



Learning for Life

Newsletter

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"Snells Beach School will prepare children for successful futures and life-long learning through dynamic teaching and quality learning opportunities"

From the Principal: Kia ora, Talofa, Kia Orana, Mauri and Greetings to school families

From the Principal

Welcome back to the start of our final term of the year! Hard to believe I know. This term is short – only 9 weeks and 2 days. There is a lot to pack into that time, so please save the term diary included with this newsletter somewhere safe and make a note of the events that you would like to be part of. Our theme for this term is *Living to Enjoy* with a focus on celebrations and events for enjoyment. We hope you can join in with some of these.

As has been the pattern since the school opened, we have been pleased to welcome a number of new families to our school making enrolment enquiries as we experience continued growth in our area. To all those new to our community – welcome, and we hope you enjoy living in our little piece of paradise!

Our BIG push and focus this term is on our main fundraiser for the year – the Great Snells Trail on 15 November. The children's learning is tied in with this for integrated inquiry and they are very busy working towards this exciting event. You will have received a separate notice home this week, looking for people who would be willing to hold a garage sale or bring a car boot sale to the school on the 15th November. Even if you can't help yourself, we would appreciate you passing the notice on to someone else you know in our community who may want to participate. Alternatively, if you are crafty or artistic or know someone who is, please consider taking a craft table in the hall to sell your wares. **Please help us spread the word.** I would like to acknowledge Barfoot and Thompson who are supporting us with this event – we really appreciate their help and the support of the PTA to get what we hope will become a regular event off the ground.

**Have a great week! Nga mihi nui,
Jill Corkin - Principal**

Welcome to Our New Students – we hope you enjoy our school!

Carlos Costa Leversha - Kahikatea 1, Jessica Vegar - Kauri 1, Casey Thomson – Kauri 1, Taenoa Raikaon – Kauri 2

School Events

Athletics Day Paint Needed Please – We would be very grateful if anyone can donate left over white /grey /light coloured paint so we can mark out the tracks on the field for our Athletes. Please see Mr Morley or Miss Henry in the office.

Homework Club – please note the days have changed for term 4 – see the attached calendar for Homework Club days and after school events.

Reduce, Reuse, Recycle

The Great Snells Trail

Snells Beach School Community Fundraiser
Saturday 15th November 2014



BOOKING CONTACTS:

Carboot Sales

Cherylene Neels 425 6058 or
cnells@snellsbeach.school.nz

Garage Sale

Joss Shurey 425 6776

Craft Stalls in the School Hall

Jemma White 0274962000
or
Tanja 027 556 6546



Hold a **GARAGE SALE** at your place!
To be found on *The Great Snells Trail*
map register now for \$20 *

Bookings/Enquiries: Phone Joss 425 6776 or Michelle 4255369

Got less stuff? Then try a **CAR BOOT SALE** .
Join the many other activities such as stalls,
attractions, food and entertainment at the school.
Pre-book a car boot space now, clear out all your old
treasures and make a bit of extra cash for Christmas!
Bookings/Enquiries: Phone Cherylene 425 6058 or
Email cnells@snellsbeach.school.nz



