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## NEWSLETTER: TERM 4, WEEK 6 - November 13, 2025

Hello • Bula • Kia Ora • Namaste • Kamusta • Talofa Lava • Ni Hao • Kon'nichiwa • Bojour • Hola

Welcome to week 6 of term. Wasn't the showcase last week just amazing! we are all so proud of everyone for their performances. They all did a remarkable job and the seniors with Sweet child of mine just breathtaking. A huge thank you to Sheila Beckers and her son for their hard work with this performance. We are very fortunate to have Sheila with us at Clifton, especially when she produces evenings like that. To her credit and a selection of children they then backed this up with an equally impressive performance at the Bulls friendship club on the Friday afternoon. Well done to those performers as well.

Next week sees the year 5 and 6's head off to Waikanae for camp. This, I am sure will be a highlight of the year and something they remember for a very long time. We wish them all well for this week and I will be down during the week to visit.

We have been speaking to the children lately about the non-sharing of food. Can you please also reiterate this to your child. Some children are simply arriving with large bags of chips and biscuits to share with others which isn't healthy for a start and then causes issues between the children.

Please keep an eye on the important dates below as we work our way towards the 12th December.

Have a wonderful week and enjoy the sun as it starts to warm up.

Ngā mihi

Adrian Burn - *Principal*

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

|                             |                                                |
|-----------------------------|------------------------------------------------|
| Monday 17-21 November ..... | Year 5 & 6 Camp                                |
| Friday 28 November .....    | Funday with PALS at Bulls - Te ruma Pīwakawaka |
| Monday 1 December .....     | BOT Meeting                                    |
| Tuesday 2 December .....    | Leavers Dinner                                 |
| Wednesday 3 December .....  | Triathlon - Te ruma Pīwakawaka & Te ruma Tīke  |
| Thursday 4 December.....    | Year 7 & 8 Beach Water Safety                  |
| Friday 5 December.....      | Year 5 & 6 Beach Water Safety                  |
| Tuesday 9 December .....    | Community Morning Tea                          |
| Wednesday 10 December ..... | Prizegiving                                    |
| Friday 12 December .....    | End of Term 4, 12PM                            |
| Monday 2 February .....     | Term 1, 2026 Begins                            |

# Congratulations to our Most Valuable Pupils



## **TE RUMA KERERŪ**

Te ruma Kererū for an outstanding performance at Music Showcase

## **TE RUMA TŪI**

Te ruma Tūi for an outstanding performance at Music Showcase

## **TE RUMA PIWAKAWAKA**

Mauriora Graham for your mind blowing maths results!

## **TE RUMA TĪEKE**

Aleeah Burn for persistence in learning & performing on a recorder.

## **TE RUMA KIWI**

Kobi Walker for Awesome effort at Music Showcase!

## **TE RUMA KĀREAREA**

Yaqoob Hendricks for effort and Progress in learning.

## **TE RUMA KĀKĀPŌ**

Te ruma Kākāpō for an outstanding performance at Music Showcase

# **KEI RUNGA NOA ATU KOUTOU**



# HAPPY BIRTHDAY

**Tomorrow**

Tamahou Wood

Te ruma Tūi

Turns 6 years old



**On Monday**

Annette Uini

Te ruma Tūke

Turns 10 years old



**Tomorrow**

Sean Kyle Sanchez

Te ruma Kākāpō

Turns 13 years old



**On Monday**

Carter Clarkson

Te ruma Kārearea

Turns 13 years old



**On Sunday**

Imaan Dickson

Te ruma Kiwi

Turns 11 years old



**On Monday**

Cody Vercoe

Te ruma Tīeke

Turns 9 years old



**On Sunday**

Annabelle Scott

Te ruma Kiwi

Turns 11 years old



**On Tuesday**

Dean Johnston

Te ruma Tūi

Turns 6 years old



# HAPPY BIRTHDAY



# BULLS FRIENDSHIP CLUB CONCERT

On Friday 7 November 42 senior Clifton tamariki bussed to the Bulls Friendship Club to entertain the members there. We had one brief rehearsal for this concert on Friday morning, yet the students gave 100% and performed cheerfully and confidently for 45 minutes. Special mention to Freddie, Millie, Annette and Mackenzie from Te Ruma Tieke who played 'Imagine' on the recorder beautifully, while the rest of our musicians strummed along on their guitars or ukes. Another special mention must go to Charlotte from Te Ruma Kārearea, who performed a beautiful solo ballet dance which mesmerised us all. Every one of the tamariki who committed to this impromptu concert, after the effort of our Music Showcase the night before, and stepped up to sing, dance, sasa, or play instruments for the Friendship Club, deserve a mention: Braxton, Owen, Dallas, Kyra, Shakhalia, Abigail, Lilly, Caitlin, Payton, Monica, Aimee, Toby, Salem, Jaden, Aria-Rose, Renee, Lorna-Marie, Emily, Matilda, Nakita, Dahna, Akeela, Charlotte, Willow, Kawhia, Maddie, Neith, Hayley, Ezekiel, Theo, Miracle, Zansi, Imaan, Anna-belle, Briar, Romy, Mackenzie, Annette, Millie, Freddie, Amelia and Rylee: Thank you so much for your enthusiasm, positive energy, heart, and talent. You rock!







## MUSIC MVP's

### Week 5:

Music MVPs: Lorna-Marie Faa'aliga for fabulous effort on guitar and leading the Ukulele Sasa

Rogan Cole, for confidence and flare playing the marimba

### Week 6

Casey Oxnam for your effort and enthusiasm during our Music Showcase

Faith Faa'aliga for your confident singing and fabulous glockenspiel playing.

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## FINALS

MARTON vs BULLS

4 Sports

RSA & Citizens' Memorial Hall  
9 December 2025

PAPER HOCKEY | BASKETBALL | SOFT SOCCER  
AMERICAN FOOTBALL (TOUCH)

**TRAININGS:**  
Tuesdays: 18th & 25th November  
2nd & 9th December

**TRAVELLING FROM BULLS:**  
The Bulls Community Van will leave  
Te Matapipi at 3.15pm and return at 4.45pm

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## Thursday of School Term 4

POOL & DARTS  
3.30 to 4.30 - Ages 10 & over  
Bulls vs Marton Competition @ the end of term  
Held at the Bulls RSA

Email Heidi on office@bulls.kiwi to register

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# JOIN OUR TEAM

## School Caretaker/Gardener/ All-Round Fix-It Person

Clifton School is looking for a reliable and practical person to join our team as our new Caretaker/Gardner/All-Round Fix-It Person .

This position involves looking after our school grounds and buildings  
- maintaining gardens and lawns, fixing equipment, and  
keeping our kura looking it's best for our tamariki.

### We are after someone who:

- Is handy with tools and enjoys repairing and maintaining things
- Can work independently and manage their time well
- Takes pride in their work and has good eye for detail.
- Has a positive attitude and enjoys being part of a school community

10 hours per week

If this sounds like you ( or someone you know), please contact the school office on (06) 322-1544 or email: [office@clifton.school.nz](mailto:office@clifton.school.nz) for more information or to apply







# THE EGG PROJECT

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