



This Term's Focus: Diversity/Rerekētanga

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Kia Ora te whānau

Stomach Bug

There is a nasty stomach bug making its way around school. If your child is sick please keep them at home for 48 hours after the last time they vomit - we are trying to break the cycle.

Show Day

Thoroughly enjoyed my first ever CAS Show Day and continuing education about the rural sector! Really impressive to see the care our students take around managing animals of all shapes and sizes. The array of crafts, models, artworks and other displays in the Hall were amazing and that quality made judging a real challenge. Well done to Pip who year after year is leading her team to ensure the day goes so well.

Friday 29 November

Parents/whānau of our Year 8 -13 students have you confirmed if you will attend Senior Prize Giving from 9.45 am on Friday?

School Rebuild Update

This month along with Golden Bay High School we are part of the procurement process that will appoint the Design Team for the project. This is a very exciting development and will hopefully be finalised by the end of the year. The procurement process for the Project Manager will also be underway soon.

Primary Hui

02.12.2019
Te Kuruwaka Leading

Heaphy Track Tramp

A big thanks to Matua Eric and Trudy for supporting the Year 9's through the Heaphy track. This is an impressive effort for Year 9's and a real show of resiliency. While the tramp went without any dramas the pick up at Karamea road end was extremely challenging due to the road being closed at Murchison. Some late night brainstorming and a plan was hatched with Golden Bay Air to fly the students out. With transport from the track and some free kai provided by Karamea Area School, we managed to get all the students back with a bonus plane ride on Friday.

Lost Property

Please check lost property asap. Anything left at school will be cleaned and donated to Trash Palace.

Year 10 Camp Totaranui

Matua Lloyd, Nicole, Sam and Elda enjoyed an action packed few days under the balmy spring skies at Totaranui. They ventured into the park on foot and enjoyed aquatic activities around the campsite.

Pool Keys

Are on sale in the Office. \$50 plus a \$50 refundable bond.

2020 Planning

We hope to have final class placements, rooms and confirmed teachers finalised in the next twoweeks. We will share that information once it is ready.

End of Year

Celebration assembly & picnic at 10.30 am. Buses will run at 12.30 pm

Ngā mihi, Hugh

Show Day

Show Day for me was fun and enjoyable because of all the animals and hall exhibits.

This year I took a calf called Cinnamon and we won third equal with Hayley and her calf Cherry. It was a surprise because Cinnamon would not lead. I also took my two rabbits called Inky and Button and we won First place!

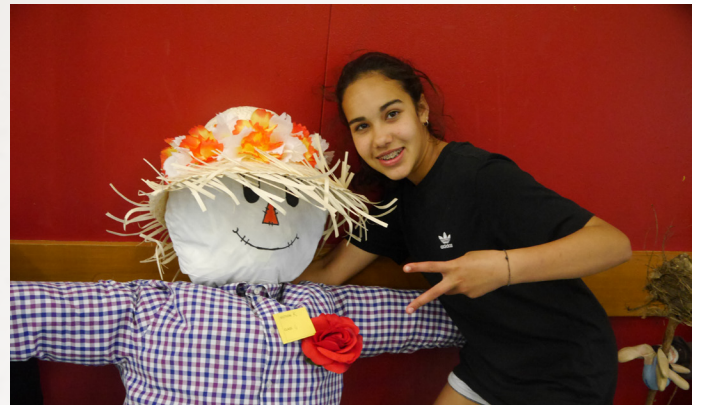
Show Day was so much fun - I loved it!

By Joy

On Show Day I took my lamb to school. Her name is Pearl. I had to lead her around the pen and I got a fourth place ribbon from the judges! I got more ribbons for lego, my biscuits, my pet project and a wood doll that I made and for my sand tray. I put my ribbons up in my bedroom.

I love Show Day, it was fun playing at school with Pearl!

By Charlotte



Heaphy Track

On 11 November the Year Nine class began the adventure of the Heaphy Track. It started out with a BBQ and lots of laughter which carried on throughout the week. It built our class into more of a family than friends and we learnt more about each other in that week than we thought we would.

Highlights from the Heaphy would be Colins interesting sleeptalking and massaging each other every night to ease our sore backs, the scenery was spectacular and the huts as flash as motels!

The news that we were flying back was much of a relief to the whole class after the heavy going and exhaustion from the long few days.

Overall it was a team building and brilliant experience for everyone involved. We would like to thank Matua Eric and Trudy and all the parents involved in supporting the kids and bringing food for the BBQ and Mr Gully for organising our flights!!

By Claire



Abel Tasman

Year Ten were lucky enough to attend a five day camp in Totaranui from the 18 - 22 of November. We had many fun activities to do throughout the week such as scenic walks, kayaking and water activities.

