

PAREMATA SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

WEDNESDAY 2nd FEBRUARY 2022

WEEK 1 – TERM 1



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Monday 7th February – PUBLIC HOLIDAY

Waitangi Day 6 February (Mondayised)



Kia ora tatou

Welcome back to school for 2022. We all hope you have had a lovely break. It is great to see all the children looking well rested and ready to go. A very warm welcome to Becky Spencer and all our new families who have joined Paremata School this year. We hope you all settle in well and enjoy your time here. As usual, we have a very busy schedule and we look forward to a great term ahead.

Mask wearing

The children wearing masks are adapting well and classrooms are spending more time outside to alleviate the length of time masks have to be worn. Teachers will be sending masks home when they need to be washed or replaced and we have supplies at school as well to support the children.

Sunhats

Sunhats are to be worn for all outside activities during Term 1. Please name your child's hat.



Nut Free Policy

Just a reminder that for health and safety reasons Paremata is a nut free school. We therefore request that parents/caregivers ensure that no nut products are included in snacks and lunches.

Parking and the School Drive Through Areas

Just a friendly reminder that when using the school drive through for drop offs and picks up please do not park behind the staff cars on the yellow lines and/or leave your cars. If you want to collect your child from their room, please park outside on the road. Also, please do not park and leave your car in the bus stop. Thank you.

Student arrival time at school

Classes open for the day at 8.30am. Due to health and safety, all children who arrive at school before 8.15am will need to go to Before School Care. If you require Before School Care, please get an enrolment form from the office. You can set up a weekly or fortnightly payment plan with Michelle in the office, if you wish.

Have a fabulous week - Nga mihi nui - Matua Bryce

STATIONERY – ORDER ONLINE

<https://schoolpacks.co.nz/>

It is great to see most of our children have their stationery.

Still to order? Please order online.

We use many of the Qizzle books that you cannot buy in the shops.

Please note there is another school online with similar spelling **Paerata** So please make sure it does say **Paremata School**.

STAFF EMAILS AND PHONE EXTENSIONS – School Phone Number – 233 1339 office@paremata.school.nz
WEBSITE – www.paremata.school.nz. **ABSENTEES** – absent@paremata.school.nz

ROOM/TEAM	TEACHER (known as)	EMAIL ADDRESS	PHONE X
Pohutukawa Year 1/2			
1A - Miromiro	Angela Wall / Jacqui Reading Mrs Wall & Mrs Reading	angelaw@paremata.school.nz jacquir@paremata.school.nz	801
1B – Kotare			822
2 – Tui	Clare Knighton/Emma Tweedie Clare & Emma	clarek@paremata.school.nz emmat@paremata.school.nz	802
3 – Ruru	Sautia Lemana – Whaea Tia	sautial@paremata.school.nz	803
4 – Korimako	Caroline Lockyer - Caroline	carolinel@paremata.school.nz	804
Kahikatea – Yr 7/8			
5 – Kereru	Emma Neru-Walters - Emma	emmaw@paremata.school.nz	805
7 – Kotuku	Mary Va’a - Mrs Va’a	maryv@paremata.school.nz	807
8 – Pukeko	Becky Spencer – Becky	beckys@paremata.school.nz	808
Kōwhai - Yr 3/4			
6 – Piwakawaka	Juliet Henkes / Susan Moore Juliet & Mrs Moore	julieth@paremata.school.nz susanm@paremata.school.nz	809
10 – Kea	Claire Davies – Miss Davies	claired@paremata.school.nz	810
11 – Kākāriki	Sally Ratchford - Sally	sallyr@paremata.school.nz	811
12 – Kōkako	Grace Harcourt Miss Harcourt	graceh@paremata.school.nz	812
Kauri – Yr 5/6			
13 – Kākāpō	Jannien Kamphuis - Ms Kamphuis	jannienk@paremata.school.nz	813
14 – Takahē	Rachel Hall - Rachel	rachelh@paremata.school.nz	814
15 – Hihi	Jenny Goodwin – Jenny Nicky Dennis-McCarthy Mrs McCarthy	jennyg@paremata.school.nz nickydm@paremata.school.nz	815
16 – Kiwi	Jacquie Bassett – Mrs Bassett	jacquieb@paremata.school.nz	816
Principal	Bryce Coleman Matua Bryce	brycec@paremata.school.nz	824
SENCO	Avalon Smith-Johnson Avalon	avalons@paremata.school.nz	817
Literacy Leader	Ursula Leggett – Mrs Leggett	ursulal@paremata.school.nz	827
Teacher Aides		room17@paremata.school.nz	
Office - Kākā	Marie Arlow - Marie	mariea@paremata.school.nz office@paremata.school.nz	821 or 0
Office - Kākā Email absentees	Michelle Griffin - Michelle	michelle@paremata.school.nz absent@paremata.school.nz	820 or 0
Sport	Theresa Ready - Theresa	theresar@paremata.school.nz	
Library	Emma Crossley - Emma	library@paremata.school.nz	825
Wharepukapuka			
After School care	Raewyn Caldwell - Raewyn	afterschoolcare@paremata.school.nz	826
Caretaker	Ian Vaughan – Ian	ianv@paremata.school.nz	

ABSENTEES It is very important that you let the office know, as well as the teacher when your child is absent. If you take your child out of school, they must be signed out at the office. If your child is absent for 3 consecutive days without us being notified – our system will mark your child as being truant.

