

21 November 2014



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

From the Principal: *Tena kotou katoa*

Thank you everyone for a fantastic and enjoyable day at the Great Snells Trail on Saturday!

The weather was not the best it could have been, with the wind high and cold at times, but the rain held off allowing us to have outdoor activities and performances that could be enjoyed by all.

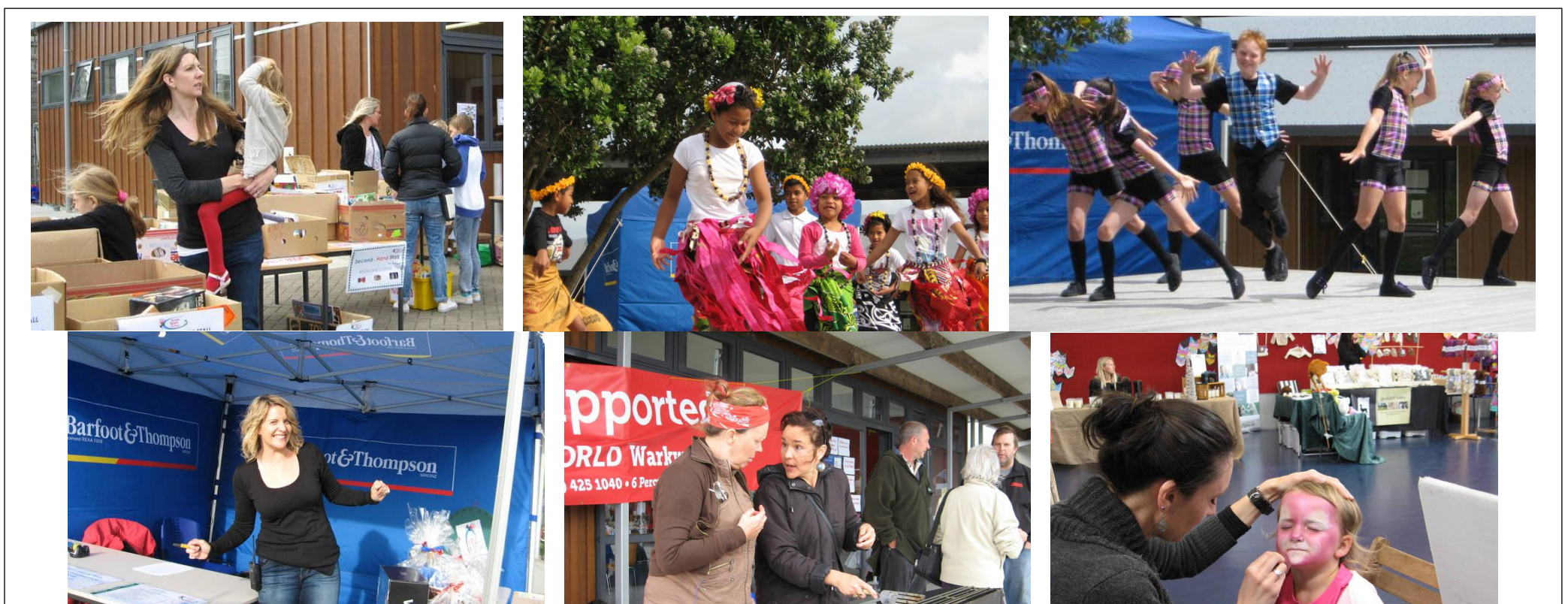
Thank you for your support – we had a good turnout of people considering the weather, and everyone got into the spirit of things and had a good time. We think we have built a good platform for future events.

