



Blockhouse Bay
Primary School

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School closed for four-day weekend

A reminder to everyone that school will be closed for a teacher only day on Friday 4th June. We are also closed on Monday 7th June for Queen's Birthday Weekend.

温馨提示：因为教师进修日的缘故，学校在6月4日星期五不开放；6月7日星期一学校因为女王生日假期，同样关闭。

Thursday 3rd June 2021

Dear Parents and Whānau

We had a lot of good feedback about our Expo that was held in Te Manawa last Thursday. Thank you to those who were able to join us and find out more about the school. We plan to hold another of these at a future date.

Well done to everyone who took part in the Cross Country. I hope you enjoyed seeing the video about the day. Prizegiving will be held at each teams next assembly so watch out for these dates.

Congratulations to those older pupils who were selected to represent us at the inter-school Cross Country event. Good luck to you all for Tuesday.

Thank you to our FAB team, staff members and other parents who supported us to run the Movie Night on Friday. It certainly was a great way to finish a busy week.

We hope you all enjoy your 4-day long weekend. See you on Tuesday!

Neil Robinson
Principal

TERM TWO CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2021

Please check regularly as dates and times may change.

<u>Fri 4th June</u>	<u>Teacher Only Day - No school</u>
<u>Mon 7th June</u>	<u>Queen's Birthday - No school</u>
Tues 8th June	2.30pm - Pōhutukawa Assembly
Tues 8th June	Interschol Cross Country
Wed 9th-Fri 11th June	Year Six Camp
Thurs 10th June	2.15pm - Kōwhai Assembly
Thurs 17th June	2.00pm - Whole School Assembly
Wed 23rd June	9.00am - Rimu Assembly
Wed 30th June	9-3pm - Ki-O-Rahi Tournament
Wed 30th June	9.00am Kauri Assembly
Thurs 1st July	2.15pm - Kōwhai Assembly
Tues 6th July	2.30pm - Pōhutukawa Assembly (NEW)
Wed 7 th & Thurs 8 th July	Parent/Child/Teacher Conferences
Fri 9th July	Term Three Ends - 3.00pm finish



Some great running was done on what was a very cold and wet day. Well done everyone!



Blockhouse Bay

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perfect shot...

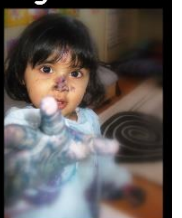


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YEAR 6 CAMP

This event is often the highlight of the children's last year at Blockhouse Bay School and we know that they will be looking forward to having this experience next Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Thank you in advance to the parents and teachers who have put their own lives on hold to go away and share this experience with the children.

CHILD/PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES

These meetings are scheduled to take place from 1.30-8.00pm on Wednesday 7th July and 3.30-6.00pm on Thursday 8th July. Next week, we will send home details about how families can book a 15-minute meeting with their child's teacher on one of these days. Please note that **school finishes at 12.45pm on Wednesday 7th July** so that these important meetings can take place.

COUNTDOWN CROSSING SAFETY

If you collect your child at the Countdown carpark after school. Please do not call them to run across the carpark to you. We are very concerned that a child may run straight in front of a car and get hurt. Please collect your child from the supervisor at the countdown carpark and then walk them across the carpark with you. Thank you.

PINK SHIRT DAY

Thank you to everyone who contributed money on Pink Shirt Day. Yesterday, the school donated this money to the Mental Health Foundation - \$136.

NETBALL RESULTS

YEAR 5 & 6

BHBP Opals v Tiriomoana	(9-7)	Player of the day-Nikita
BHBP Crystals v Arahoe		No results received to date
BHBP Rubies v Baytex Panthers	(3-17)	Player of the day - Isabel

YEAR 4

BHBP EMERALDS v Summerland Primary	(1-2)	Player of the day - Alia
BHBP DIAMONDS v Titirangi School	(8-0)	Player of the day - Bella
BHBP SAPPHIRES v Karilands Diamonds	(2-12)	Player of the day - Camelia

DO YOU HAVE ANY SPARE WOOL OR KNITTING NEEDLES?

A group of students have started a knitting club. If you have any spare balls of wool or knitting needles you would be happy to donate to this group, please send them to the school office.

ENROLMENTS 2021/2022

Do you have a child starting school soon? Have you let the school know?

We would like to know if you have a child who will be starting school at Blockhouse Bay Primary in 2021 or 2022. Please email leanneh@blockhousebay.school.nz with your child's name, date of birth, address and contact details.

