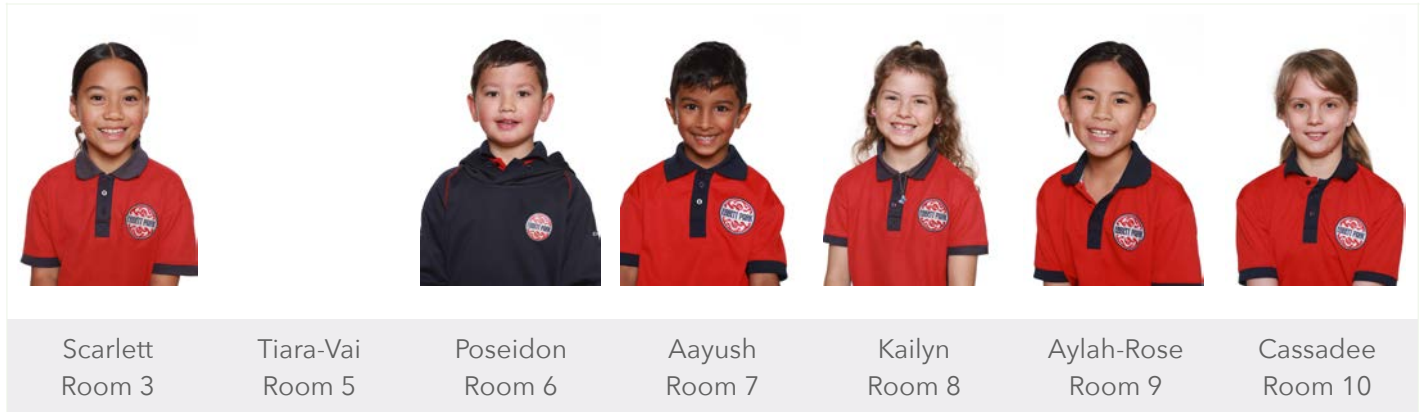
Each week our students are busy showing off their awesomeness and earning Classdojo points. As a parent you can also see how many points they are getting and what they are getting their points for. If you are not connected to Classdojo please contact your child's teacher and they will help you.

Week One	Week Two	Week Three	Week Four
TANE MAHUTA	TANE MAHUTA		
			
Week Five	Week Six	Week Seven	Week Eight
Week Nine	Week Ten	Term Three Winner	



Our Classdojo Champions - Week 2

These students earned the most Classdojo points in their classroom during the week.



Celebrating Student Success

Congratulations to Grayson who had a VERY successful Club Champs Dance competition during the weekend. He won 2 divisions and 3rd in his other division. He walked out with more awards than anyone else. Thea also competed and performed incredibly well too. Who knew we had such amazing talent at EPS! Well done to you both and to Grayson's dance partner Imogene Kernaghan.



EBBETT PARK SCHOOL

TERM THREE CALENDAR



TERM 3 DATES:

