



Southbrook School Newsletter

TERM 3, WEEK 4, 2024

Kia ora Southbrook whānau,

What a marvellous end to the Olympic Games! It is so lovely to see New Zealanders aiming high and reaching success. At Southbrook we are working hard and enjoying the many opportunities offered at our school.

Coming up...

- Ngahere swimming all week
- 21st August - Christchurch Cantamaths Competition
- 22nd August - Mufti Day (for Waikuku Firefighters)
- 23rd August - Staff Only Day

Have a lovely week!

Ngā mihi nui,
Holly Marsh
Acting Deputy Principal

A wee reminder...



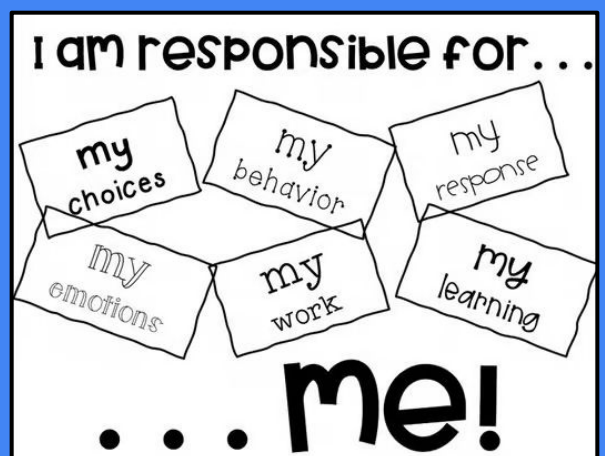
Drop Off Zone - the hatched area on the school side of Marshall Street (see photo above) is a quick drop off / pick up zone only. Please do not park and leave your vehicle unattended.

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This week we are continuing to build on our theme of “I am responsible for me”.

In the learning spaces, ākonga will continue to look at how they are only responsible for managing themselves. They will also look at their daily responsibilities and what the teacher is responsible for in the school setting.

Congratulations to Ryley, Izzy, Cillian, Caius and Victoria who have been displaying responsibility in their learning space!





THIS WEEK'S KETE KIDS



TEOTEO



Maddie, we have been delighted to see your confidence blossom since you joined Teoteo. You impress us with your creativity and attention to detail. You always make sure you produce work of a high standard, which reflects your best effort. We appreciate your helpfulness, respect and kindness that you show to your Kaiako and peers. Be proud of your growing Kete.

NGĀ MANU
NUI



Ava, what a treasure you are. We love the enthusiasm you show for your learning and motivation to achieve. You are growing your Knowledge Kete in leaps and bounds. Thank you for being such a thoughtful and kind friend in our learning space. You are a wonderful role model for others and we are so proud of the many ways you challenge yourself. We are excited to see where this will continue to take you. Keep being amazing, Ava!

NGAHERE



Carter, what a treasure you are! We love the positive attitude that you come to school with each and every day and have oodles of respect for those around you. You are starting to come out of your shell more and we enjoy the humour and kindness that you bring to our Learning Space. You are a great self-manager and are always ready to learn, setting a quiet example to those around you. He whetū koe e hoa!

TE AWA



James, you are an absolute gem in Te Awa. We love your positive attitude and thoughtful ideas. You show outstanding responsibility in all areas of our kura. We appreciate having somebody like you to lead the way in Te Awa. Keep being your incredible self, James!

AORAKI



Gracie, you spread light wherever you go. We love seeing you surrounded by your little friends - you are so kind and caring to others. You are generous in so many ways, with your things and your time. We enjoy your conversations. Keep being amazing. We value you so much!

MILO SUPERSTARS



The following students were lucky to share a milo with the lovely Mrs Wells on Friday: Joseph, Luther, Lexi, Alexander, Hiyori, Skyla, Anita and Lacy. Thank you for all your efforts team!