If you know anyone who has a child that lives out of the school zone for Blockhouse Bay Primary but would like them to come here, please contact Leanne on 627-9940 for further information on how to go into the out-of-zone ballot that we might have later in the year.

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Cross Country Results - 2021

This year we held our Cross Country for the entire school with children running from Year 0 all the way through to Year 6. The event was a success, and it was wonderful to see both younger and older children encouraging each other around the course. The children put a huge amount of effort into their practise runs over the past month which showed in their races. There were some very exciting finishes at the end. Well done everyone! A special congratulations to the following children who were our top place getters.

5 Year Old Girls

1st Place Saanjh Sidhu
2nd Place Brianna Mossop
3rd Place Kyla Leyland

5 Year Old Boys

1st Place Kahn McNamara
2nd Place Shawn Hsu
3rd =Place Nikoh MacKinnon
3rd =Place Anaahat Manandhar

6 Year Old Girls

1st Place Zoe Mediratta
2nd Place Naomi Tanabe
3rd Place Violet Lane

6 Year Old Boys

1st Place Zackary Li
2nd Place Adrian Cao
3rd Place Jonathan Hydes

7 Year Old Girls

1st Place Charlotte Kilpatrick
2nd Place Caelan Capps
3rd Place Erica Hsu

7 Year Old Boys

1st Place Otto Hart-Tyson
2nd Place Callum Horsford
3rd Place Revanth Kisure

8 Year Old Girls

1st Place June Ticharwa
2nd Place Saanvi Patel
3rd Place Dejanae Peteru-Ulukita

8 Year Old Boys

1st Place Arlo Kronfeld
2nd Place Toby Lane
3rd Place Taylor Reardon

9 Year Old Girls

1st Place Meimei Keith
2nd Place Natalya Leyland
3rd Place Chloe Li

9 Year Old Boys

1st Place Luke Pienaar
2nd Place Ayden Kissun
3rd Place Leo Xu

10 Year Old Girls

1st Place Jessica Robb
2nd Place Asha Chand
3rd Place Neena Timmins

10 Year Boys

1st Place Tom Kilpatrick
2nd Place Joseph Logie
3rd Place Yaan Leyland

11 Year Old Girls

1st Place Addison Leaning
2nd Place Vrinda Kumar

11 Year Old Boys

1st Place Ezra Repia - Makea
2nd Place Gabriel Daniels

Inter- School Cross Country

This takes place on Tuesday 8th June at Blockhouse Bay Reserve. We wish the team the best of luck for this event!





The Movie Night last Friday evening was a great success and enjoyed by everyone big and small. Thank you to our dedicated team of helpers and for all families who came to support.

Today we had a massive Pizza Lunch day with over 200 pizzas ordered. It is great to see everyone enjoy the weekly lunches. We are hoping to be able to continue offering these throughout Term 2 and Term 3.

School Lunches

Next Thursday (10 June) we have the return of **Pita Pit** lunches. **Jester's Pie** will then be the following week (17 June). These are all available to order now on Kindo (www.kindo.co.nz). If you don't have **Kindo** it is very easy to set up by registering on the Kindo website, go to mykindo.co.nz/Register or download the app available on Apple and Android. If you need any help you can ask our friendly office staff.

Milo & Cookie Pop Up

Our first pop up is set for Friday 11 June. Unfortunately, we do not currently have sufficient helpers to go ahead with this. If you are able to help with Milo & Cookie next Friday, please get in touch with Jasmine via email fab@blockhousebay.school.nz. We need helpers to make batches of Milo and to also serve the Milo and cookies - you will need to be available to help for about 1 hour from 10.45am. If we are not able to get enough helpers, we will sadly have to cancel this popular pop up.

Entertainment Membership Fundraisers

Don't forget you can always support the school by getting yourself an Entertainment Membership (www.entertainmentnz.com). With each purchase the school will receive 20%! Until Monday 14 June, anybody who purchases a \$69.99 Single City Membership will be upgraded to a Multi City Membership valued at \$119.99 for FREE!

UPCOMING FAB EVENTS

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|-------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Thursday 10 June | - Pita Pit Lunch Day |
| Friday 11 June | - Milo & Cookie Pop Up |
| Thursday 17 June | - Jesters Pie Lunch Day |
| Friday 17 June | - Milo & Cookie Pop Up |
| Monday 21 June | - FAB Meeting 7pm Staffroom |
| Thursday 24 June | - Sushi Lunch Day |



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