



# KINGSGATE SCHOOL

Kia mohio, ki te aroha, ki te mahi.  
To know, to love, to serve.

## Newsletter - Thursday 6 March - Term 1 Week 5

### *From the Principal*

#### **Thank You for a Fantastic School BBQ!**

What a wonderful evening we had at the recent School BBQ! A huge thank you to everyone who came along and made it such a special event. The turnout was fantastic, and it was great to see so many families connecting and enjoying the evening together. A special thank you to our *Friends of the School* team for their incredible effort in organizing everything so beautifully. We are also grateful to God for blessing us with such perfect weather for the occasion.

#### **Attendance Requirements & Procedures**

A reminder that our school has updated attendance requirements and procedures to ensure we meet national guidelines. These are important for maintaining a strong learning environment and supporting student success. You can find the full details on our school website under the *School Info* tab. We appreciate your cooperation in helping us implement these changes smoothly.

#### **Clear Procedures**

While we pray that the need does not arise often, we want to remind our community that if any concerns or complaints about school life do occur, there are clear procedures in place. These guidelines help ensure that issues are handled appropriately and fairly. If needed, you can find the relevant documents under the *School Info* tab on our website.

## Student Representation

Finally, a huge congratulations to all our students who have proudly represented KingsGate in various events over the past two weeks. Whether on the sports field, in academic competitions, or other activities, your commitment and excellence are truly commendable. You continue to uphold our school values, and we are incredibly proud of you!

Thank you again for your continued support and involvement in our school community.

**Jared Stein**

*KingsGate School Principal*

### Coming up

|        |                 |                                                                                                          |
|--------|-----------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Week 6 | Thur,<br>13 Mar | <b>Year 9-11</b> - Hearing Screening                                                                     |
|        | Fri,<br>14 Mar  | <b>Parent Prayer Meeting</b> 8:40am meet by the playground                                               |
|        |                 | <b>Primary Assembly</b> 8:50am in Totara LIFEspace, all welcome to attend                                |
| Week 7 | Wed,<br>19 Mar  | <b>Year 7 &amp; 8 -Technology</b> - Students to be dropped off at Pukekohe Intermediate school at 8:45am |
|        | Fri,<br>21 Mar  | <b>Parent Prayer Meeting</b> 8:40am meet by the playground                                               |
| Week 8 | Mon,<br>24 Mar  | <b>Board of Trustees Meeting</b> - 7:00pm                                                                |
|        | Wed,26<br>Mar   | <b>Year 7/8</b> - Ultra Rip Rugby                                                                        |
|        | Thur,<br>27 Mar | <b>Year 5/6</b> - Rippa Rugby                                                                            |
|        | Fri,<br>28 Mar  | <b>Mufti Day</b> - Gold coin donation requested                                                          |
|        |                 | <b>Parent Prayer Meeting</b> 8:40am meet by the playground                                               |

*You can also visit the calendar in the Skool Loop app for upcoming events*

## Staff Shout Out

A huge thank you to **Mrs Ackerman** for her unwavering support of our high school students and for being such an inspiring Performing Arts teacher! Your passion, dedication, and encouragement make a lasting impact, and we are so grateful for the energy and creativity you bring to KingsGate. Your commitment to our students does not go unnoticed—thank you for all that you do!

## Notifications from the Office

Please be aware that if your child is not in the class at the time the roll is called or if they arrive late and do not sign in at the office, our system arranges for a message to be sent to the caregiver requesting an explanation. It can occur that a student may be in the bathroom or in a music lesson at the time of roll call but please respond to them message with either an explanation of their absence or if they should be at school.

Additionally, all head knocks at school are assessed for concussion regardless of its degree and a notification will be sent to the caregiver, we encourage you to keep an eye on them at home also as sometimes concussion can be delayed.

## FOTS Box:

Once again, thank you for the fantastic support from you as a school community in attending the School BBQ Picnic event last week.

To continue running these fantastic events and raising funds for our tamariki, we need your help. Our team is small, and without additional support, we won't be able to deliver the events we have planned. Many hands make light work! Please consider joining us so we can keep making great things happen for our kids.

Please talk to Anna Hunt in the office or email us at [fots@kingsgate.school.nz](mailto:fots@kingsgate.school.nz)

## Your Contact Information

Thank you for a prompt return of the request to update your contact information, we endeavor to complete the data entry of this in a prompt and timely matter.

## Parent Prayer Meeting

This is your personal invitation to join with parents of the school to pray over our school and it's community. Meet every Friday morning 8:40am by the playground shelter.

### Prayer Points

- Thankfulness for the progress made on the building of the new pavilion so far, for the health and safety of those who work on site.
- Thankfulness for the long periods of good weather so our students can enjoy their break times playing outside, including new sports like volleyball and pickleball.
- Request for wellness and good immune systems as the seasons change

We use **STRENGTH** when we...

**Let myself and  
others learn**



**Book Club rewards your School!**

Every purchase you make earns your child's school 15% of your order value in Scholastic Rewards that can be used to purchase valuable educational resources that benefit your child.



Families order from Book Club.



The school earns Scholastic Rewards.



