

TERM FOUR

WEEK 7 MONDAY 20TH NOVEMBER

2023

EBBETT PARK SCHOOL

EXCELLENCE, PRIDE & SPIRIT



MUST READ Message

As the 2024 year is nearing its end I am excited to let you know that within the next few weeks the entrance on Oliphant Road will be completed.

The fencing posts have been put into place, as have the posts for the waharoa just inside the gate entrance. The concrete is being poured starting today. Once all of this is complete the new fencing will be put into place and the entrance will be ready to use.



When the Oliphant Road entrance is available to be used our contractors will start to remove the temporary 'roading' from around the edge of the school field. When this starts the Wall Road entrance will be CLOSED to everyone and we will only be able to enter and exit via Oliphant Road. (Exact date will be communicated)

Oliphant Road has always been a road known for congestion and the pressure was removed when we used both Wall Road and Oliphant. However, because Wall Road will be closed for the last two weeks of



Vision

Empowering akonga to be culturally inclusive and engaged community members of the future. Striving to excel, standing with pride and connecting with spirit.



Mission

Ebbett Park School will challenge students to excel and provide them With all they require to be lifelong learners.

EXCELLENCE
Matatau

PRIDE
Kaha

SPIRIT
Mana

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this term we would like to remove the congestion issue by inviting our whanau to pick up their tamariki from Southland Road, from the crossing south.

We will have a 'Walking Bus' exiting school at 2.35pm to walk to Southland Road Crossing. A staff member will wait with tamariki until they are picked up before returning to school. All other tamariki will exit school as per normal: 2.40pm Whānau Group followed by non-whanau at 2.50pm - all via Oliphant Road.

Please complete the 'Confirmation Slip' which is at the back of this newsletter to inform us how your child/children will be getting home and in which group they will be in when Oliphant Road entrance becomes the ONLY entry and exit point for Ebbett Park School.

Message from the Principal

Thank you to those of you that came in today to provide us with feedback that will help us to plan for the future of Ebbett Park School and establish the Strategic Direction for the next couple of years. If you were unable to come in but are keen to be part of this process please contact me so that the activity can be completed with you or sent home for you to do in your own time.

Please understand that we do require the information by the end of the week so that it can be collated and then a draft strategic plan put together and made available for feedback before the end of this academic year.

Everyone's 'voice' matters and we encourage you to be part of this process.

Please keep an eye out for the 2024 academic year details that will be sent out in next weeks newsletter.



Kate Medicott.

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What Coming Up.

EBBETT PARK

INVITES WHĀNAU TO JOIN US FOR
AROUND THE WORLD
LEARNING CELEBRATION

Come and join us for the afternoon and wander around the world with us as we show case our learning for this term.
Join us for lunch (BYO healthy picnic as the kids will have lunches sorted)
After lunch, explore the classrooms and dive into the
7 continents of the world
FRIDAY 1ST DECEMBER, 1.00 LUNCH-2.45



Ebbett Park School

Kapa Haka Rōpu

Invites you to join us for

Our 2023 End of Year Performance

Thursday 7th December

@ Ebbett Park Playground

(across the road from school)

12.15pm - 12.45pm

For our Ebbett Park Community

The tamariki in this rōpu have been practising all year to improve their skill and talent as kapa haka performers. Unfortunately, due to a scheduling error, we had to withdraw from the local festival event. To ensure the tamariki don't miss out on their opportunity to shine, we would like to perform to you, as part of our learning community. Please join us as an audience member when we perform in Ebbett Park on 7th December, 2023.



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2024 Weet-Bix Try

WE ARE LOOKING FOR YOU!

- The Weet-Bix TRYathlon is all about giving it a TRY and is a rewarding and fun day out for you and your child.
- Ebbett Park School would like as many tamariki as we can there to support to give it a TRY.
- Participants need to be aged 7-15 years old on event day, and can complete the TRYathlon as an individual or in a team of two.
- To enter the TRYathlon return the form below to Whaea Kelly ASAP so she can register your team of two.
- We even have a special entry code that means it will only cost your child \$5 to enter. We have 15 of these special entries and two lucky children will go in the draw to win a free entry!

EVENT DETAILS

- When: Wednesday 14th Feb, 2024
- Where: Mitre 10 Sports Park

RACE DETAILS

Teams of 2. One person swims, the other bikes, then they finish the run together

Distances are approximate and are as follows;

- 6 year olds 50m swim / 1.5km run
- 7 year olds 50m swim / 4km cycle / 1.5km run
- 8 - 10 year olds 75 - 100m swim / 4km cycle / 1.5km run
- 11 - 15 year olds 150 - 200m swim / 8km cycle / 1.5 km run

If you don't have a bike but want to compete, let us know and we can get some help with supplying a bike. Return the form below to enter!



Positive Behaviour 4 LEARNING



Term 4 House Results

Our Term Four Classdojo Leaderboard

Each week our students are busy showing off their awesomeness and earning Classdojo points. As a parent you can also see how many points they are getting and what they are getting their points for. If you are not connected to Classdojo please contact your child's teacher and they will help you.

