



# PAREMATA SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

## WEDNESDAY 15 MARCH 2023

### WEEK 7 – TERM 1



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### IMPORTANT INFORMATION

#### Tomorrow

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> March

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Monday 20<sup>th</sup> March

Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> March – 6<sup>th</sup> April

Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March

Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> April – 6<sup>th</sup> April

Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> April

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Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> April

#### NZEI STRIKE ACTION – SCHOOL CLOSED

Scholastic Online order closes today at 11:00am

Full School Assembly @ 11:45am

Bee Healthy Dental Van at Paremata School

Book Fair (see dates and times below)

MovinMarch – Family Theme Day (see below)

Book Week

Book Parade

End of Term 1 @ 3:00pm

Term 2 commences



Kia ora tatou

What a beautiful sunny day we had for our annual Run, Jump, Throw fun day. It was great to see the children taking part so positively in a range of sporting activities, looking awesome in their house groups and colours. Thank you to the Kowhai team for organising this event. Thanks also to our new House Group Leaders. You did a great job for your first school wide event. Well done everyone.



Kahurangi	Hiriwa	Papura	Kowhai	Whero	Kakariki
Joel-Jakes Logan Imran	Helena Leon Luka	Riley P Kannika Apriksha	Johanna Freya Nina	Carter Eden Dahl'i	Rowan Michelle Vanessa

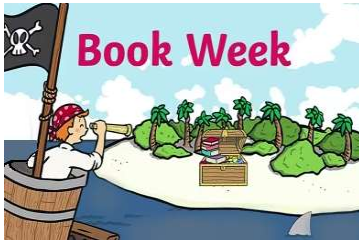


#### NZEI - Strike Action – School Closed Tomorrow

Primary school teachers, principals and ECE members of NZEI Te Riu Roa have voted to take strike action on Thursday 16 March. Therefore, school will be closed tomorrow.

Nga mihi nui - Matua Bryce

## BOOK WEEK



Our annual *Paremata School Book week* will be comin' *Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> to Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> April*. We will be celebratin' books and the joy of readin'. There'll be daily quizzes and activities, along with the annual "*Decorate Your Room Window*" competition runnin' during this week. Remember to get your costume sorted for the Book Character Parade that will be held on *Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> April* at 9:00am on the netball courts or in the hall if wet.

## SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR



Ahoy mateys! Arrgh you excited the scholastic *Bookaneer Book Fair* is *travellin'* the high seas and will be sailing our way soon! Our crew is! The lads and lassies will discover the latest treasure trove of books on 27<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> March, as well as fill in their wish list.

Now listen closely me hearties it will be time for all hands-on deck at the Scholastic Book Fair: where books are the treasure. It is a fun reading event that brings the books kids want to read right into our school. It allows your children to choose their own books to read. Reading for pleasure unlocks the power of information and imagination and helps children discover who they are, so that they develop stronger reading skills and a love for reading!

Gather your lil' buccaneers and unearth the loot from Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> March until Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> April



Wed 29<sup>th</sup> March, Fri 31<sup>st</sup> March, Mon 3<sup>rd</sup> April, Wed 5<sup>th</sup> April, 8:30 - 9:00am & 2:45 - 4:30pm

Thurs 30<sup>th</sup> March, Tue 4<sup>th</sup> April, Thurs 6<sup>th</sup> April, 8:30 - 9:00am & 2:45 - 5:00pm

All purchases go towards raising reward points that we use to add new books to our school library. Put on your eyepatch and swashbuckle up, Pirate Sharkbait McGee.

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## WINE FUNDRAISER

Coming home today is a flyer about this great wine fundraiser.



# WINE

## In time for Easter

### Booster Wine Group LP

have again offered us a great fund raiser where you can buy superb wines and support the Hawkes Bay region.

### For every case sold, school makes \$40

You can choose any type of wine to make up a case, half a case or just a bottle or two, what ever suits you.

If you are interested, please fill in the order form attached with this newsletter and pay online into the school fundraising account 12 3254 0048796 01  
Please use your name as a reference.

Orders can be emailed to  
[paremataschoolpta@gmail.com](mailto:paremataschoolpta@gmail.com)

Order forms are also available from the school office.

This offer ends Friday 24 March and will be ready for collection at the school office before Easter.

Parent link would like to thank you all in advance for your support of this fund raiser.



Māhe Manawa Ora  
Movin' March  
1-31 March 2022 | [movinmarch.com](http://movinmarch.com)



### We're halfway through Movin' March!

It's been fantastic seeing all the students and whānau walking and wheeling to school, and filling up those WoW passports. It's super easy and you don't even have to complete a whole card to be in to win one of 12 x \$400 [MYRIDE](#) vouchers.