Term 4 2014 - Events Calendar

<p>Week 1 Monday 13 October Term 4 Starts</p> <p>Monday 13 Oct 3–3.45pm Homework Club in Puriri 2 3.45-5pm Athletics with Tony</p> <p>Wednesday 15 Oct 3–3.45pm Homework Club in Puriri 2 3.45-5pm Tennis & Badminton with Tony 7pm PTA Meeting</p> <p>Thursday 16 Oct 12.30pm Lunchtime Kapa Haka Practice 3–3.45pm Homework Club in Puriri 2 3.45-5pm Arts, Crafts & Board Games with Michelle</p> <p>Friday 17 October Newsletter 2.10pm FULL SCHOOL ASSEMBLY – Kahikatea 1 6-8pm PTA DISCO</p>	<p>SATURDAY 15 NOV THE GREAT SNELLS TRAIL – stalls and activities at school and garage sales in the community. Come and support our major fund-raiser for the year!</p>
<p>Week 2</p> <p>Monday 20 Oct 3–3.45pm Homework Club in Puriri 2 3.45-5pm Athletics with Tony</p> <p>Wednesday 22 Oct 3–3.45pm Homework Club in Puriri 2 3.45-5pm Tennis & Badminton with Tony Wacky Wednesday Lunchtime Disco (Y5 Camp fundraising) 6.30pm BOT Meeting</p> <p>Thursday 23 Oct 12.30pm Lunchtime Kapa Haka Practice 3–3.45pm Homework Club in Puriri 2 3.45-5pm Arts, Crafts & Board Games with Michelle</p>	<p>Week 6</p> <p>Monday 17 Nov Photolife Class and Team Photos 3–3.45pm Homework Club in Puriri 2 3.45-5pm Athletics with Tony</p> <p>Wednesday 19 Nov 2.10pm MONITORS & RESPONSIBILITY AWARDS & Values Term Awards FULL SCHOOL ASSEMBLY (note change of date). All parents and whanau welcome to attend. 3–3.45pm Homework Club in Puriri 2 3.45-5pm Tennis & Badminton with Tony</p> <p>Thursday 20 Nov 12.30pm Lunchtime Kapa Haka Practice 3–3.45pm Homework Club in Puriri 2 3.45-5pm Arts, Crafts & Board Games with Michelle</p>
<p>Week 3 Monday 27 October Labour Day Holiday</p> <p>Wednesday 29 Oct Vision & Hearing Testing 3–3.45pm Homework Club in Puriri 2 3.45-5pm Tennis & Badminton with Tony</p> <p>Thursday 30 Oct 12.30pm Lunchtime Kapa Haka Practice 3–3.45pm Homework Club in Puriri 2 3.45-5pm Arts, Crafts & Board Games with Michelle</p> <p>Friday 31 Oct Newsletter</p>	<p>Week 7</p> <p>Monday 24 Nov 3–3.45pm Homework Club in Puriri 2 3.45-5pm Athletics with Tony</p> <p>Wednesday 26 Nov 6.30pm BOT Meeting 3–3.45pm Homework Club in Puriri 2 3.45-5pm Tennis & Badminton with Tony</p> <p>Thursday 27 Nov 12.30pm Lunchtime Kapa Haka Practice 3–3.45pm Homework Club in Puriri 2 3.45-5pm Arts, Crafts & Board Games with Michelle</p> <p>Friday 28 Nov Christmas Carols Choir Practice at Warkworth Newsletter</p>
<p>Week 4 Year 5 Camp Week Wednesday - Friday</p> <p>Monday 3 Nov School Athletics Day 3–3.45pm Homework Club in Puriri 2 3.45-5pm Athletics with Tony</p> <p>Tuesday 4 Nov Saving Day School Athletics</p> <p>Wednesday 5 Nov 3–3.45pm Homework Club in Puriri 2 3.45-5pm Tennis & Badminton with Tony 7pm PTA Meeting</p> <p>Thursday 6 Nov 9am New Parents morning tea 12.30pm Lunchtime Kapa Haka Practice</p> <p>Friday 7 Nov Y6 Mahurangi College Orientation</p>	<p>Wednesday 3 Dec 3–3.45pm Homework Club in Puriri 2 3.45-5pm Tennis & Badminton with Tony</p> <p>Thursday 4 Dec 12.30pm Lunchtime Kapa Haka Practice 3–3.45pm Homework Club in Puriri 2 3.45-5pm Arts, Crafts & Board Games with Michelle</p> <p>Week 8</p> <p>Monday 1 Dec 3–3.45pm Homework Club in Puriri 2 3.45-5pm Athletics with Tony</p> <p>Friday 5 Dec 1.30/2pm (TBC) Junior Christmas Assembly</p> <p>Friday 5 Dec End of Year Reports go home 7.30pm Christmas Carols in the Park Warkworth</p>
<p>Week 5</p> <p>Monday 10 Nov 3–3.45pm Homework Club in Puriri 2 3.45-5pm Athletics with Tony</p> <p>Tuesday 11 Nov Interschool Athletics</p> <p>Wednesday 12 Nov Interschool Athletics Saving Day 3–3.45pm Homework Club in Puriri 2 3.45-5pm Tennis & Badminton with Tony</p> <p>Thursday 13 Nov 12.30pm Lunchtime Kapa Haka Practice 3–3.45pm Homework Club in Puriri 2 3.45-5pm Arts, Crafts & Board Games with Michelle</p> <p>Friday 14 Nov Newsletter 2.10pm Full School Assembly</p>	<p>Monday 8 Dec 3–3.45pm Homework Club in Puriri 2 3.45-5pm Athletics with Tony</p> <p>Wednesday 10 Dec School Picnic at Scandrett Regional Park (all day) 3–3.45pm Homework Club in Puriri 2 3.45-5pm Tennis & Badminton with Tony</p> <p>Thursday 11 Dec 12.30pm Lunchtime Kapa Haka Practice 3–3.45pm Homework Club in Puriri 2 3.45-5pm Arts, Crafts & Board Games with Michelle</p> <p>Friday 12 Dec 1pm Awards Ceremony (Full School)</p> <p>Week 10 No Homework Club or after school activities this week</p> <p>Monday 15 Dec Y6 Graduation (time and details to be confirmed) Final Newsletter</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Tuesday 16 December 3pm School finishes for the year.</p>