Week One
TANGAROA



Week Two
TANE MAHUTA



Week Three
TAWHIRIMATEA



Week Four
TANGAROA



Week Five
TAWHIRIMATEA



Week Six
TANE MAHUTA



Week Seven

Week Eight

Week Nine

Week Ten

Term Four Winner

Positive Behaviour 4 LEARNING

Our Classdojo Champions - Week 6

These students earned the most Classdojo points in their classroom during the week.



Our Week 7 PB4L Behaviour Focus.

This week our PB4L focus has a school-wide focus on being kind when we speak to each other. As we rush into the end of another long year and the warmer weather, students are more tired and have less patience - they all looked very tired leaving school on Friday! It's important to stop and think before we say something hurtful and also appreciate it when someone says something kind - demonstrating whanaungatanga.

We love
speaking kindly
and being
kindly spoken
to.

Spirit / Mana

EBBETT PARK SCHOOL

BEHAVIOUR EXPECTATIONS

Everyday we try to Show our School values and behaviour expectations in our class, around our School and in the community.



EXCELLENCE	PRIDE	SPIRIT
<p>Excellence shows excellence in all behaviours. Excellence shows excellence in all learning. Excellence shows excellence in all attitudes.</p> <p> We show respect by listening to others.</p> <p> We love being an Ebbett Park School example.</p> <p> We are always focused on our learning.</p> <p> We like to solve problems ourselves or with others.</p> <p> We always try to show our best.</p>	<p>Pride shows pride in oneself. Pride shows pride in her school. Pride shows pride in her community.</p> <p> We look after personal and school property.</p> <p> We like to think positively about ourselves and others.</p> <p> We love using manners to show respect.</p> <p> We like to respectfully share ideas and opinions.</p> <p> We proudly keep our uniform tidy and correct.</p>	<p>Spirit shows spirit in an extraordinary way. Spirit shows spirit in all relationships. Spirit shows spirit in all activities.</p> <p> We like working with our team buddies.</p> <p> We love exploring new ideas and experiences.</p> <p> We can identify our feelings and help others with theirs.</p> <p> We love speaking kindly and being spoken kindly to.</p> <p> We embrace challenge and will persevere.</p>
<p>HATATAU TO KNOW, KNOW WELL, BE PROFICIENT, EXPERT AT, COMPETENT, FLUENT.</p>	<p>KAHA TO BE STRONG, ABLE, CAPABLE, COURAGEOUS, ENERGETIC.</p>	<p>MANA TO SHOW THROUGH SELF-DETERMINATION AND CONTROL OVER ONE'S OWN DESTINY.</p>



Celebrating Successes



Classroom Champions Week 5

Congratulations to these amazing students who have been acknowledge for being amazing students and friends around Ebbett Park School. These students have continued to demonstrate awesome excellence, pride and spirit in and around our classrooms. Well done **Legend, Lily, Fuaolupesina, Albrecht, Athea, Aleah-Jade & Axton.**



Values VIPs Week 5

Congratulations to **Kailyn, Abby, Ivie-Maye & Mihia** who continue to demonstrate our school-wide PB4L focus and show our values of excellence, pride and spirit in and around our classrooms. Last we our whole-wide PB4L focus was 'We treat the playground equipment with respect'.

Sports: Mini-Ball

Congratulations to Nevaeh and AJ for being our Most Important Mini-Ball players over the past two weeks. Ebbett Park School has a Mini-Ball team playing at Mahora School every Monday after school.



PUBLIC NOTICES

Is your workplace our perfect match?



LET'S MAKE A DIFFERENCE TOGETHER

Our school is partnering with Big Brothers Big Sisters Hawke's Bay and local businesses to help more of our young people in need.

We're looking for workplaces that are willing to give one or more staff members the opportunity to volunteer as a mentor for a couple of hours a week at the end of the school day during 2024.

Employer-supported volunteering benefits the business, the volunteers and supports our local community. It makes a huge difference in a young person's life.



Scan to find out more
or head to
www.bbbshb.nz
Email: esv@bbbshb.org.nz

@bigbrothersbigistershawkesbay



Big Brothers Big Sisters
of Hawke's Bay
Titokani Teina

2023/2024 REGISTRATION IS OPEN!

STARTS THURSDAY 23RD OF NOVEMBER!

Tuesday & Thursday 6-7pm
At the Village Pools.
Experienced swim coaches
Lifeguards on site.
Amazing value!