MONDAY 17TH JULY - FRIDAY 22ND SEPTEMBER

WEEK	MON.	TUE.	WED.	THURS.	FRI.
1. 17 July - 21 July	17 JULY TERM 3 BEGINS	18 JULY	19 JULY	20 JULY	21 JULY SCHOOL ASSEMBLY @ 1.45PM
2. 24 July - 28 July	24 JULY SELF-DEFENCE Y5/6 GIRLS	25 JULY	26 JULY YEAR 3/4 POI TOA SESSION 1/3 @10AM	27 JULY YEAR 3/4 POI TOA SESSIONS 2/3 @9AM, 3/3 @10AM READING PIZZA PARTY 12PM	28 JULY OLYMPIC AMBASSADOR 11.30AM FOR YEAR 5/6 LEARNERS KIA WHAKATAU TE HAUORA 1.30PM
3. 31 July - 4 Aug	31 JULY SELF-DEFENCE Y3/4 GIRLS HASTINGS INTERMEDIATE WITH Y6 @1.30PM COOK ISLAND MĀORI WEEK	1 AUG. COOK ISLAND MĀORI WEEK	2 AUG. COOK ISLAND MĀORI WEEK	3 AUG. BOT MEETING #5 @5.30PM COOK ISLAND MĀORI WEEK	4 AUG SCHOOL ASSEMBLY @ 1.45PM COOK ISLAND MĀORI WEEK
4. 7 Aug - 11 Aug	7 AUG	8 AUG	9 AUG YEAR 6 VISITING HASTINGS INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL (FULL DAY)	10 AUG	11 AUG KIA WHAKATAU TE HAUORA 1.30PM
5. 14 Aug - 18 Aug	14 AUG YEAR 6 VISITING HERETAUNGA INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL (FULL DAY)	15 AUG	16 AUG	17 AUG BOT: KAUWAKA GOVERNANCE HUI #4 6-8PM	18 AUG SCHOOL ASSEMBLY @ 1.45PM HOUSE CHALLENGE: KAPA HAKA COMPETITION
6. 21 Aug - 25 Aug	21 AUG DUFFY THEATRE @ EPS. 11.30AM IN THE HALL	22 AUG	23 AUG	24 AUG HASTINGS INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL OPEN EVENING 6 - 7.30PM	25 AUG KIA WHAKATAU TE HAUORA 1.30PM
7. 28 Aug - 1 Sept	28 AUG TERM 3 IEP WEEK	29 AUG TERM 3 IEP WEEK	30 AUG TERM 3 IEP WEEK	31 AUG TERM 23IEP WEEK	1 SEPT SCHOOL ASSEMBLY @ 1.45PM TERM 3 IEP WEEK
8. 4 Sept - 8 Sept	4 SEPT	5 SEPT BIG BROTHER BIG SISTER DRESS UP DAY- GOLD COIN	6 SEPT INTER-SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY	7 SEPT INTER-SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY POSTPONEMENT DATE BOT MEETING #6@5.30PM	8 SEPT KIA WHAKATAU TE HAUORA 1.30PM
9. 11 Sept - 15 Sept	11 SEPT TE WIKI O TE PEO MĀORI	12 SEPT TE WIKI O TE PEO MĀORI	13 SEPT WACKY HAIR DAY (CHILD CANCER) - GOLD COIN INTER- KAHUI SPEECH COMP. TE WIKI O TE PEO MĀORI	14 SEPT TE WIKI O TE PEO MĀORI	15 SEPT SCHOOL ASSEMBLY @ 1.45PM HOUSE CHALLENGE: CROSS COUNTRY COMP. TE WIKI O TE PEO MĀORI
10. 18 Sept - 22 Sept	18 SEPT BOOK WEEK	19 SEPT BOOK WEEK	20 SEPT BOOK WEEK	21 SEPT BOOK WEEK	22 SEPT TERM 2 ENDS BOOK WEEK CELEBRATION DAY BOOK WEEK

TERM 4 DATES:

MONDAY 6TH OCTOBER - FRIDAY 15TH DECEMBER (12.30PM FINISH)

Public Notices

FREE!
hands-on creative fun
for the whole whānau
5 AUGUST 2023

**PAINTING,
LEGO, CRAFT, CLAY,
PRINT MAKING
AND MORE...**

RECREATE PLAY

RECREATE is a week-long event designed to revive and rejuvenate the Hawke's Bay community by sparking creativity, encouraging connection, and enhancing wellbeing.

For more info
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Artists, creators, and peaceful practitioners are being gathered to be part of this opportunity and offer a unique interactive experience to our community. The event is free to the public and will take place in 2 parts:

5 August 23 | RECREATE PLAY

RECREATE PLAY is a family fun day at the Hastings Sports Centre, Railway Road. A range of interactive zones and exhibits will be set up to enable as many people as possible to explore their creativity, take time out, have fun, and PLAY. It will run from 10am - 4pm.

These are HANDS-ON spaces where participants are guided through all manners of makings - playing with clay, painting, printmaking, crafting, lego and more. Every activity will be suitable for all ages to encourage whānau to create together - this is stay and play event!

There will also be a range of live 'exhibits' where artists and creators will ply their trade so people can learn about different types of creativity and be inspired by the process.

7-11 August 23 | RECREATE PEACE

The second part of the event will be a range of sessions at the Heretaunga Women's Centre with a wellbeing and self-care emphasis. The special week of RECREATE PEACE events will include yoga, mindfulness, tai chi, rongoā rākau, breath work, and more. These are opportunities for women to take time out, refresh, learn skills and increase capabilities.

FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK

In the lead up to the event, everything you need to know will be found on our [Facebook page](#). Follow us there, we'll be continually updating with profiles on the creators, showcasing the different activities on offer, and all other insider information.

Who are we?

The Heretaunga Women's Centre is all about sharing skills and strengths to provide women with resources to take responsibility for their own wellbeing. We have partnered with Sharleen Bailey as Event Organiser to bring RECREATE to the wider community. Sharleen's passion is to help EVERYONE connect with their creative genius. She specialises in creativity & mindset coaching with government, corporate and community clients.