Don't forget you can park and walk or wheel the rest of the way if you live too far away. Give it a go and be part of our Movin' March celebration!

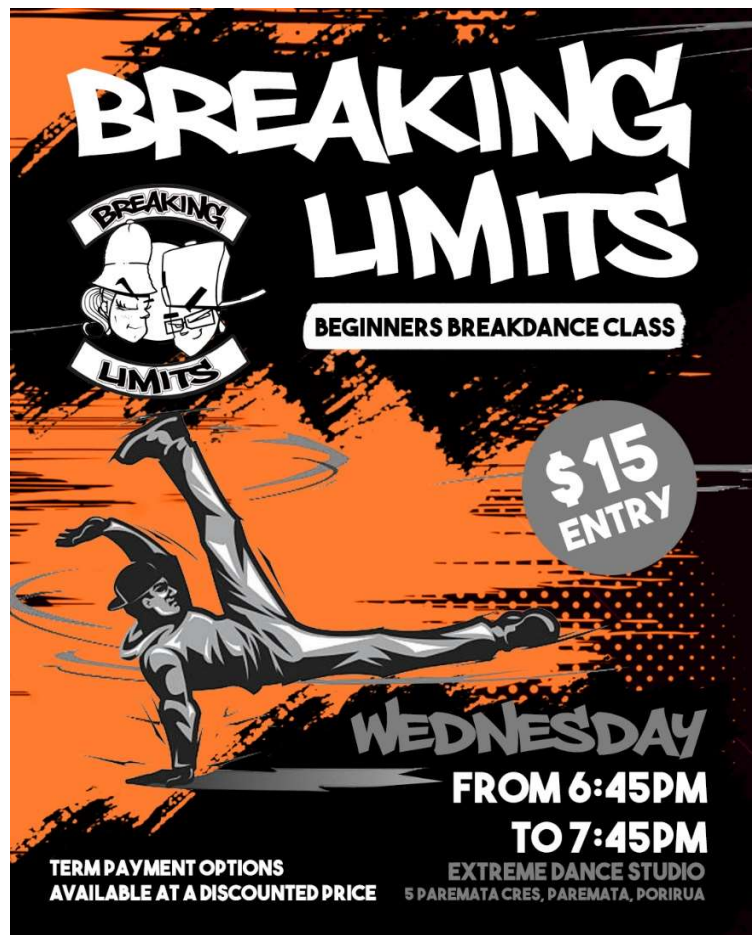
We'll be holding a special theme day on **Friday March 31st** and we encourage all families to walk or wheel – even if it's just for one day. The theme will be taking care of the ocean, to tie in with our recent Sea Week, and it'd be great to see tamariki dressing up and decorating their wheels with environmentally friendly materials.

**SUBWAY LUNCHES** - Register at [www.subwayexpress.co.nz](http://www.subwayexpress.co.nz)

### IMPORTANT NOTICES



**NO SUBWAY LUNCHES FROM FRIDAY 3 MARCH UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE**  
Due to major building repairs at Subway Porirua.



### RACKETLON HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

Once again Tawa Tennis, Tawa Squash and Wellington North Badminton are running the Racketlon holiday programme these school holidays.

Players rotate around each sport spending 1.5 hours at each club. Qualified coaches will take each session.

Please note holiday programme is for age 6 years and older.

Thursday 13 and Friday 14 April 2023, 9am - 3pm

Cost per day: \$50 a day or \$90 for both days.

Registrations: <https://bit.ly/3J7eIAI> For more information contact Babette

at [babette@wnba.org.nz](mailto:babette@wnba.org.nz)



**NEW ZEALAND  
POLICE MUSEUM**  
Te Whare Taonga o ngā Pirihimana o Aotearoa

### **Term 1 School Holiday Programmes**

Looking for something fun but educational to do with the tamariki during the holidays? We are here for you.

If you've always wondered about our dog handlers, book in for our Dog Section Workshop and come see them at the Museum. Ask those burning questions you have.

What are fingerprints and how are they used by NZ Police? Book your tamariki in for one of our Fingerprinting Workshops.

Want to try your hand at our Senior Detective Mystery. See if you can solve it. Work as a team or have a bit of a competition. Available on our App. Ask our front of house staff to get you started.

Observation skills are part of being a good detective. For the little ones try our Junior Detective Trail. Can you find all the puppy paws?

Workshop spaces are limited. For more information visit our website:

[New Zealand Police Museum](https://www.nzpolice.govt.nz/museum)