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LINCOLN HEIGHTS SCHOOL NEWSLETTER - Term 2, Week 10 - 28th June 2023



Our **REACH** values stand for **Respect. Engage. Aware. Celebrate. Honest.**

Me mahi tahi tatou mō te oranga o te katoa – We should work together for the wellbeing of everyone

Kia ora whānau

Congratulations to everyone as we near the finish line for Term Two. **School finishes at 3.00pm this Friday** and we wish our families and students a relaxing break, safe travels (hopefully with some sunshine), and look forward to everyone returning refreshed in Term Three.

Term Three will restart on Monday 17th July which is a busy week. Our whanau are welcome to attend the **Matariki dawn celebration** on Wednesday 19th July. Students and whanau need to be at school at 7am when the service begins. It will be followed by a yummy pancake breakfast.

Parent Teacher interviews are in Week 2 on Thursday 27th July starting from 1.30pm until 7.30pm. School will close at 1.00pm. Bookings can be made on the Skool Loop app, see instructions further in the newsletter. Tash in the office can assist you if you have difficulties booking your interview time. Please put these important dates in your calendars. Our school goal is to have 90% parent attendance as we know that increased whanau engagement results in improved learning for students. We got close to 85% last time – let's see if we can break the 90% threshold!

If you haven't already, please put the **two remaining Teacher Only Days** for this year into your diary or on your calendar. They are on Friday 18th August, and Monday 13th November. School will be closed on both those days to allow for professional development for our teachers.

Huge thanks to those that attending the Whanau & Friends Quiz night in the hall on the 23rd June. All funds raised go to the development of the new playground that will be located on the lower asphalt court. We really appreciate your support.

Congratulations to the winner of the fabulous **kiwiana quilt raffle** I am sure it will be well used and appreciated by Jamie's Nana. Special thanks to Lynda Steed in Kahukura for donating the exquisite quilt that took many hours to complete. We really appreciate our whanau support for all the fundraisers we have held this term.

A reminder that **kapahaka** lessons in the hall after school today will be moved to Room 9 today due to Autex wall covering being installed.

As mentioned in the last newsletter, if you **have or know of a child that will turn five soon**, please get in touch with Geneva in our office by emailing lhs@lincolnheights.school.nz to get an enrolment pack and schedule school visits. Knowing who we have coming, helps us to prepare staffing – we are committed to keeping our class sizes down.

We are still getting lots of uniform pieces left by children lying about at the end of the day. **Named uniform** pieces will be returned to owners, so parents please ensure you have named all of your child's uniform pieces, including hats and jackets. It's very difficult to find owners with no names. Thanks for your cooperation.

As also mentioned in last week's newsletter, **social media** can be unsafe places for our tamariki. Be aware of what your child is accessing and online groups they may belong to. If you have any concerns about the social media your child is accessing or how to support them, please contact us or <https://netsafe.org.nz/>

Remember that the **North West Schools Rewards** is running from 12 June to 16 July. Every \$1 spent equals 1 point for our school when you shop at North West Mall. Simply take your receipt to the customer service kiosk and submit your vote. You can track our school's progress in-centre, or online at www.northwestshoppingcentre.co.nz At the end of the promotion the school with the highest average spend per student will win \$3,000 cash for their school, second is \$2,000 cash, and third is \$1,000 cash. Every vote you place puts you in the draw to win a \$250 NorthWest gift voucher.

Our annual **a-thon fundraiser** is beginning, all funds raised for the new playground development. This year we have a Spell-a-thon! Details will be sent home with your child tomorrow, along with sponsorship forms. Please use the holidays to collect sponsors – remember sponsors can make a donation through the 'School Shop' on our website. Testing for the spell-a-thon will be done 9th August in class. Final day for sponsorship money to be received and counted towards prizes for the most funds raised individually and by class is 30th August. Prizes awarded Friday 8th September.