Contact

Sharleen Bailey ph 022 341 7605 or email hello@sharleenbailey.com
Amanda Meynell ph 878 5401 or email managerehwcc.nz



RECREATE : rēk'rē-āt'

To impart fresh life to; refresh mentally or physically.
To take recreation.

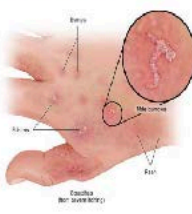
Well-Being Information

Scabies

July 2023

In the last few weeks, there has been an increase in Scabies within Hawke's Bay. Below is some information regarding scabies, how to reduce spread and when to seek support.

What is Scabies?



Scabies is a highly contagious skin infestation that is spread by skin-to-skin contact. It can also be transferred via clothing and bedding. It is caused by tiny insects that "burrow" under the skin, laying eggs as they go. It can take 3-6 weeks from getting scabies before you notice a rash or itch.

Sometimes you can see the mite burrows and small nodules surrounded by red patches. It is very itchy (especially at night or when warm) and can cause more serious infections if left untreated. Scabies may also make kids existing skin conditions worse.

Scabies like to lay eggs in all the warm body areas, including the wrist, between fingers, armpits, knees, and groin.

Treatment and Prevention:

- Scabies will NOT go away without treatment. All household members should be treated at the same time (even those who are not itchy).
- See your Pharmacist, Primary Care provider, or contact your school or ECEC/TKR Public Health nurse to be assessed and get treatment.
- It is very important to follow all the treatment and washing instructions given to you.
- Keep fingernails short and follow healthy food and hygiene practices to prevent things from getting worse.
- Kids can return to School, or ECEC/TKR at least one day after starting treatment.
- The Itch may last for many weeks, even after successful treatment.

More Information

<https://healthify.nz/health-a-z/s/scabies/>

Sleep Training

info@sleepharmony.co.nz
www.sleepharmony.co.nz

If you have families who are constantly arriving late for school it may mean that they are struggling with sleep routines. The calm morning routine can cause stress and tension for all involved. This is especially true for children who are carefree. Parents may not realize that the morning chaos often stems from a lack of quality sleep.

Over time the constant sleep deprivation and stress for the parents and children becomes exhausting which may leave a heavy on effort during the day. Sleep deprivation can cause them to have lower immunity, take more sick days, be less productive, be disruptive, hyperactive or withdrawn and have constant brain fog.

I am reaching out to you today, to let you know about the service that I offer in case this can be of use to your families. My name is Clare and I am a Paediatric Sleep Consultant based locally in Kaitiaki. I am the owner and director of Sleep-Harmony NZ Ltd. The aim of my business is to support families with their child's sleep struggles so that no-one else is struggling.

I offer one off 30 min Sleep Chats for parents to ask questions and trouble shoot sleep concerns for children who are already able to self settle and have previously been good sleepers.

Or for children who have never slept well I have Comprehensive phone consults which include an emailed intake form. I hour phone call to discuss what is currently happening and find out what has been tried in the past, we talk about parenting styles, then decide on personalized sleep-training approach. I follow up with written step by step sleep plan, access to a sleep log and 2 weeks of unlimited support through text message or email.

I am not sure if you offer your staff any well-being incentives as part of their employment will you, but would like to let you know that I am happy to work with you to create an employment sleep consulting package should this be something of interest. Alternatively I would love it if you could put something in your newsletter, or put a poster up somewhere for staff and families to see.

My current ratecard:
\$30 Sleep-Chat
\$250 Phone Consult
If you have any questions please don't hesitate to reach out. I can be contacted at 02965527.

All the best,
Clare Taylor
Director/Sleep Consultant



Are you needing a bit of help and support?
Find out more on our website for more information



Have a chat to a qualified Paediatric Sleep Consultant today

- Sleep training
- Sleep diary
- Parenting data
- Bedtime
- New sleep resources

Free to book, written, phone and text packages available

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Is it hard to get your child to school on time?

Most children are chronically overtired which can mean that they are hard to wake, slow moving grumpy and unmotivated in the mornings. This often means that mornings are stressful for everyone, they are late to school and you are late to work.

Turn this around and make mornings easier for your family by prioritising sleep.

Book in for a call with a qualified sleep consultant who specialises in sleep for 0-13 year olds

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