

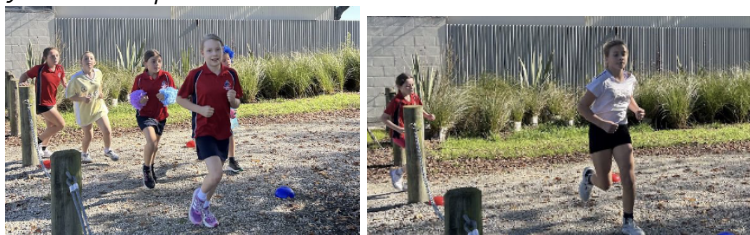


Southbrook School news & celebrations Term 2 Week 2

Kia ora Koutou

This term has begun so positively. It is fabulous to see so many of our tamariki showing kindness and respect for others by using kind words, holding doors open and just being amazing.

It was great to see our awesome Year 5-8 tamariki competing in the school cross country yesterday. Congratulations to everyone who qualified for the Rakahuri zones.



This term we will be reporting student progress for Reading, Writing and Mathematics through Hero. In Week 4, I will be posting important information to you about what assessment & reporting will look like.



A little something that may be helpful for your whānau - [Screen time](#)



*Ngā mihi nui
Julie*

Celebrating Southbrook Superstars...

Kete Kids this week - Tamariki who have been consistently adding to their Three Kete



TEATEO		<i>Tia, what a wonderful start to Term 2 you have had. We are impressed with your increased bravery. We love the confidence you are showing in Literacy and how you are sharing your knowledge. Your Relationships Kete is growing as you explore new friendships with Teoteo peers. Keep up the great mahi!</i>
NGĀ MANU NUI		<i>Riley, you are an asset to our Learning Space. You aspire to do your best in all that you do frequently creating high quality work that shows the depth you are adding to your Knowledge Kete. You treat everyone with kindness and respect which makes you a great friend to others. Thank you for being such a star in the Ngā Manu Nui team!</i>
NGĀHERE		<i>Hazel, you are a gem to have in Team Ngāhere! We are so proud of the way you follow our routines and expectations, and show respect to your peers and kaiako alike. We notice how hard you have been working to grow your three kete, especially in the way you approach new learning with enthusiasm. Keep on shining, Hazel!</i>

TEAMA		<p><i>Kaelin, we are so impressed with the care and thought you are putting into looking out for others, particularly those younger than you. Your empathetic nature and enthusiasm to be involved are both fabulous traits that see you being a positive role model within our school. Thank you for making a difference, you are amazing!</i></p>
ACAPAKI		<p><i>Louis, we have been so impressed with your attitude, respect, and work ethic so far this year. You have been working incredibly hard, and it is really showing in your results. Your positivity and kindness toward those around you make you a fantastic role model, and we feel privileged to have you in our school. Keep up the amazing work, Louis!</i></p>

More Superstars from Southbrook:

Milo Superstars for Week 1



And Tavian & Charlie!

Reminders:

- Year 5 - 8 Navigating the Journey Parent meeting 6:30 in Te Awa Learning Space TONIGHT
- Week 3 & 4 Te Awa swimming EVERY day except Thursday
- Week 4 Tuesday 5th May, our Year 8 parents are invited to come and meet with Mr Bruce Kearney from Rangiora High at 6:30pm. See flyer attached.

Kids do well if they can!

OTHER NOTICES:

School Uniform

Southbrook School uniform is available through: southbrookscool@impakt.co.nz

School Policies

If at any time you wish to view our School policies please go to www.schooldocs.co.nz. Our username is southbrook and password is 3kete.

Hero - using Hero to view your child's attendance.

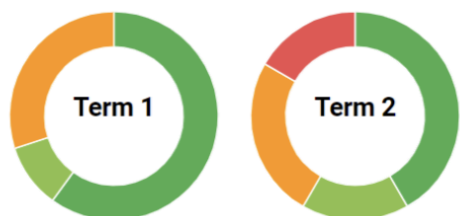
Open your HERO app and click on your child's photo, you will see the attendance dial.

When you hover your cursor over a piece of the dial a pop up will display, showing you the type of attendance (Present, Late, Justified and Unjustified absence) and the number of half days these relate to.

Half days - Attendance is completed twice a day - the morning is one half day / the afternoon is one half day = 2.

Therefore, if your child is sick for a Tuesday afternoon and all day Wednesday = 3.

Attendance (half days) in 2023



	Present (includes Late)	Justified Absences	Unjustified Absences	Late
Term 1	7 (70.0%)	3 (30.0%)		1 (10.0%)
Term 2	7 (58.3%)	3 (25.0%)	2 (16.7%)	2 (16.7%)
YTD	14 (63.6%)	6 (27.3%)	2 (9.1%)	3 (13.6%)

It would be great if you checked your child's attendance dial each week. This will ensure that you have a clear picture of your child's attendance and there will be no surprises.

As always, any questions, please pop in and ask.



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Coffee and Cake Evening

Bruce Kearney, Principal, Rangiora High School would like to invite parents from our contributing schools to a Coffee and Cake evening. This evening is to provide parents with the opportunity to hear about Rangiora High School and to ask questions regarding the transition into high school

Where: Aoraki, Southbrook School

When: Tuesday 5 May 2026

Time: 6:30pm - 8:00pm

RSVP: Southbrook School



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WITH LOCAL ARTIST (& SOUTHBROOK TEACHER) JANE REID

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