Leisha Byrnes

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BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Our trustees are:

Raewyn Clark, Presiding Member bot@lincolnheights.school.nz
 Ben Lynch, Kiri McCabe, Doreen Retimana, Ken Tuioti, Sarah Pope and Gordon Irving (Staff Trustee)

After the Boards' attendance at the NZ School Trustees Association conference in Rotorua in Week 1 of Term 3, our Board will turn our attention to the Education Review Office review. The Education Review Office will soon be starting its process at our school for our next review. We are looking to working with our ERO Evaluation Partner over the next while. The process for ERO reviews has been updated and ERO is now working with schools in an ongoing way rather than a one-off event. The Board and our Senior Leadership management will be working in partnership with ERO to support continuous improvement of equitable and excellent outcomes for all learners at LHS.

WHAT'S COMING UP

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| TERM TWO 2023 | | |
| Week 10 | Wednesday, 28 th June | NW Hockey comp, Rosedale Board meeting, 5.30pm, staffroom |
| TERM THREE | | |
| Week 1 | Monday, 17 th July Wednesday, 19 th July | School re-starts for Term Three at 8.50am Siva dance lessons in hall, 3.30pm - 4.30pm Matariki whole school celebration, 7am start Kapahaka lessons in hall, 3.30pm - 4.30pm |
| Week 2 | Wednesday, 26 th July Thursday, 27 th July | Samoan Parents Network meeting, Potu Lima 3.30pm-4.30pm Board meeting, 5.30pm, staffroom SCHOOL CLOSSES 1.00pm for parent teacher interviews Parent Teacher interviews from 1.30pm-7.30pm |
| Week 3 | Monday, 31 st July Wednesday, 2 nd August | Siva dance lessons in hall, 3.30pm - 4.30pm Kapahaka lessons in hall, 3.30pm - 4.30pm |

Our motto – In The Gate by Half Past Eight Guarantees You Won't be Late!

GENERAL NOTICES

➤ Parent teacher interviews Thursday 27 July. Please **download the FREE skool loop app** to book your appointment

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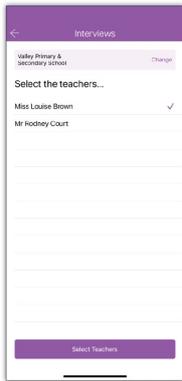
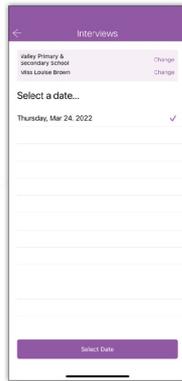
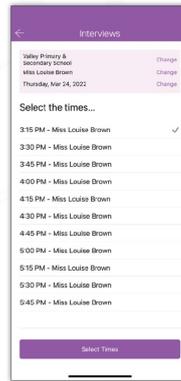
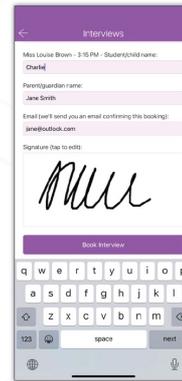
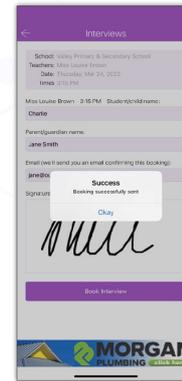
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3 - 13 July

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Week 1

| Monday 3rd | Tuesday 4th | Wednesday 5th | Thursday 6th | Friday 7th |
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| Winter Wildlife Make DIY binoculars, paint furry bears with forks, build bird feeders and animal key chains, and create cozy hibernating bear art. | Cultural Kaleidoscope Explore the world with activities like Elephant Toothpaste, spring rolls, bridge building, creating folk art mirrors, and more! | The Truth Is Out There! Prepare for an out-of-this-world adventure with alien games, gooey Alien Jelly, magnetic creations, and intergalactic crafts! | Iceberg Explorers Step into an icy adventure playing Krill Tag, build your own Snow Sled, create DIY Snow, and craft Polar Habitat Dioramas. | Nautical Navigators Ahoy, matey! Embark on a day of ocean exploration with games, crafts, boat building, treasure map creation, and more! |
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Week 2

