



IMPORTANT UPCOMING EVENTS

| 18 December 12.45pm | Classes finish for 2024 today |
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| 30 + 31 January | Staff call back days |
| 31 January 1.30 - 2.30pm | Informal 'meet and greet' in classrooms. Bring your stationery and sunhat, and come and say 'hi' to the teaching team |
| Monday 3 February 8.50am | School opens for 2025 - day 1 of Term 1 |
| Thursday 6th February | PUBLIC HOLIDAY - Waitangi Day. SCHOOL IS CLOSED |
| Thursday 13th February 5.00pm - 6.30pm | Pool party! Come along and enjoy a relaxed time that gives the opportunity to chat with other whānau and staff. The pool will be open for the tamariki to have a dip and there will be a sausage sizzle and nachos for an easy dinner. |
| 18 February 5.30pm | Board meeting, held in the staffroom |
| 24 - 28 February | EOTC week. This is a week of celebrating learning outside the classroom. Friday 28th is our whole school BIG DAY OUT and we will be asking for lots of whānau support. Please consider putting this day aside to help if you can. |

18 December 2024

Kia ora e te whānau Just a few final reminders this week.

Thank you so much to everyone who has supported the kete 'end of year' celebrations. For some of you it has been with shared kai, others have given their time to support outings. We really do appreciate the support that we receive from so many of you. Ka pai.

Please check that all tamariki have the correct school uniform for the start of 2025. This includes black or brown footwear, and in Terms 1 and 4 - the regulation navy blue bucket hat.

Please pack togs, towel (goggles if required) and rashtops in a waterproof bag daily. We try to swim as often as possible in February and early March - this is usually the most settled weather and therefore gives us the best opportunity to teach water safety and swimming skills.

Meri Kirihimete -wishing everyone a safe and fun-filled summer break. I hope everyone gets to spend some quality time with the people who mean the most to you.

We look forward to seeing refreshed ākonga streaming into the kura from 8.30am on Monday 3rd February. (please remember to pop into your kete between 1.30 and 2.30pm on Friday 31 January to drop in stationery and say hello to the 2025 teaching team).

Ngā mihi nui Lin Dixon Tumuaki