



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

The ambassadors are the student leaders at Malfroy School. They have an important role and carry out a number of responsibilities that help staff manage the school. This week I had an opportunity to talk with the ambassadors and asked them to share their thoughts about two questions. Student voice is important. It gives us an insight to what students think and some of the ideas they have about their school.

1. What do we do well at Malfroy School?

- Amelia**
- *The teachers make learning interesting and sometimes fun.*
 - *We have lots of beautiful artwork handmade by students.*
 - *Our school is kept clean and tidy.*
 - *We have awesome science experiments.*
 - *We use CPR in class (Collaboration, Problem Solving, Risk-Taking)*

- Jason**
- *We are good at helping and caring for each other and being kind.*
 - *We help the staff if they need anything.*
 - *We clean up the school if there is any rubbish or if the school is untidy.*

- Sophie**
- *We do well with getting lots of nice teachers.*
 - *We do well at keeping our school a bully free zone.*
 - *We do well when we all work together.*
 - *We do well at trying our hardest.*

- Lilly-Atawhai**
- *We encourage people to become leaders, be less shy, and to be brave.*
 - *We help people feel safe and welcomed when they first come to Malfroy School.*
 - *We encourage people to do their best and to keep trying even if they have already given up.*

- Wharemiria**
- *The staff and children take good care of the school environment.*
 - *We are really good at using our 'Malfroy 8'.*
 - *The road patrollers are good at making sure that you get across the road safely.*
 - *The teachers strive to provide a positive learning program for all students.*

- Alex**
- *Our school provides healthy lunches every day.*
 - *The staff make us practice and be prepared for disasters like an earthquake, fire or lockdown.*
 - *We get fit by doing athletics and sports*



2. What could we do better at our school?

- Amelia**
- More school trips.
 - More science experiments.
 - Use our Malfroy 8 more often.
 - Have a badge for receptionists.
- Jason**
- No bullying can encourage everyone to support each other.
- Sophie**
- We could do better if we were more confident.
 - We could do better if we tried new things like sports.
 - More senior trips.
 - We could do better if we didn't judge people by how they look.
- Lilly-Atawhai**
- Taking on more responsibility.
 - Provide a suggestion box so that our ideas can be put into action.
 - The ambassadors could help teachers with playground duty like giving out smiles or we could do it on our own.
- Wharemiria**
- We could make an effort in keeping our school rubbish free.
 - We should all start taking more responsibility for our school.
- Alex**
- No bullying.
 - Provide more sports activities.



Important reminders

Monday 12 April - Senior and Middle school athletics.

Tuesday 13 April - Junior school athletics, Child Equity Meeting at Rotorua Lakes Council for 10 senior representatives, Marakai EOTC Rooms 4 and 5.

Wednesday 14 April - Duffy Books school assembly with children's author June Pitman-Hayes, Malfroy School Kapa Haka invited to perform at the Rotorua Citizenship ceremony (Rotorua Lakes Council).

Thursday 15 April - Marakai EOTC Room 6.

Friday 16 April - Mufti-day 'Fluoro Day', Marakai EOTC Room 3, last day of Term One.

Term Two dates - School starts 3 May, to 9 July (10 weeks).

Nga mihi

Nicky Brell & staff

NINJA NINES



OUR CLASS PRACTICING ZONES OF REGULATIONS USING OUR LEARNING DISPOSITIONS.



This term we have been learning about food pyramids, how to grow fruit and vegetables, interesting facts about different types of foods, and how food/nutrients affect our bodies. But wait, we have done so much more....



African Drumming, Life Education, Job Fair, Pataka Alliterations, Zentangle Art works



Notices

Malfroy School

Monday 12th April
postponement Wednesday 14th April

Shotput Senior & Middle School Athletics

Discus
Sprints

Nau mai, haere mai!
Come join us Monday 12th of April for the middle and senior school athletics.

Starts - 9.15 am to 2.30 pm

Rooms Involved: 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 12, 13, 14, 16

Long jump

High jump

Malfroy School New Entrant Student Transition to School Programme

Every Wednesday from 1.30-2.45 pm in Room 1 with our New Entrant Teacher, Whaea Linda., we look forward to welcoming your child and helping them to prepare for their transition into Malfroy School.

The aim of our transition to school programme, **'Stepping up - Upane'** is to ensure a smooth change over from Early childcare/home care to the school situation in a happy and very supportive way. Children from 4 to 5 years are welcome to attend.

The Learning Outcomes that we focus on at the 'Stepping up' are:

Developing Self Esteem	Developing Social Skills
Formal Routines	Early Literacy and Numeracy Skills
Fine Motor Skills	Oral Language Skills

If your New Entrant child is able to have at least 4 visits prior to them starting school, then this really helps them to make an easy and stress free transition to school when they do start.

Call in to the office and pick up a 'Stepping Up - Upane' transition pack and enrollment form.

'Our Talented Tamariki' show and Mini Gala

Remember Today 8th April

Mini Gala : 4.30—5.30 A range of stalls and activities on the Astro turf in front of the hall.

'Our Talented Tamariki' Show: 6.00-7.00p.m.
3 sections: Junior, Middle, Senior School.

Judges: Margaret Metcalf, BoT

Entry to 'Our Talented Tamariki' Show' \$2.00p.p.
Our Malfroy School community is invited to join us for this wonderful event.

Mini Gala

Hockey Coaches Needed

We are currently looking for 2 hockey coaches for our Y5/6 Maxi term and Y3/4 Mini team. If you are interested, please contact the office.



Book Fair

When : 8th April

Where : Malfroy School
From 4.30pm - 5.30pm

There will be colouring for the kids, and books, books and more books. Come along and support our school fundraiser. You are welcome to view the books from Wednesday in the School Library



Holiday Programmes

ROTORUA JUNIOR NETBALL

Holiday Programme 2021

THE JUNIOR NETBALL HOLIDAY PROGRAMME HAVE LIMITED THEIR NUMBERS TO 80 REGISTRANTS!!

Date & Time	Year & Cost	What to bring
19, 20, 21 April 8.00am - 3.00pm	Years 0 to 8 \$100.00 pp	lunch, shoes Water bottle

SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

FUN ACTIVITIES AND READING CHALLENGES

CHECK OUT THE AMAZING RANGE OF ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS ON AT ROTORUA LIBRARY THESE SCHOOL HOLIDAYS!

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