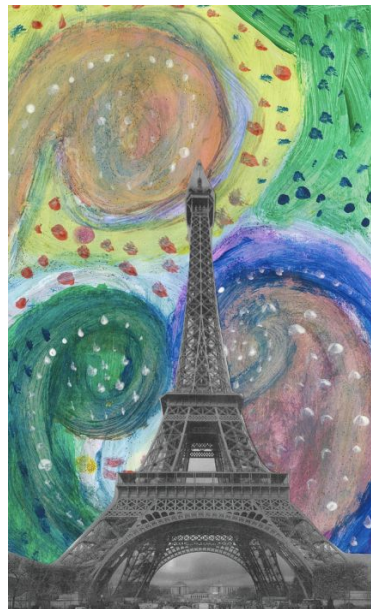
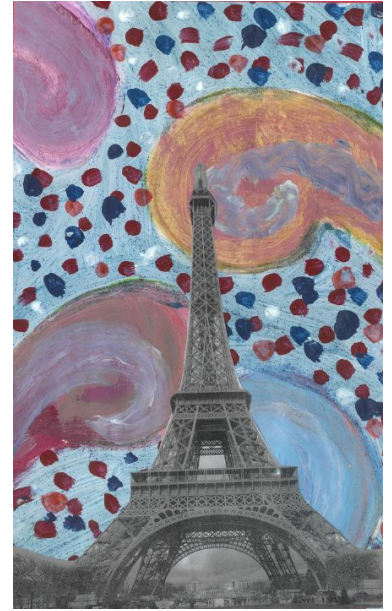
SCHOOL UNIFORM

Southbrook School uniform is available through:

southbrookscool@impakt.co.nz



SPOTLIGHT ON TE AWA



Te Awa have enjoyed learning about the 2024 Paris Olympic Games. Here is some art they have completed that is inspired by this event. Looks terrific Te Awa!



A Message From Your School Board

Kia ora Koutou!

The board had their first meeting of the third term on the 7th of August. We are thrilled to share that most of our kaiako (teachers) and board members took part in an exciting one-day workshop focused on Ngāi Tūāhuriri: Tuahiwi and Takiwā. This workshop was an incredible opportunity for us to learn more about local histories, mahimahi, marae etiquette, the Kaiapoi Pā and more. The workshop was both educational and inspiring, providing valuable insights into our local history and culture. We are very thankful to the hosts for their time and effort in making this learning experience so meaningful. It was a day full of exploration and growth, and we are excited to see how this new knowledge will enrich our school community.

We are excited to welcome Julian Towle, our new kaiako (teacher), who joined us at the start of Term 3. Our tamariki are already enjoying his love for soccer and energetic approach to teaching!

The board discussed the importance of whānau contributions to the PTA. Joining the PTA is a valuable way to support our school and tamariki, get involved in fundraising, and better understand our students' needs. Your participation helps create a supportive and enriched environment. The PTA is made up of whānau, kaiako (teachers), and board members. We encourage and welcome you to come along to the next meeting on the 3rd of September at 5:30 pm.

Stacey Moore
Parent Rep

Southbrook Superstar



MRS CURRIE

We love the days when Mrs Currie, our Learning Support Coordinator, is on site! She is our amazing liaison who puts all the parts of the puzzle together to ensure all our students have access to the services they need. Her creativity and passion for the arts is also a strength and her office always has many creations on the go. Thank you for being a Southbrook Superstar, Mrs Currie!

Listening to families

Listening to Families videos provide answers to everyday questions about health and wellbeing challenges facing children and adolescents. The questions the videos answer are real - they come directly from families. The answers are provided by trusted specialists. Click on the links to view the videos.

ADHD – PARENT PROGRAMME

<https://www.listeningtofamilies.co.nz/adhd/parent-education>

Hania Wagenvoort - Social worker, Jan Hassan-Educational Psychologist and Christchurch Methodist Mission talk about the ADHD Parent programme.

ALLERGIES & ANAPHYLAXIS

<https://www.listeningtofamilies.co.nz/allergies-and-anaphylaxis>

Aimee Mackey-Clinical Nurse Specialist in Eczema/Allergy and Emily Templeton-Public Health Nurse, answer questions.

COELIAC

<https://www.listeningtofamilies.co.nz/coeliac-disease/a-conversation-with-dietitians>

Anna Richards-Dietitian and Sophie Hall- Paediatric dietitian, have a conversation about coeliac disease.