| Monday 10th | Tuesday 11th | Wednesday 12th | Thursday 13th | Friday 14th |
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| Wicked Racers Gear up for turbo-charged adventure building DIY Cars, conquer obstacle courses, savor fruity delights! Bring your Wheels and Helmet | Journey of the Senses Explore your senses, play, bake, touch slime, taste flavors, and see with periscopes in a day of sensory adventures. | TRIP: Holey Moley Minigolf Conquer crazy obstacles, laugh with friends, and make memories as you navigate through the whimsical courses at Holey Moley! | Matariki Magic Experience the magic of Matariki as we celebrate with kite-making, taonga jewellery, cookie decorating, flax weaving and more! | Matariki Public holiday. No sKIDS today. |
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Activity Key



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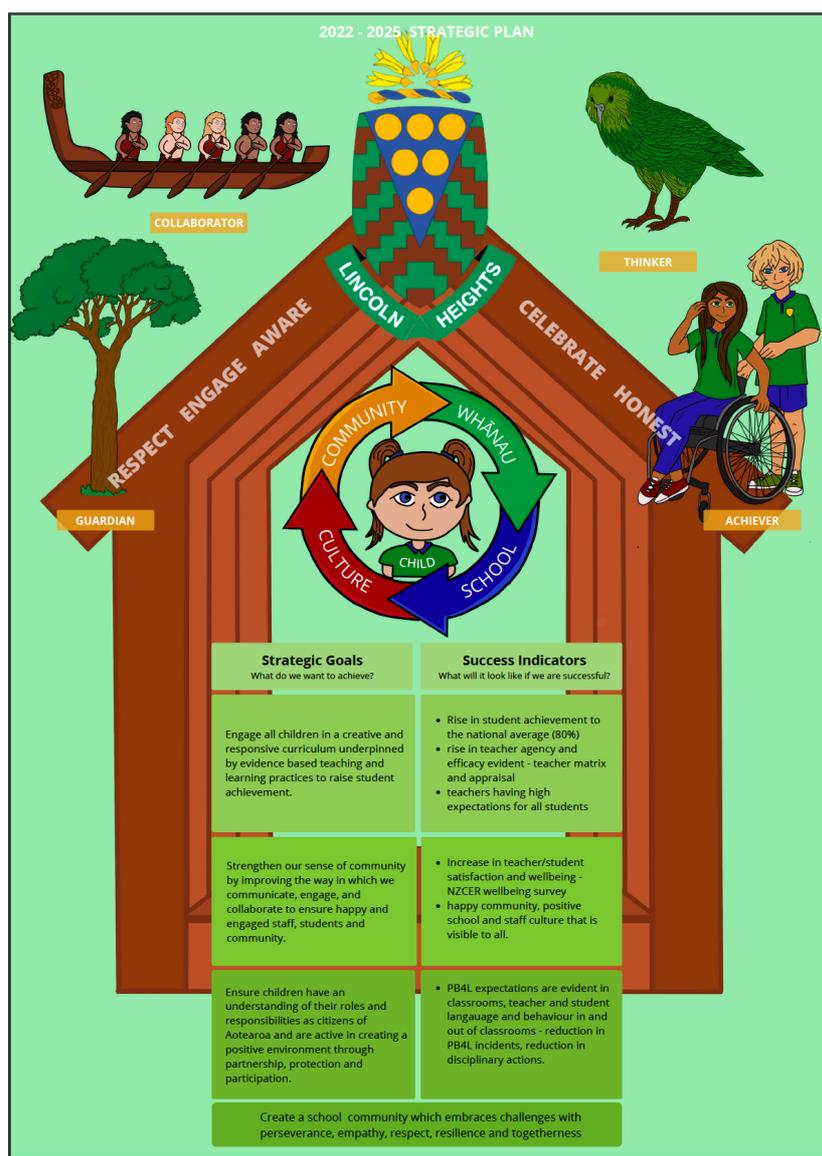
CELEBRATIONS

Our Rm 21 and 25 students really enjoyed their learning at the Arataki visit in Week 7. Thanks to those parents who attended to support. We appreciate you.



We raised \$380 from the mufti day on 16 June, all going towards our playground. We are grateful for your support.

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