



Southbrook School Newsletter

TERM 3, WEEK 6, 2024

Kia ora e te whānau,

The term seems to be whizzing past as we find ourselves in Week 6 already! What a lot we have accomplished over the first five weeks...our Whānau meetings, Winter Sports Tournament, Buddy Class afternoons, swimming lessons and Cantamaths Competitions. Add to that all the amazing learning that is happening daily in our teams, no wonder we are feeling a little tired!

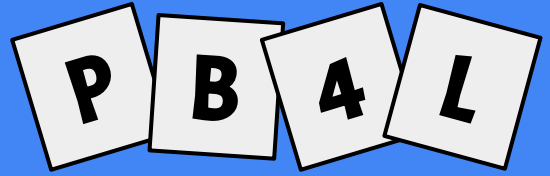
Today we have the Te Awa and Aoraki Poetry Finals. It is not easy to get up and present in front of an audience, but we are incredibly proud of all our ākonga who have taken on this challenge! We wish our finalists the best of luck today.

Coming up...

- 29th August - House of Bricks (9:15-10:30 am Years 1-4, 11-12:30 pm Years 5-8)
- 3 September - PTA Meeting @ 5:30 pm

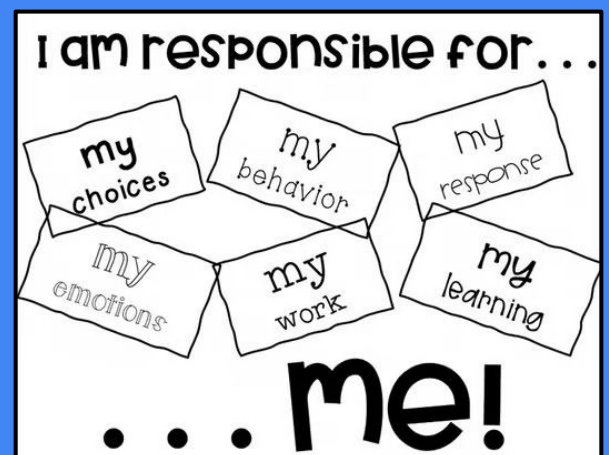
Have a marvellous week and enjoy the warmer weather!

Ngā mihi nui,
Holly Marsh
Acting Deputy Principal



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

In the learning spaces, ākonga will look at how they can be a good role model. They will identify what is needed when someone is dis-regulated and what would make it harder for people to calm down when in this state.





THIS WEEK'S KETE KIDS



TEOTEO



Hazel, we are so impressed with your increased confidence and your ability to ask great questions and clarify information. We appreciate your kind and helpful ways and how you always give your best in whatever you do. Thank you for being such a great Teoteo role model. We value you and are so glad you are part of Teoteo. Keep shining bright!

NGĀ MANU
NUI



Ashley, what a great term you are having! We love your inquisitive mind and insightful contributions you share with us in discussions. You are organised for your learning and manage yourself sensibly throughout the day. We are proud of your hard mahi you put into your learning. It is lovely to see you so willing to always step out of your comfort zone when trying new things and giving everything a go. Thank you also for being such a kind and thoughtful friend in our learning space. You are amazing!

NGAHERE



Jamie, we just love the way you have found your confidence to share with others and your cheeky sense of humour brings a smile to our faces. You are making great connections with those around you and participating in your learning groups. You show kindness and compassion to others and are a great friend to your mates.

TE AWA



Mikayla, you have such a positive attitude toward your learning. You are respectful to those around you, and look for the good in situations. We are enjoying seeing you mature and step-up as a leader this year in Te Awa. You are focused, responsible and have a strong work ethic. We are impressed with the effort and time you put into your learning and love having you as part of the Te Awa team!

AORAKI



Ashton, your positivity and sense of humour brighten up every room you walk into. Even when faced with challenges, you keep a smile on your face and lift others up. When you put your mind to your work, the quality you produce is outstanding! Keep showing us what you're capable of—you're a remarkable person!

MILO SUPERSTARS



Last Thursday Mrs Lindsay had the pleasure of sharing catching up with these superstars. Way to go team!

SCHOOL UNIFORM

Southbrook School uniform
is available through:

southbrookschool@impakt.co.nz



SPOTLIGHT ON TEOTEO



This term Teoteo have been focusing on what culture is, the uniqueness of each of us as individuals and sense of whānaungatanga that our wonderful diversity brings. They have been celebrating culture through their literacy, sculpture and dance. Yesterday they shared this learning with whānau. Keep up the awesome mahi Teoteo!



REAL TIME REPORTING

This term, by Week 9, you will receive an up to date report for your child in regard to their Character and Relationship Kete. These reports are posted on Seesaw.

Last week's mufti day raised \$298 for the Waikuku Fire Fighters. A big thank you to the Head Students for organising this event.



A HUGE congratulations to Jono who has been selected to represent Canterbury in trampoline sports at the upcoming NZ National Gymnastics Championships being held in Palmerston North in October. It's terrific to see his hard work paying off. We wish him all the best of luck!

Southbrook Superstar



MRS LUBBERS

Mrs Lubbers has many talents and we are lucky to have her as a member of the Southbrook Team. Her passion for The Arts, in particular, enables our ākonga to have fabulous opportunities to explore this curriculum area. On Fridays Mrs Lubbers takes a variety of groups where they have fun as they sing, dance, act, create music and perform. Thank you for sharing your wealth of knowledge with us!

Calling all cupcake makers!



Southbrook School Cupcake Design



Thursday 5th September

\$3 to decorate a
vanilla cupcake!



Order forms in the office
(to be in by 30th August)



TICKETS NOW ON SALE!

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**
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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.southbrookschoolljubilee.com



Big Brothers Big Sisters
of North Canterbury
Tuakana Teina

Tickets \$35
available online
HUMANITIX

PRESENTS

THE BIG

A FUNDRAISER
28 SEPT, 2024

VARIETY

7PM, RANGIORA
BAPTIST CHURCH

SHOW

WITH TALENT FROM
NORTH CANTERBURY

