



## School Newsletter Term 1 Week 10 2025

*Kia ora Koutou.*

*Today our Te Awa team are having their term celebration day offsite. They are off for a beach walk and then to QE11 to have more fun.*

*Last Wednesday our Ngahere team had a day offsite at Main Power Oval at the Sport Spectacular! It was a big day for everyone, however they all had heaps of fun.*



*Celebrating Southbrook Superstars...*

*Our Student leaders have been shining this term -*






*Our Head Students have organised the Easter raffles - there are 8 amazing gift baskets to win. Prizes are drawn on 8 April. If you would like to sell more tickets, please pop into school and see Kerry.*

*Last Friday our Student Council organised a 'Colour Your Day', raising money for Ē Tū Tāngata. Together we raised \$250*



*Next Monday our House Captains have organised our House Day competition. We are proud of all the mahi our student leaders are leading*



TEOTEO		<i>Ryder, you are a kind, respectful and enthusiastic learner. You have grown so much in your confidence when it comes to sharing your ideas. Your Curiosity and Love of Learning means that you are always adding new skills to your Knowledge Kete. Your Teoteo friends value you for your sense of fun and empathetic nature. Tau kē koe!</i>
NGĀ MANU NUI		<i>Finn, we appreciate your kind and empathetic nature. Thank you for always volunteering to help your peers and teachers. During your learning you are always super engaged and ask questions to gain more knowledge, this is seeing you constantly add to your kete. Keep shining bright!</i>
NGAHERE		<i>Lila, we have loved seeing your increased focus and confidence and how you are willing to give anything a go! You are more focused during learning time and are making the most of your learning opportunities. We love the contributions you offer in group discussions and the respect that you are showing to others. Keep up the amazing efforts Lila.</i>
TE AWA		<i>Charlotte, you are an absolute role model in Te Awa. Your kind character shines through everyday. You have fantastic work ethic and produce wonderful mahi. You are a reliable and responsible student that we can trust. Keep being you!</i>
AORAKI		<i>Zach, we love how you check in with us every morning when you arrive at school and we appreciate the calmness you bring to our space. You are always respectful and have a natural kindness that doesn't need the spotlight. You work hard and the focus you give to your learning is unmatched. Keep being you, we think you're great!</i>

*Reminders...*

- *Swimming continues this week for Teoteo & Ngā Manu Nui*
- *Aoraki have their celebration day this Friday*
- *Term 1 finishes next Friday. Our End of term assembly is on Friday 11th April at 1:45. All welcome*

*Ngā mihi nui  
Julie*

*Southbrook Superstars...*  
*Milo Superstars from Week 9*



*Kids do well if they can!*

*Other Notices...*

Keeping Ourselves Safe notice was emailed home to every school family on Monday.  
A parent's information meeting facilitated by Constable Ken Terry will be held as follows:

Date: Wednesday 30 April

Time: 9am

Venue: Southbrook School Staffroom

Please let the office know if you would like to attend.

School Swimming Pool Keys

Please return swimming pool keys to the office ASAP - many thanks

School Uniform

Southbrook School uniform is available through: [southbrookschool@impakt.co.nz](mailto:southbrookschool@impakt.co.nz)





presents an evening with

# JAKE BAILEY

Jake Bailey is an internationally acclaimed educator on resilience, the youngest #1 bestselling author in New Zealand history, and as a Commonwealth Study Conference alumnus has been recognised as one of the most promising emerging leaders across the commonwealth.



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Monday 7 April – 6PM

Tūtira Ashgrove School Hall

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Once in remission, Jake travelled the globe in search for answers around resilience and the skills needed to not only recover but grow from adversity.

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