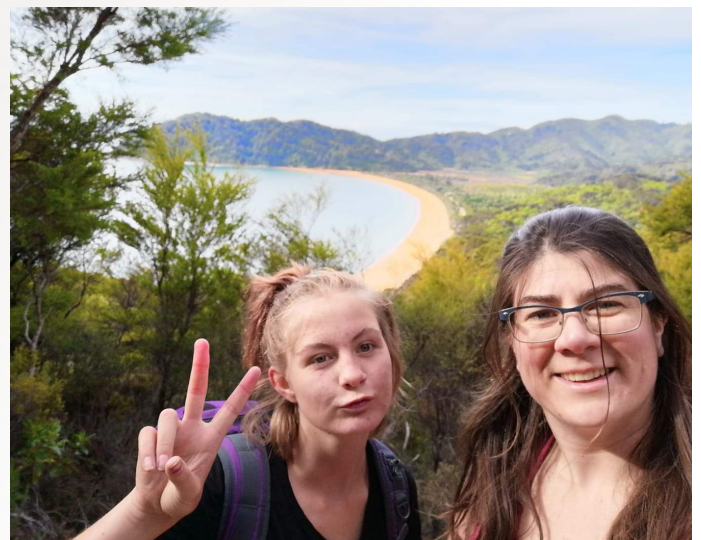
We all got to know each other better and became closer as a class during camp and we also got to know our teachers better outside of a classroom environment. We had Mrs Gaddes, Miss Hecht, Mrs Heywood, Matua Eric, Mr Gully and Matua Lloyd at our camp at various times. It was lovely for them to come out and see us and get involved with the day's activities.

During the camp we walked over Gibbs Hill to Goats Bay, to Anapai and to Wainui Falls and we kayaked from Totaranui to Anapai and then back.

A personal highlight of our camp this year would have been all the team bonding games we did. Everyone had an opportunity to let their leadership skills shine by organising and running a team bonding game. We did things like human knots, blind folded trust games, communication games, burma trails, puzzles and sporting games.

I would like to say a huge thank you to everyone that made camp possible. We all had a very fun camp, full of fun activities. Special thanks to Miss Hecht and Matua Lloyd for organising such a great week and for putting up with ten smelly teenagers and no hot showers for a week.

Lilly B on behalf of Year Ten



Library

Hi to you all,

We are undertaking our Stocktake of all the Library books and resources at the moment.

It makes the job easier if all the library books that are issued to people can be returned. They were due to be returned last week but if you still have some in your house please bring them back as now they will be overdue. For those that have been long overdue we will be charging the students school account with the replacement cost of the book, so please get hunting.



We have had a very generous, thoughtful and pertinent donation of this beautiful book to the Library.

WE ARE HERE AN ATLAS OF AOTEAROA

Published Oct 2019

This book's sets of maps and graphics help New Zealanders make sense of their country, to grasp the scale, diversity and intricacies of Aotearoa, and to experience feelings of connection to land, to place, to this time in our history, and to one another.

Talking about HISTORY. This Library has a wide collection of local history material that has been collected and maintained over many years. The knowledge of the Librarians and the school staff is also an asset and resource to the school. We also know

where to ask if you have questions about the wider district or New Zealand. We are looking forward to New Zealand history becoming more recognised, BUT, as parents you can play a very important role also, by showing your children the history around them and taking them to places of importance so they can feel they are part of our evolving land and people. Golden Bay has SO much history, as does the wider Nelson Tasman province. Go exploring.

In the last week of the term, we will be encouraging any pupil that wants to, to take home some books for holiday reading. If you want to be involved with your child you are welcome to come to the library and help them choose the books. Please keep them in a safe place and get them returned when school starts in 2020. It is so easy for the students to slide back in their reading and comprehension capability by not maintaining that brain exercise that we all need. Reading for pleasure has wider benefits than just for the subject of reading and writing. It actually improves their self-esteem, their confidence, their resilience and their self control which is vital to succeed in adulthood.

As this is the last newsletter of the year, can we thank the many people who have made our Library a great place to be. All the student Librarians and those pupils that help out, and offer us suggestions. The teachers who have used our Library and all the people who came to Show day and helped with our fundraising. Thank you one and all.

Let Reading become your superpower!

Diane & Donna

Golden Bay Schools Primary Athletics

On Friday 22 November our Year 3 - 6 students competed at the Golden Bay Schools Athletics at the Golden Bay High School Grounds. Students participated in a range of activities, including: 60/100m sprints, 400m run, long jump, high jump, javelin and relays.

Scores are being collated currently, we should receive these by the end of the week. We had some stand out performances from Maryanne, Toby, Coby, Nikau and Hunter. Our eight year old girls and nine year old boys won their relays!

All of our tamariki represented us well and upheld our CAS values. A big thank you to our Year Seven students who assisted with the running of the events and to the parents that supported our tamariki.