2023/24 Season Fees
1 child \$90
2 children \$160
each additional child \$50

INCLUDES RACE, CLUB, & FAMILY FUN NIGHTS

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Register at
<https://www.sporty.co.nz/hnsc>
Enquires to hnswimmingclub@gmail.com

HAVELOCK NORTH SWIMMING CLUB

EBBETT PARK SCHOOL

TERM FOUR CALENDAR



TERM 4 DATES:

MONDAY 9TH OCTOBER - FRIDAY 15 DECEMBER

WEEK	MON.	TUE.	WED.	THURS.	FRI.
1. 9 Oct. - 13 Oct.	9 OCTOBER TERM 4 BEGINS	10 OCTOBER	11 OCTOBER	12 OCTOBER	13 OCTOBER YEAR 3-6 SWIMMING SESSIONS #1 SCHOOL ASSEMBLY @ 1.45PM
2. 16 Oct. - 20 Oct.	16 OCTOBER	17 OCTOBER	18 OCTOBER	19 OCTOBER WOODFORD @EPS FOR KAPA HAKA - TIME TBC	20 OCTOBER HAWKES BAY ANNIVERSARY SCHOOL CLOSED
3. 23 Oct. - 27 Oct.	23 OCTOBER LABOUR DAY SCHOOL CLOSED	24 OCTOBER	25 OCTOBER KAHUI: KEMU TONOMAHA	26 OCTOBER BOT MEETING #7 @5.30PM	27 OCTOBER YEAR 3-6 SWIMMING SESSIONS #2 SCHOOL ASSEMBLY @ 1.45PM
4. 30 Oct. - 3 Nov.	30 OCTOBER 2024 ROAD PATROL TRAINING/EVALUATION DAY 1/2	31 OCTOBER 2024 HERETAUNGA YGS TO STARS TEINA #1 10.55AM 2024 ROAD PATROL TRAINING/EVALUATION DAY 2/2	1 NOVEMBER MUSIC CONCERT (EVENING)	2 NOVEMBER STORYLINES NATIONAL STORY TOUR AT EPS -11.30AM	3 NOVEMBER YEAR 3-6 SWIMMING SESSIONS #3 HOUSE CHALLENGE: GO NOODLE COMPETITION
5. 6 Nov. - 10 Nov.	6 NOVEMBER IEP WEEK	7 NOVEMBER IEP WEEK 2024 HERETAUNGA YGS TO STARS TEINA #1 10.55AM	8 NOVEMBER IEP WEEK	9 NOVEMBER IEP WEEK KAPA HAKA VISIT POU BOT: KAUKAWA GOVERNANCE HUI #2 6-8PM	10 NOVEMBER IEP WEEK YEAR 3-6 SWIMMING SESSIONS #4 SCHOOL ASSEMBLY @ 1.45PM
6. 13 Nov. - 17 Nov.	13 NOVEMBER ASSESSMENT WEEK	14 NOVEMBER ASSESSMENT WEEK 2024 HERETAUNGA YGS TO STARS TEINA #1 10.55AM	15 NOVEMBER ASSESSMENT WEEK	16 NOVEMBER ASSESSMENT WEEK	17 NOVEMBER ASSESSMENT WEEK YEAR 3-6 SWIMMING SESSIONS #5 KIA WHAKATAU TE HAUORA 1.30PM
7. 20 Nov. - 24 Nov.	20 NOVEMBER	21 NOVEMBER	22 NOVEMBER	23 NOVEMBER INTER-SCHOOL ATHLETICS	24 NOVEMBER YEAR 3-6 SWIMMING SESSIONS #6 HOUSE CHALLENGE: ATHLETICS COMPETITION
8. 27 Nov. - 1 Dec.	27 NOVEMBER KAPA HAKA COMPETITION: EPS ON AT 10.45AM	28 NOVEMBER	29 NOVEMBER	30 NOVEMBER KAHUI TONOMAHA BOT MEETING #8 @5.30PM	1 DECEMBER YEAR 3-6 SWIMMING SESSIONS #7 KIA WHAKATAU TE HAUORA 1.30PM
9. 4 Dec. - 8 Dec.	4 DECEMBER	5 DECEMBER	6 DECEMBER	7 DECEMBER	8 DECEMBER YEAR 3-6 SWIMMING SESSIONS #8 SCHOOL ASSEMBLY @ 1.45PM
10. 11 Dec. - 15 Dec.	11 DECEMBER	12 DECEMBER SERVICE ASSEMBLY 11.30AM	13 DECEMBER CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY 11.30AM	14 DECEMBER END OF YEAR ASSEMBLY PRICE GIVING 11.00AM	15 DECEMBER TERM 4 ENDS 2023 ACADEMIC YEAR ENDS SCHOOL ENDS AT 12NOON

2024 ACADEMIC YEAR BEGINS: MONDAY 29TH JANUARY (DETAILS TO COME)

OLIPHANT ROAD EXIT confirmation Slip

Return to School Office BEFORE Friday 24th
November

When Oliphant Road becomes the ONLY entry and exit point for Ebbett Park School my child/children will be: (please tick the appropriate box below)

Walking home from school in the appropriate direction.

Part of the 'Walking Bus' to Southland Road where I, or an allocated person, will be collecting them.

Picked up from Oliphant Road and I will ensure I am legally and safely parked.
(Please do not park in neighbours driveways, on yellow lines, on the grass or double park).

My child's/children's name(s) is/are:

Name:

Room:

Name:

Room:

Name:

Room:

Name:

Room:

Name:

Room:

Parent/Caregiver Signature:

Date:

Contact Phone:

NOTE: As soon as Wall Road is no longer accessible and the above comes into affect you will be informed of this change.