The school redeems Scholastic Rewards for additional resources

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## Sponsorship

Thank you to the families that have made one off payments or started regular payments into the sponsorship account, this is such a blessing for families in our school community. If you wish to contribute, 100% of all monies donated go to supporting students in need, the account number is:

KingsGate Cheque - **ASB: 12-3107-0061691-00**

Please reference with your family name and *sponsorship* as a reference on the payment.

## Helpful Contacts/Numbers/Websites/Apps

### School Phone Number:

09 293 0297

### School Facebook Page:

KingsGate School

### School Website:

[www.kingsgate.school.nz](http://www.kingsgate.school.nz)

### School Parent App:

Skool Loop

### School Bank Details:

**ASB 12-3107-0061691-00**

Please reference with your family name and reason

### School Fees - NZCPT -

**Selena Codlin:** [selena@nzcpt.nz](mailto:selena@nzcpt.nz)

You can still talk to the admin staff in the office about fees, it is good to talk if there is an issue with paying.

We can usually make a payment plan if required to help.

### NZCPT Bank Details (Fees):

**ASB**

**12-3107-0061704-05**

Please reference with your family code or name if unknown

## School Communication

Please direct general enquiries to our front desk  
email: [info@kingsgate.school.nz](mailto:info@kingsgate.school.nz) or phone: **09 239 0297**

## KingsGate School Contacts

If you have a specific query, please see below for contacts

|                |                  |                                                                                              |
|----------------|------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Jared Stein    | Principal        | <a href="mailto:principal@kingsgate.school.nz">principal@kingsgate.school.nz</a>             |
| Peter Maslin   | Head of High     | <a href="mailto:hoh@kingsgate.school.nz">hoh@kingsgate.school.nz</a>                         |
| Rachel Cadelis | Head of Primary  | <a href="mailto:hoh@kingsgate.school.nz">hop@kingsgate.school.nz</a>                         |
| Vicki Cairns   | Office Manager   | <a href="mailto:admin@kingsgate.school.nz">admin@kingsgate.school.nz</a>                     |
| Aaron Snook    | Presiding Member | <a href="mailto:presidingmember@kingsgate.school.nz">presidingmember@kingsgate.school.nz</a> |

# Community Notices



## Walkers Wanted

EARN EXTRA CASH. GET YOUR DAILY EXERCISE, & EXPLORE THE NEIGHBOURHOOD!

- Reliable distributors wanted for part-time work delivering catalogues/newspapers into household letterboxes.
- No experience necessary - just your desire to be part of the community!
- We would love it if you have a smartphone
- Materials to be mailed are delivered right to your door.
- Regular work - twice weekly

APPLY NOW! →

CONTACT: Stacey 0212548226  
EMAIL: brodiebenjamin@hotmail.com  
or VISIT: reach.nz/walker-signup

REACH

AOTEAROA, ARE YOU READY?



## WORLD DANCE CREW CHAMPIONSHIP

DUE DROP EVENTS CENTRE, AUCKLAND  
13TH - 19TH APRIL 2025

WORLD DANCE CREW CHAMPIONSHIP.COM

**FREE TRIAL SESSION**  
AVAILABLE FOR  
**4.5 - 12**  
YEARS OLD

- ✓ Confidence & Resilience
- ✓ Focus & Discipline
- ✓ Body Co-ordination
- ✓ Fitness
- ✓ FUN!!!

**KIDS**

## JIU JITSU CLASSES!

We're kicking off another exciting year of Kids Jiu Jitsu classes in 2025, and we can't wait to see your little warriors grow in confidence, discipline, and skill!

**REGISTER NOW!**  
**TRAIN FOR LIFE**  
FITNESS

Trainforlifefitness.org  
028 8517 9105

## SQUASH JUNIOR COACHING

TERM 1 WILL START BACK - MON 3 FEB  
ON ALL MONDAYS DURING THE TERM EXCEPT PUBLIC HOLIDAYS  
GEAR PROVIDED AT THE CLUB  
2 FREE TRIAL SESSIONS WELCOMED

**CONTACT MARK TO JOIN**  
**CAN START MID TERM**  
**027-478-5021**  
**OR EMAIL**  
**ADMIN@FRANKLINSQUASH.ORG.NZ**

**CLASSES** **TIME (MONDAY)**

|                |             |
|----------------|-------------|
| LITTLE HITTERS | 3.45-4.20pm |
| JUNIOR BRONZE  | 4.20-5.00pm |
| JUNIOR SILVER  | 5.00-5.45pm |
| JUNIOR GOLD    | 5.45-6.45pm |

Franklin Juniors Proudly Sponsored By:

**NEW WORLD**  
Pukekohe  
Proud to support your local Community

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# 2025

## WAIKUPA MUSTER SCHEDULE

March 23, Sunday.....Junior Muster  
years 1-6 11am-1pm

March 6, Thursday.....Youth Muster  
years 7-11 6:30-8pm  
(U13 & U16 GRADES)

**FOR MORE INFO CONTACT**  
JUNIORS@WPHC.CO.NZ  
YOUTH@WPHC.CO.NZ

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LOCATED AT AGD STRATHALLAN\*