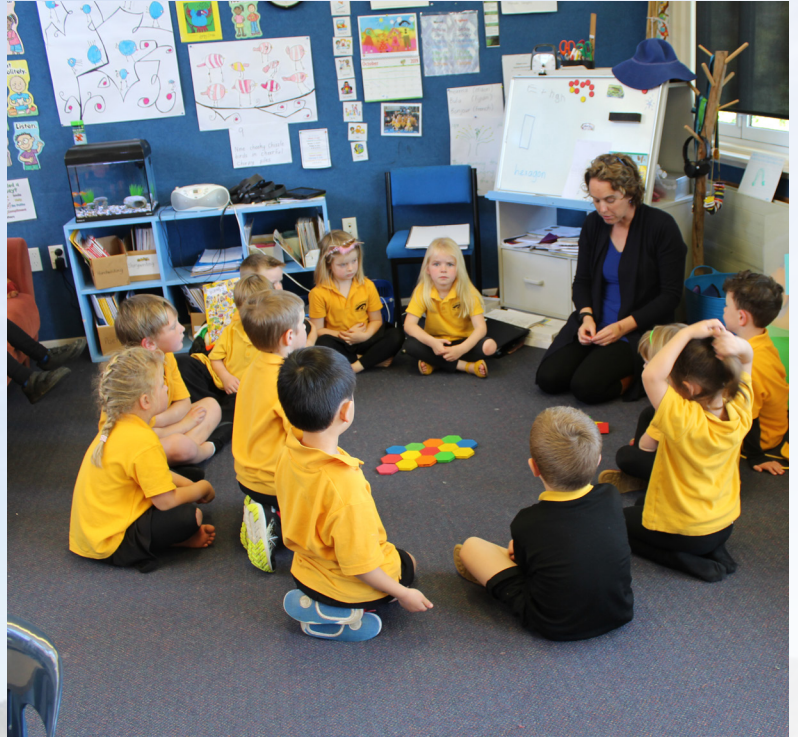
Classes 2020

We are presently organising the students into classes for next year. As most of our classes are composite we have to think carefully when deciding where to place students. Careful consideration is given to these placements to ensure the best fit.

We are going to notify parents of student's classes for 2020 in the reports that are being sent out on the 4th December. On Tuesday 10 December all our Year 1-8 students will spend half an hour with their teacher for 2020.

Alison Menary

Deputy Principal



Enviroschools

Last Thursday the Envirocouncil students went out onto Farewell Spit to do a litter pick and check Farewell Spit Tours trap lines. It was a fantastic and very informative day, thankfully not much litter was collected and two of the traps had rats in. We would like to give Farewell Spit Eco Tours, and Paddy and Clara, a great big THANK YOU for giving us this brilliant and very special opportunity.



Dates for 2019

26 November	The Great CAS Craft Day
27 November	Scrabble Tournament
03 - 06 December	Te Kōrari Camp
11 December	Celebration Assembly Picnic End of Year!

Dates for 2020

27 January	Term One Starts
03 February	Nelson Anniversary
06 February	Waitangi Day
07 February	School Closed
19 March	School Photos
22 - 27 March	TOSI Reefton
26 March	John Parsons
31 March	Year 1 - 8 Choral Concert
09 April	End Term One
15 April - 01 May	Mobile Dental Bus
28 April	Start Term Two
12-13 May	St Johns Training
15 May	Pink Shirt Day
01 June	Queens Birthday
05-07 June	Forty Hour Famine
09 June	Yr 7 - 13 ATTITUDE
12 June	NZ Playhouse
03 July	End Term Two
20 July	Start Term Three
25 September	End Term Three
05 - 15 October	Mobile Dental Bus
12 October	Start Term Four
08 December	End Term Four

2020 CAS School Hours

Buses run as normal

8.45 am: Start of School Day

2.45 pm: End of School Day/Buses Leave

If your child will **NOT** be using the bus in the afternoon and you require care between 2.45 pm and 3.00 pm the BoT commit to providing this care free of charge for Term One.

Please let the Office know before December 11 if you intend leave your child at school until 3.00 pm.

Happy Birthday

05 November Izy
November 21 Benji and Mackenzie
November 28 Colin
November 29 Hayden
December 01 Bonnie
December 15 Thorin
December 20 Clara and Zoe
December 21 Alex d J
December 22 Harlen
December 26 Nelson
December 27 Logan E
December 30 Luca and Hayley
January 01 Aaliyah
January 02 Patrick and Lewis
January 05 Daniel and Ethan
January 07 Wyatt
January 18 Joy
January 20 Nicole
January 26 Kaihautu



Declaration of Board of Trustees By-Election Results

Name	VOTES
BLOWEN Kaya	15
RILEY Renee	42

I hereby declare **RILEY RENEE** duly elected.

Irene Pomeroy
Returning Officer