

Rāapa tekau ma tahi o Mahuru Te wiki tuawaru Term 3 2019 Newsletter #5

PB4L Expectation - Be Responsible



Tēnā koutou!

The chosen theme for Te wiki o te reo Māori is *Kia Kaha te Reo Māori* or let's make the Maori language strong. We opened this very special week with an assembly featuring our Kapa Haka and the Ambassadors. Thank you to the whanau who came along, and to Whaea Maria and Mrs Tu'itahi for their organisation.

Rāhina Honesty

Rātu Empathy Rāapa Affirmation Rāpare Respect

Rāmere Trust









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

Tenā koutou katoa. Maori language week is the most anticipated celebration in our school year. As partners to te tiriti o Waitangi we are able to celebrate te reo as not only an official language of Aotearoa, New Zealand, but as a spoken language. The more schools can do to encourage and support the speaking of te reo the more accepted te reo will be as a part of who we all are as New Zealanders. Bailey Road school is excited to be undertaking initiatives in 2020 to lift the profile of te reo and the rich cultures and history of our local area.

The Government has announced that next year, schools will be able to opt into a scheme that will replace school fees with a grant that will cover all curriculum based school trips and activities so that there are no costs to parents and caregivers. Please note that events like school camps and non-curriculum experiences that allow parents choice to attend or not will not be covered by this government grant. Here is a

<u>link</u> from the Ministry of Education to explain a little more.

Our Board of Trustees would appreciate your feedback as to whether you would like us to opt into this government scheme. Please fill in this google form to let us know your views: <u>CLICK HERE</u>



STOP! MEASLES. With the current Measles outbreak we would like to remind our Bailey Road School community that if you or your whānau are not immunised, you are at greater risk of contracting and spreading the virus.

We are continuing to update our school records and request (if you haven't done so recently) the details of a current immunisation record of your child/ren. You can either get a print out from your doctor or send us a photo of any records you have at home to - m.filoa@baileyroad.school.nz. Thank you for helping us to keep our tamariki healthy and safe.





Friday 27 September

Bring a GOLD coin and wear the LOUDEST shirt you have!

Loud Shirt Day is the annual fundraising appeal dedicated to raising money for deaf children with cochlear implants or hearing aids.

On the day there will be fashion parades and prizes for the loudest, brightest and most awesome shirt. Check out Peyton Rose on our Facebook page.

#getloud2019

This is the BRS school uniform, please wear with pride! We have a Vodafone Warriors jacket - each student has been issued with one by Delize our SWiS.





We are a Travelwise School who work closely with Auckland Transport. Each student has received an Active Card which they tick off each time they walk to school this week - morning and afternoon. If they are driven to school, we encourage you to drop them in a safe spot 100m away so they can walk part of the way. This Friday all completed cards will go into a lucky prize draw. We will be doing this for two weeks and finish off with a SCOOT 2 SCHOOL event on Friday 20 September. #beactive #walkingschoolbus #AT







- Friday 6 September Auckland Transport Active Cards Week 1 issued
- Monday 9-Friday 13 September Te wiki o te reo Māori
- Thursday 12 September, 5pm Vector EPro8 Challenge, Year 7-8
- Tuesday 17 September EZ Rugby League tournament
- Friday 20 September SCOOT 2 SCHOOL with Auckland Transport
- Thursday 26 September, 6pm Trash to Fashion
- Friday 27 September LOUD SHIRT DAY wear your loudest shirt to support deaf kids; Assembly @ 2pm and the last day of Term 3
- Saturday 28 September Sunday 13 October School holidays

