Okains Bay School NEWSLETTER

Term 3 Week 8

OKAINS BAY SCHOOL

Our school values are:

Whakamanawa– Confidence
Eke– Achievement
Ngaki– Effort
Manaakitanga– Respect

Upcoming Events

- Thurs 10 Sep Mr B in for music
- Thurs 10 Sep Principal PLG
- Mon 14 Sep Mrs DJ away for the rest of T3
- Thurs 17 Sept Mr B in for music
- Thurs 17 Sept Google workspace licence
- Thurs 17 Sept Rebecca from Corrections

Principal's Note

Kia ora e te whānau,
I hope everyone has enjoyed the first week of spring, with lambs in the paddocks and daffodils in bloom—sure signs that we may finally be past the worst of winter!

Demolition of the Okains Bay Hall:
Most of you will know by now that the Te Pātaka o Rākaihautū Banks Peninsula Community Board has recommended the demolition of our local hall. The hall provided our kura with a valuable place and space during our renovations, and significant investment was made by the Ministry of Education to bring the building up to code.
The Council will make the final decision, taking the Community Board's recommendation into consideration. We sincerely hope the Council sees fit to replace the hall with a facility that is fit for purpose and meets the needs of our wonderful community.

Parihaka Day in the Bay:
Once again, our kura will be working alongside the Okains Bay Museum to bring the story and significance of Parihaka to the forefront of our local and wider community.
Please put the following date in your diary:
Date: Thursday 5 November
Time: 10am
Venue: Okains Bay Museum
Everyone is warmly welcome to attend. If you would like to help out in any way, please email office@okainsbay.school.nz.
Have a superb weekend, everyone. Keep warm!

Mā te wā,
Colin, Lisa, Krystal, Di and Barbara
Okains Bay School Staff

Community News



NOT ONLY DO WE GET FREE HEALTHY SCHOOL LUNCHES BUT ALSO GET PROVIDED WITH FREE WEETBIX, KIDSCAN FOOD, AND MILK FOR SCHOOLS.



You're invited to

PARIHAKA DAY

Join us for a special day of remembrance, learning and community.

Thursday, 5 November

10.00am

Okains Bay Museum

We warmly invite all kura, whānau, and community members to attend this meaningful event.



Okains Bay School is pleased to be collaborating with the Okains Bay Museum.

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OKAINS BAY MUSEUM

He maumaharatanga • He ako • He hapori