NEWSLETTER: TERM 4, WEEK 7 - November 19, 2025

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

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Over the past week you will have no doubt seen the media around the coloured sand and the asbestos contamination. As some of you who had older children a number of years ago you may remember that we had some of this sand as part of show day exhibits 2-3 years ago in Room 8. Upon talking to Worksafe NZ as well as the MOE we have simply disposed of the remainder of what was on site. What we had was in sealed containers and hadn't been opened in several years. No one was at risk and there is nothing that we need to do around decontamination.

At the end of the year we will be having a community morning tea on Tuesday 9th December. You are all welcome to come to this at 11am. This is our thanks to you for everything that you do for us throughout the year. We appreciate it all.

Have a good week and we look forward to hearing about camp.

Naā mihi

Adrian Burn - Principal

Congratulations to our Most Valuable Pupils



TE RUMA KERERŪ

Luka Schuurman for a smooth transition into school. Your positivity, courage and readiness to learn is amazing!

TE RUMA TŪĪ

Ayesha Hendricks for working hard in all learning areas. Ka pai to

TE RUMA PIWAKAWAKA

Saphera Thompson for pushing through your measurement task even though it was hard.

TE RUMA TĪEKE

Freddie Vincent for great management in all learning areas.

TE RUMA KIWI

Imaan Dickson for always staying focused at task on hand.

TE RUMA KĀREAREA

Marcus Smith for engagement in learning and research effort.

TE RUMA KĀKĀPŌ

Azalea Cornish for stunning design work on your book dust jacket.

MUSIC

Max Norris for bringing joy & personality to all music lessons.





Today

Aiyana Toki

Te ruma

turned 7 years old



On Saturday

Manawa Toki

Te Ruma Kiwi

Turns 10 years old



POOL KEY

Pool keys are now available from the school office at a cost of cost \$50.00 for the season

Pool will be ready for use at the end of next week



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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

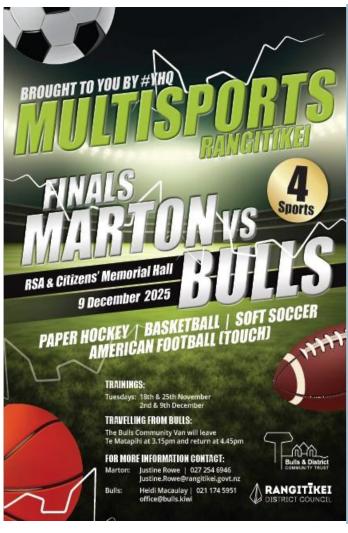
10 hours per week

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











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