As with any event like this, there are a huge number of people to thank. First and foremost I would like to thank our hardworking Board of Trustees and PTA for their vision for the event and their hard work in getting it across the line. In particular thanks must go to:

- **Kylie Tippett and PTA members** & helpers Michelle Corringham, Zoe Heslop, Danni Fa’au, Tanja Dove, and Sarah Howlett who worked so hard on particular events and behind the scenes on the day;
- **Maarten Kleyn and BOT members** Joss Shurey, Nat Heslop, Jemma White & Shane McGuire who not only attended extra PTA meetings but worked on events and marketing to make it happen and did a lot on the day to make things run smoothly;
- **Cherylene Neels and all of the staff** at Snells Beach School who helped the children develop their ideas and then worked like Trojans to make it all happen both before and on the day;
- **The students of Snells Beach School**, who worked, planned and schemed and then gave up their day to sell, perform and entertain, as well as work;
- **Our lovely parents** who helped the teachers and the students with the class stalls and made the lovely baking for the Trail Cafe;
- **Bridget Farmiloe** for compering the day;
- **The Snells Beach Community** who supported us with Garage Sales and Car Boot Sales and donated goods of all kinds;
- **Our sponsors and business partners** – Barfoot and Thompson for help with the signage and promotion (especially Dave Prior), Chairs (Caleb & Jo Gradwell), Sandcastles (Kylie Steffener), SJS Construction (Shaun Steffener), Talbot Dance Academy, Gym Spot, Sheer Bliss, Warkworth Collision Repairs, Horse Riding Warkworth, Liquor Land (Cheech & Trudi Mahue), Warkworth New World, Mr Whippy, Brenda Howson & Kathy Roscoe and all of the craft stall holders in the hall.

Thank you everyone! It was a fabulous day and we hope you enjoyed it too.

Indications are that we raised between **\$4,000 and \$5,000** – a great result!



School Events

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

Nate Phillips – Kauri 1

Anthony France – Kauri 2

Olivia France – Manawa 2

School Diary

Week 7

Monday 24 Nov	3–3.45pm Homework Club in Puriri 2 3.45-5pm Athletics with Tony
Wednesday 26 Nov	6.30pm BOT Meeting 3–3.45pm Homework Club in Puriri 2 3.45-5pm Tennis & Badminton with Tony
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
Friday 28 Nov	Christmas Carols Choir Practice at Warkworth
Wednesday 3 Dec	3–3.45pm Homework Club in Puriri 2 3.45-5pm Tennis & Badminton with Tony
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

Week 8

Monday 1 Dec	3–3.45pm Homework Club in Puriri 2 3.45-5pm Athletics with Tony
Friday 5 Dec	1.30/2pm (TBC) Junior Christmas Assembly
Friday 5 Dec	End of Year Reports go home 7.30pm Christmas Carols in the Park Warkworth

Week 9

Monday 8 Dec	3–3.45pm Homework Club in Puriri 2 3.45-5pm Athletics with Tony
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
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
Friday 12 Dec	1pm Awards Ceremony (Full School)

Week 10

No Homework Club or after school activities this week

Monday 15 Dec	Middle School Water Afternoon (notice will come) Y6 Graduation (time and details to be confirmed) Final Newsletter
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Tuesday 16 December
3pm School finishes for the year.



THE LIONS CLUB OF KOWHAI COAST

Presents

A “Treemendous” Xmas Tree Display

At the Old Masonic Hall, Warkworth

Daily from December 2nd 2014 until Sunday 7th from 10am till 4pm

Late night Friday until??? and Sunday hours 10am till 1pm.


Santa will be available for photographs from Wed. till Sat. 10am till 12 noon, then 2pm till 4pm.

Admission – Adults \$2-00. Children 5yrs and over \$1-00
Great Sales Table and Raffles

All proceeds go to the Westpac Chopper Appeal









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Warkworth Lions Club annual event

- Registrations compulsory and close Thursday February 19th 2015 at 5 p.m. **NO LATE ENTRIES** accepted.
- Registration forms available from January 7th at Diving and Fishing Snell's Beach, Hunting and Fishing or online at takeakidfishingwarkworth@gmail.com
- Rules and information on Registration forms.