



Wednesday 16 October
Term 4 2019 Newsletter #1



PB4L Expectation - Be Safe

Tokiofa, ofania, mokoina e vagahau Niue Treasure, love and cherish the Niue language

Faakalofa lahi atu - we are celebrating Niuean Language Week on our first week back of Term 4. We hope you enjoyed your holiday and ready for a busy term.

This term our Curiosity, Purpose and Wonder focus is Transformation - How is change an integral part of the world around us? Many classes have already begun their discovery and investigation into the scientific understanding of transformation and change.

Last term we ended on a high with Trash to Fashion show, where Rimu students showcased their creative talents. It was a spectacular event and we thank Miss Barclay - our Technology Teacher, and the Rimu teachers for helping to make this event - fantastic! There are plenty of photos on our Facebook page for you to check out - but here are some gems!



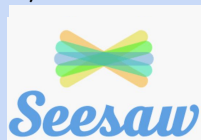
A word from the Principal - Mr Kelly.....

Fakaalofa lahi atu everyone. We were back into term 4 with a wonderful Niuean language celebration on Monday morning. Learning started straight away and we are all working hard to ensure our students have every opportunity to learn to their full potential. We are excitedly anticipating our December 2 week long visit from the Education Review Office [ERO], a time when we can show off all of the wonderful things we do here and consider suggestions to improve even further.

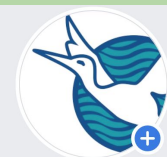
We are trialling changing the structure of our day to allow for an extra short break for the students [though not reducing our current learning time]. Research shows that a four block day is more effective use of learning time than a three block school day - we look forward to investigating this possibility for ourselves.

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Have you downloaded our school apps - they are free. On SKOOL LOOP you can read newsletters, check dates, notify the office of your child's absence. The SEESAW app your teacher's child can share their learning directly to YOU. Download the today!



Have you LIKED and FOLLOWED the official Bailey Road School Facebook page? It looks like this....



Bailey Road Primary & Intermediate School
@BaileyRoadSchool



New Website



Our new school website is coming your way! It will go "live" next week - check out Facebook for further info.



The Year 6/7 Tironui Orchestra will be performing next **Tuesday 22 October at 2.15pm**. Everyone is welcome to come along and see what musical talent we have at Bailey Road School.

Bailey Road School Orchestra will also perform in a concert at the **Vodafone Events Centre in Manukau on Wednesday 6 November at 6.15pm** in the Tironui Trust Showcase along with other schools. This is a free event and everyone is welcome to attend.



- BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING - *Monday 21 October @ 6pm*
- TIRONUI YEAR 6/7 ORCHESTRA PERFORMANCE > *Tuesday 22 October at 2.15pm in the hall*
- KOWHAI KIWI KAPERS TRIP - *Wednesday 23 October*
- PTA MEETING - *Thursday 24 October @ 6pm*
- LUCKY BOOK CLUB - *Friday 25 October, last orders to office or via LOOP, www.scholastic.co.nz/LOOP*
- ASSEMBLY - *Friday 25 October @ 2pm, whole school in the hall*

- LABOUR DAY - *Monday 28 October > school closed*
- TIRONUI TRUST SHOWCASE - *Wednesday 7 November @ Vodafone Events Centre 6.15pm, Year 6/7 orchestra*
- COMMUNITY EVENING - *Wednesday 13 November @ 5pm*
- BOOK WEEK > *Monday 18 - Friday 22 November*
- ASSEMBLY > *Friday 22 November @ 2pm*
- WIZARD OF OZ > *Thursday 28 November, trip for Rata and Karaka*

- EDUCATION OUTSIDE THE CLASSROOM WEEK > *Monday 2 - Friday 6 December*
- ASSEMBLY > *Friday 6 December @ 2pm*
- REPORTS HOME > *Tuesday 10 December*
- RATA & KARAKA PRIZE GIVING > *Wednesday 11 December, and street party*
- RIMU GRADUATION > *Wednesday 11 December @ 6pm*
- KOWHAI & RIMU PRIZE GIVING > *Thursday 12 December*
- LAST DAY OF TERM 4 > *Thursday 12 December*

ABSENCES - if your child is absent please phone 579 4619 and press 1 to leave your child's name, room and reason for absence.

ROAD SAFETY - thank you for dropping off and picking up your children safely. Not parking across driveways or on yellow lines helps keep our tamariki safe.

YUMMY STICKERS - don't forget we are collecting these for sports equipment!

TEAM LETTERS - will be sent home this week by SEESAW very shortly.

BAILEY ROAD SCHOOL - OUT OF ZONE ENROLMENTS FOR 2020

The board invites applications from parents who wish to enrol their children at Bailey Road Primary & Intermediate School for 2020.

Enrolment at the school is governed by an enrolment scheme, details of which are available from the school office and on our website.

If you live outside our school zone and wish for your child to attend Bailey Road School, anytime in 2020, please complete the ballot form (available by emailing m.filoa@baileyrroad.school.nz or by visiting the school office) and return by **3pm Friday 15th November 2019**.

You will be informed in writing by Wednesday 20th November 2019 whether you have been successful or unsuccessful. If unsuccessful you will be informed of the number your child is on the waitlist.