Late children must report to the office and sign in on arrival.

Please email any absentee messages to - absent@paremata.school.nz

To leave an absentee message or late notice on the phone, you dial the school number 233 1339 and then press 1. Remember to leave your child's name and reason they are absent.



CLASSROOM EMERGENCY SUPPLIES

At the beginning of each year we replenish our classroom emergency supplies so now is the time to send in emergency food supplies for each of your children. We suggest

***** 2 tins and a box of muesli/energy bars each (remember we are a nut free school) *****

These will be marked off with your child's teacher. Thank you.



If your child loves doing Cartwheels, Handstands & Flips, then they will thrive at Bigair Gym! Bigair Gym classes are excellent for fun, focus and fitness! Children learn new skills and develop personal confidence and self-achievement! Strong focus is given to safety and technique, ranging from fundamentals to advanced skills. The structured classes follow a Bigair badge programme, which creates focused learning, and allows children to achieve and progress! Classes include **GYMNASTICS, TRAMPOLINING, TUMBLING & FREE RUNNING (parkour with flips)!** **BOOK NOW for Term 1 Classes** online www.bigairgym.co.nz We run Bigair **BIRTHDAY PARTIES** too!

Does your child love tumbling, jumping, and dancing? Cheerleading encompasses all this and focusses on fitness, strength, and gym skills, plus it encourages individual & team development. We cater for 5yrs-18yrs. **CHEERLEADING FREE TRIALS AVAILABLE NOW!**

Contact your closest Bigair Gym because GYM CLASSES & CHEERLEADING are starting NOW! Bigair Gym Tawa ph. 232 3508 e. office@bigairgym.co.nz



Unfortunately, the Weet-Bix Kids TRYathlon event is unable to be run at the "Red" setting of the Government's Covid-19 Traffic Light System.

It has therefore been **cancelled**.

Want to play Football??



Registration for **PUKERUA BAY SOCCER CLUB** for grades 5 (turning 5 in 2020) to 14 is now open:

- Registration closes 7th March 2022.
- Low Registration Fees: \$50 for grades 5&6, \$90 for grades 7-12 and \$100 for grades 13&14 (mixed competition), \$100 for Sunday girls' competition. Includes Nike shirt and shorts. Family discounts available!
- Practices potentially in Pukerua Bay and/or Plimmerton (or wherever most suitable for team).

To register or for more information visit www.pukeruabaysoccer.org.nz/ or call **Iain Maclean** (0274203056) or **Neil Snowling** (0212291739) or email pkb@pukeruabaysoccer.org.nz.

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LIFE SKILLS AND LEADERSHIP THROUGH ACTIVITY

YEARS 1-8

WHAT WE TEACH THROUGH ACTIVITY

- SCHOOL VALUES
- FAIR PLAY
- TEAMWORK
- CORE MOVEMENTS
- LEADERSHIP
- RESPECT
- COACHING
- ACCOUNTABILITY

MONDAY - THURSDAY
PAREMATA SCHOOL
3:00PM - 5:30PM
REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!

For more information, cost and enrollment forms contact Phil Roache
027 242 2012 or email carteractive@outlook.co.nz

Work with: ProjectWaiWai.com

Junior Squash

Mana Squash Club

6c Pascoe Avenue, Ngatitua Domain, Mana

Ever wanted to give squash a go? Squash is a great, social sport for kids and is perfect for fitness and developing hand-eye coordination.

Every Friday night during the school term from 6pm-7:30pm is Junior Club Night. Here kids will learn the basics of squash including the rules, serving, practicing different shots and games. Rackets, balls and eyewear are provided, you just need a pair of non-marking shoes.

Come check it out for a few weeks before deciding if you want to sign up - membership is cheap at only \$50/year for kids aged 10 and under, or \$90/year for over 11s. Bring a friend or come make some new ones!

Mana Squash Club also offers a coaching programme for junior players.

For information contact:
Stu Demler (Junior Convenor)
email: juniors@manasquash.co.nz



GIRLS ONLY SUMMER SMASH

PORIRUA

WEDNESDAYS | 4PM - 5PM | BERNIE WOOD TURF
9 MARCH, 16 MARCH, 23 MARCH, 30 MARCH

WHAT: FUN, INCLUSIVE MODIFIED CRICKET GAMES
WHO: GIRLS IN SCHOOL YEARS 3-6
COST: FREE!

ENTER AS A TEAM OF 6

ENTER AS AN INDIVIDUAL

SUMMER SMASH
GIRLS CRICKET

CRICKET WELLINGTON INC.

FREE T-SHIRT FOR ALL REGISTERED PLAYERS
TRANSPORT HARSHIP FUND AVAILABLE TO SUPPORT STUDENTS TO ATTEND

YEAH! GIRLS

CRICKET, BUT NOT AS YOU KNOW IT

PORIRUA

WEDNESDAYS
3.30 - 4.30pm
23 FEB - 30 MAR
Bernie Wood Turf
Ages 9 - 14
FREE!

REGISTER AT
www.yeahgirls.nz
wellington@yeahgirls.nz
022 517 4341
*All abilities and all girls welcome

FREE BUCKET HAT WHEN YOU REGISTER