



**Asher** - Excellence in reading and moving up two levels.

**Archer** - Awesome writing and sounding our spelling words.

**Isaac** - Super effort with his homework and improving in his times tables and spelling.

**Noah S** - Mastering his 2 timetables.

**Rebecca** - Making exceptional progress in writing the alphabet.

**Benjie** - Memorising and reciting the 66 books of the Bible.

## R.I.C.H Values

**Resilience** - get back up and give it a go.

**Integrity** - doing the right thing even though nobody is watching.

**Compassion** - showing care and kindness to all.

**Honour** - going above and beyond to show respect.

## Please pray for...

A positive term of learning, growing closer to Jesus for our students, staff and parents.

## Challenge Chair

**Alex** - Relating to others

Welcome to KingsView  
School

**Eli** - Wai Class

## The week that was

Kia ora koutou, Ciao a tutti, Minasan, kon'nichiwa, Namaste sabhī ko, Bonjour à tous, Sawubona, Talofa lava, Kamusta sa lahat, Dàjiā hǎo, Olá a todos!

Welcome to Week 3 of Term 2, 2025!

Phew! Swim week for 2025 is done and dusted. It was amazing to see the increase in both water skills and confidence as the week progressed. I know first had how tired the children get after the swim and the walk to and from the Events Centre so thank you to all of our parents who helped make the week great and a special mention to our 22 parent helpers who assisted with the walk and changing - you're amazing, thank you!



Last week we also welcomed local legend, Nanny Gill to our school assembly to hear about how she and others set up the Early Learning Centre and KingsView School on this site. It was a real inspiration and fitted so well with our theme of changing seasons. To go a small way to honouring her we presented her with a kea, card and K.E.A certificate.



Lastly, we celebrated Mother's Day over the weekend. You might have seen our school Facebook post thanking the mothers and mother figures for all they do for us. Follow our page for more updates.

## The week that will be

After a busy swim week we are back into our routines and existing programmes. We have our extra but normal actives such as visits to the library, St. John's reading dog, STEPs, Learning Village taking place as well as our usual reading, writing, maths and other curriculum areas.



I trust getting back into school routine will be helpful for your family as we start Week 3. Don't forget it's a Celebration of Learning assembly this week - we hope to see you there.

Blessings,

Amos



### Monday 12th May

- \* Maunga library session

### Tuesday 13th May

\*After School Club 3pm - 4pm  
or 3pm - 5pm email  
[asc@kingsview.school.nz](mailto:asc@kingsview.school.nz) to  
enrol.

- \* Staff meeting @ 3:15pm

- \* Wai library session

- \* Drum lessons

- \* Kung Fu @ 5pm

### Wednesday 14th May

\*After School Club 3pm - 4pm  
or 3pm - 5pm email  
[asc@kingsview.school.nz](mailto:asc@kingsview.school.nz) to  
enrol.

- \* Drum lessons

- \* Rakau library session

### Thursday 15th May

\*After School Club 3pm - 4pm  
or 3pm - 5pm email  
[asc@kingsview.school.nz](mailto:asc@kingsview.school.nz) to  
enrol.

- \* Kingsview Mini's 10am -  
11am

### Friday 16th May

- \* Assembly at 2pm

### Coming Up

- \* Monday 2nd June - King's  
Birthday

- \* 13th June - 15th June -  
World Vision 40 Hour  
Challenge


- \* 20th June - Matariki

- \* Reports emailed

- \* 27th June - Last day of  
Term 2



## Trusting God in the waiting

 **Family Devotion:** Seasons of Change – From Shepherd to King

"The Lord does not look at the things people look at. People look at the outward appearance, but the Lord looks at the heart." – 1 Samuel 16:7b

**Introduction:** Have you ever felt like you were ready for something... but God seemed to be taking His time? Maybe you've been told you have a gift, a dream, or a calling – but you're still waiting for it to happen. David knew that feeling very well.

David was a humble shepherd boy, the youngest of his brothers, when the prophet Samuel anointed him to be the next king of Israel. Imagine being told you're going to be king... then going straight back to looking after sheep! It would take many years, including a season of running for his life, hiding in caves, and enduring betrayals, before David finally wore the crown.

 **Main Message:** God Prepares Us in the In-Between

God didn't waste David's waiting season. While the world saw a shepherd, God saw a king in training. In the quiet fields, David learned to worship. In the lonely caves, he learned to trust. In the battles, he learned to lead.


Like David, we all go through seasons of change. Sometimes life is exciting, other times it's hard or confusing. But no season is wasted with God. He's shaping our character privately before He reveals our calling publicly.

 **Family Discussion Questions**

What are some changes our family has gone through recently?

Can you think of a time when a hard season helped you grow?

How can we trust God even when we don't understand His timing?

 **Family Prayer**

Dear Lord, thank You for being with us in every season – the exciting ones and the hard ones. Help us to be like David: faithful in the small things, trusting You even when things don't make sense. Prepare our hearts for all You have planned for us. In Jesus' name,

Amen.

## Our Vision

Unlocking each child's treasure trove of gifts and talents.

## Important Information

### Absentees

Please let the School Office know by 8:45am if your child / children will be absent for any reason or arriving late to School, via the absentee icon on Skool Loop.

### Attendance

Please ensure your child is at School in time to demonstrate their organisational skills prior to 8:50am. Giving children time to build rapport with their teacher and peers as well as get themselves organised for the day including a sharp pencil, opportunity to go to the bathroom, fill up a drink bottle etc is important. Likewise after school it is important to promptly pick up your child after as staff have meetings and cannot be expected supervise children after 2:50pm.

### Arrival and Departure

KingsView is open to students and parents from 8:30am. Please do not drop your child/ren off prior to this as they may not be supervised. Similarly, please ensure prompt pick up after 2:50pm due to staff and parent meetings.

### Car Parking

Once you have collected your child please ensure they are safe on a very busy stretch of road.

### Calendar

Please see our [school website calendar](#) and / or Skool Loop for this information.

### Uniform

Need new School uniform? Here's the [link to our requirements](#). Don't forget your sunhat, drink bottle and to apply sunblock.

### Public Health Nurse

Please find the [online contact link here](#) or call 03 450 9156

### Bus

Please email our bus controller, Mr Pilgrim on [principal@kingsview.school.nz](mailto:principal@kingsview.school.nz) if you've had any changes to the days your child/ren use the bus.

### General

If you have changed your address, contact numbers or email address please let the School Office know as soon as possible. Also, if any details for your emergency contacts need to be updated, please email the School on [office@kingsview.school.nz](mailto:office@kingsview.school.nz)

May God R.I.C.Hly bless you and all you do in 2025,

Amos Pilgrim