

Malfroy School

We Always Shine

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Principal's Newsletter Term 3 Week 9

17 September 2020

Kia Ora, Kia Orana, Malo, Talofa Lava, Bula Vanaka, Malo e Lelei, Fakaalofa Lahi atu, Namaste, Talofa Ni and Warm Pasifika Greetings!

Te Wiki o Te Reo Māori is Monday 14 September to Sunday 20 September. This year's theme is '**Kia Kaha te Reo Māori**' meaning 'Let's make the Māori language strong'.

[Te Wā Tuku Reo Māori | The Māori Language Moment](#)

Korero Speak	Whakarongo Listen	Ako Learn	Takaroa Play	Panui Read	Waiata Sing
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TEACHER ONLY DAY Friday 25 September

This is a kind reminder that you will need to make arrangements for your child for the last day of this term. Malfroy School staff will be involved with a professional learning day. This is one of two days scheduled for this year as part of our Collective Agreement with the Ministry of Education. The second Teacher Only Day is scheduled for Friday 23 October, Term 4 (Labour Weekend). Thank you for your support.



New World "Little Gardens" promotion

Thank you to Greg and the Westend New World Team for supplying enough 'Little Gardens' for our students. All the Junior students have their own little garden and will be looking forward to planting vegetables, herbs and flowers. Ready, set, grow!



Room 14 would also like to thank Greg and New World for the 'Little Gardens'. We really appreciate them and are happy you thought of our school. We have started our class 'Little Garden' and now other classes can have their own "Little Garden". Thank you New World - Peata Room 14

Swimming this week with the Middle Team

I had the opportunity to accompany Rooms 4 and 13 on Monday. It was a great session at the pool and the swimming instructors quickly sorted children into four ability groups. The children responded really well, listening to the instructors, practising various skills such as kicking, floating, breathing, arm stroke and retrieving an object from the bottom of the pool. We really appreciate the support and time of our parent helpers.



Learning to float and kick



Keep your body 'stream-lined'



Practising kicking and arm stroke



Our parent helpers Rhys Toia and Dave Archer joined other parents and caregivers at poolside

Preschool Enrolments - have you a preschool aged child starting school in the next two years? At Malfroy School we offer three options for children starting school.

'**Upane**' the preschool transition class for children intending to join our mainstream new entrant class.

Rumaki programme (Maori Medium) for those children wishing to undertake learning the curriculum through Te Reo Maori.

Montessori is world renowned and for the most part students will start in the Junior class at age 6 years. Visits can be arranged with class teachers through Julie Calkin, our Office Manager.

Contact: Phone 3488588 or email office@malfroy.school.nz

COVID-19 Alert Level

The government will be announcing on Monday 21 September if we return to Alert Level 1 or remain at Level 2.

Central Bay of Plenty Sports Winter Sports Field Day

We have 8 teams ready to attend this annual event on **Tuesday 22 September** if we return to COVID-19 Alert Level 1. If we remain at Level 2 the event will be cancelled. Teams include Netball, Hockey, Ripa Rugby, Miniball and Football.

The **Middle Team** will be looking forward to their EOTC field trip to Waitomo Caves on **Wednesday 23 September**.

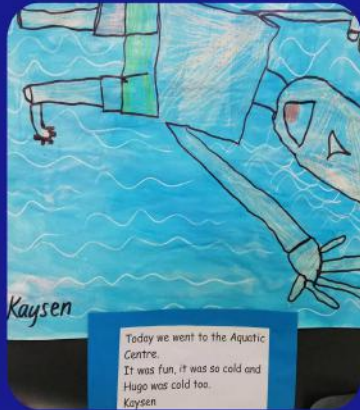
Nicky Brell & Staff

Room 3

In week 7 we went swimming. We had a great time and learned new skills to keep us safe around water. We followed up our swimming by writing and creating wonderful art works.



I went in the deep pool and it was cool and it was deep.
Cody



Kaysen
Today we went to the Aquatic Centre. It was fun, it was so cold and Hugo was cold too.
Kaysen



I went into the deep pool. It was fun and it was funny too!
Muyh



I am going to the pool this week. Today I went into the deep pool and it was scary.
Khaleesi



Takina-Lee
Today we went in the big pool and it was fun. I was happy, it was the best swimming lesson than the other day. It was so fun. I almost wanted to jump in. It was so so fun!
Takina-Lee



Jayne
We went swimming in the pool was in the deep and it was fun.
Jayne



Francis
I went to the pool today. I went in the deep pool and it was scary.