ECZEMA

<https://www.listeningtofamilies.co.nz/eczema>

Aimee Mackey - Clinical Nurse Specialist in Eczema/Allergy, answers families questions.



HOUSE OF BRICKS LTD ALONGSIDE SOUTHBROOK SCHOOL ARE PROUD TO PRESENT

A BRICK BUILDING CREATIVE FUNDRAISER

Join LEGO® Masters NZ contestants Rachel or Sarah for an exciting creative session!

Build a sculpture. Design a boat or your dream home. Make some art. There is no limit to what you could build with an exciting arrangement of 100,000+ bricks!!!

THURSDAY 29 AUGUST
9.15 – 10.30 YEAR 1 – 4
11.00 – 12.30 YEAR 5 – 8

\$5 per student
Max 160 tickets per session

**BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL
BOOK AT THE SCHOOL OFFICE**

ENVIRO FUNDRAISER



Baby Strawberry Plants For Sale (CORRECT CASH ONLY)

Term 3, Week 3-5: six packs \$5 each

Can pre-order on form provided beside the plants in the school office or email:

lynley.sollitt@southbrook.school.nz

Only 24 six packs available
(to be picked up from school)

Note that vege packs etc will be available early September.



SOUTHBROOK SCHOOL PTA NEEDS YOU!

DID YOU KNOW THE PTA PROVIDES:

- TEACHER & STAFF SUPPORT**
- SCHOOL UPGRADES**
- STUDENT RESOURCES**
- SCHOOL EVENTS**
- FUN FUNDRAISING LUNCHES**

**...AND THEY CAN'T CONTINUE
TO DO IT WITHOUT YOUR HELP!**

**NEXT MEETING: TUESDAY 3RD
SEPT 5.30PM IN THE STAFFROOM**

MUFTI DAY



Thursday 22nd August



Gold coin donation



Fundraising for the Waikuku Firefighters to participate in the 2024 Sky City Memorial Stair Climb. The money they raise will be split between the NZ Firefighters Welfare Society and the 911 Firefighters Memorial Museum.



Kapa Haka Festival

Te Kura o Tuahiwi
Presents:



**KA MATAKURA O
RUATANIWHA**

**NORTH CANTERBURY
KAPA HAKA
CELEBRATION**

Thursday 19th September

9am - 12pm - Bishopdale, Clarkville, West Eyreton, Kaiapoi Borough Juniors, St Josephs, Te Kura o Hapuku, Northcote

12.30pm - 2pm
Kaiapoi North, Cust, Omihi/Waikari, Tuahiwi Teina, Southbrook, Waipara

2.30pm - 5pm
Loburn, Redwood, Woodend Juniors, Ōhoka, Tihiraki North Loburn, Rangiora Borough Juniors

5.30pm - 8.30pm
Tuahiwi Waenga and Tuakana, Amuri, Kaiapoi Borough Seniors, Woodend Seniors, Pegasus Tuakana, Rangiora Borough Seniors, Kaiapoi High, Rangiora High

Friday 20th September

9am - 12pm
St Patricks, Leithfield, Pegasus Teina, Te Matauru, Sefton, Ashgrove

12.00pm - 2.30pm
Swannanoa, Rangiora New Life, Oxford Area, Fernside, Ashley Rakahuri, Amberley

**Raffles, Sausage Sizzle,
Homemade Baking**

 **Contact Us**
03 3138521

 **More Information**
office@tuahiwi.school.nz



TICKETS ON SALE FROM 19TH AUGUST
[HTTPS://WWW.ITICKET.CO.NZ/](https://www.iticket.co.nz/)

\$12 PER TICKET

***BOOKING AND TRANSACTION FEES APPLY**



**19-20TH
SEPTEMBER**

**RANGIORA BAPTIST
CHURCH**

111 EAST BELT - RANGIORA



Southbrook School

Celebrating 150 Years



Please join us to celebrate
150 years of Southbrook School

1874 – 2024

Saturday 19th October 2024

Enquiries to:

jubilee@southbrook.school.nz

www.southbrookschooljubilee.com