Phoenix
I went in the big pool and I was scared and happy and it was deep.
Phoenix



Tere



Benjamin



Tony
I went to the pool today. I went into the deep pool.
Tony



Amberley
Today I went into the deep pool. It was cool and I liked it.
Amberley



Grace
I went swimming in the pool. It was so cool.
Grace



Hugo



Yoda



Antanas
I went to the pool and I liked the deep pool.
Antanas

Office Notices

Miniball - Sports Uniforms

Matua Iwi has asked if the kids can take a change of clothes to their last miniball game. The coach will collect the uniform from them.

For all other sports teams, can you please return the uniforms to the school.



Room 8 celebrated their achievements in the 2020 BOP Sumdog Maths Competition. Kitana-Lee was 8th overall (out of almost 400 students), and Room 8 was 5th in the class rankings. Well done! It was a team effort and an excellent result.

Hockey Draws - Malfroy School Hockey Duty this weekend. Parents are required to man the Entry and Exit Gates on Turf 2 from 8am-10.30am.

Team	Turf	Time	Vs
Maxi	ROTO 2H1	08:00	Lynmore Green Sticks
Funsticks	2B3	12pm	

Hockey Results

Team	Win/Loss	Player of the day
Mini	Win	Indera-Lee
Maxi	Draw	Anaka



Honey Fundraiser

Pure New Zealand (locally sourced) Honey. Last year our honey fundraiser was a big hit. It is once again available from the school office.

\$15.00 each/1 kg container



Rotorua Tennis Club



Rotorua Junior Tennis is starting in Term 4. We have an Open Day on 10th and 11th October from 1-4pm. Come along and have a go, bring a friend, (open to all ages), enjoy the activities and receive a voucher for 'Hells Pizza'. For more information please contact Debra or Jo on the following email physiodeb@hotmail.com

School Holidays



ANNOUNCING OUR COLOURING COMPETITION!

Our tour kicks off in only a few weeks! To celebrate the release of our beautiful colouring-in sheets, we have some family passes up for grabs! Here's how to do it:

- 1) Go to our website to choose one of the sheets, and print it
- 2) Have fun colouring it in!
- 3) Take a photo and post it on Facebook! Make sure to tag The Glow Show Company and mention which region you'd like tickets for

It's as simple as that! In a few week's time, we'll be choosing some winners to receive free tickets!

[CHECK OUT THE SHEETS HERE!](#)



Rotorua Holiday Programme

What: Come & play different sports including Boccia, Badminton, Table Tennis, etc.

Where: Lynmore Primary School Gym 10am - 2pm.

Who: Physically disabled people, families & friends.



Please Register by emailing Jo

jo@parafedbop.co.nz
or by text
027 716 2085



The school holidays are coming

Monday 28th September



Paradise Valley Springs Wildlife Park **OR** Amaze Me
See the animals, the birds, the fish and be sure to eat your lunch before watching the Lion Feeding @ Paradise Valley Springs (Admission inc)

Departing Rotorua 1-Site 12pm Departs P/Bloc 3pm
Adults \$27 \$ to 15 years \$15 Family 2A 2C \$45



Wow this looks amazing!!!

Loose the kids in the 1.4km hedge maze, see the small animals in McGregor's Garden then enjoy a picnic in the beautiful Amaze Me grounds (Admission inc)

Departing Rotorua 1-Site 12pm Departs Amaze Me 2:10pm
Adults \$27 \$ to 15 years \$15 Family \$45



Can you see the sea?

Tuesday 29th September

Visit the beautiful Mount Maunganui, build a sandcastle, take a spring paddle in the sea or walk the Mount or just shop till ya drop @Bazaar Shopping

Departing Rotorua 1-Site @10am Departs Mount 12pm B/F 4pm
Adults \$27 \$ to 15 years \$20 Family 2A 2C \$45



Come and see the animals

Wednesday 30th September

Visit Hamilton Zoo, talk to the animals, see the various species and listen to the native calls. Afterwards shop like animals at the Base retail park. (Admission inc)

Departing Rotorua 1-Site @9am Departs Base 4pm
Adults \$27 \$ to 15 years \$20 Family 2A 2C \$45



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