



WEEK 6, 7th March

Term 1, 2024

## Message from our Principal, Justin Perriam

Kia ora koutou,

Autumn is upon us and so comes the variable weather, including a sudden hailstorm on Tuesday, which provided plenty of delight for our students.

### Out of Zone enrolments

Our school was rebuilt for a roll of 300 ākonga, and our current roll is sitting at 305. As a result of being at capacity and at the direction of the Ministry of Education, **we will not** be holding any ballots for out of zone enrolments in 2024. This unfortunately includes children who already have an older sibling at school but are not living in our school zone. Please contact the office if you have any questions.

### Cell Phone use at school

A reminder that any ākonga bringing a phone to school need to hand these into the office prior to the start of the school day. They are then allowed to collect them again at the end of the day. This aligns with the new Government guidelines of having no cell phones in classrooms.



### SCHOOL FINISHING EARLY WEDNESDAY 3rd APRIL

On Wednesday 3rd April our teaching staff who are NZEI union members will be attending a meeting in the afternoon. We are requesting that students please be collected from school at 12:30pm. For those children unable to be collected there will still be limited supervision onsite. More information will be coming home next week.



## Pūkeko 3

### Painting in Pukeko



This term we have been working across our team on; painting skills & artworks. In P3 we explored the use of adding black or white to tone and tint the primary colours. Getting the right amount of these tints and tones to create a fade effect was a challenge. Once we had done this on an A3 piece of paper we cut it in half and used one of the halves as a base and the other we cut into a geometric shape of varying size before glueing to the base.

We were happy with our **Tonal Collages**

Our extension activity for painting was to create an artwork which used warm and cool colours. Again, getting the right amount of colours to give the impression of warmth and coolness was a challenge we enjoyed. We selected one of the 'temperature' sheets to trace and cut out our hands which we tattooed with oil pastels before mounting onto our other 'temperature' sheet.

We were happy with our display of: **Warm or Cold Hands**



## Kiwi Can



## THE KIWI CAN CORNER

Fairness and fair play is about playing the rules and how we share our ideas with each other.

### Whakawhanaungatanga

This term in Kiwi Can our main theme is 'Positive Relationships' and this week we are focusing on fairness and fair play. Here are some questions you can ask at home:

- How can you show good sportsmanship after losing a game of football?
- How do you keep safe while playing a game?
- What can you do if someone is feeling unsure about a game?



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## PB4L

### PB4L - Positive Behaviour for Learning

Each fortnight we have a school wide behaviour focus where we teach your children lessons about a particular way of being or expectation at our school. You may have heard your child talk

about **AKO** awards. These are when they have shown that they are using our behaviour values of **Aroha**, **Kaha** and **Ora** either in the playground or in class. We then work towards a team reward as He waka eke noa - we are all in this together!

Aroha



love  
compassion  
empathy  
sympathy  
giving  
sharing  
respecting  
the needs of  
others

Kaha



strength  
ability  
capability  
courage  
energy  
effort

Ora

For the next two weeks we are focusing on **values in the learning spaces** so that all have fun safely.

We have included the information from our behaviour matrix as it might be useful for you to know what your child is learning to do at school and how they are earning AKO rewards. You could ask them if they have earned any that day and how they did it.

#### Matrix Behaviours:

Maintain the **values** and dispositions in each learning space

- Our values of **Respect, Tolerance, Integrity, Compassion** and **Excellence** are strong and clear and help to ensure we are all able to learn at Burnside Primary school.
- Our values foster positive relationships and reflect our inclusive learning community.

## Is your child unwell?

### Too sick for school/kura?

It is important that your child attends school/kura. Is my child well enough to be comfortable taking part in school activities? Is my child well enough to be comfortable taking part in school activities? Ask yourself "Would I go to work if I felt like this?"

### SEND ME TO SCHOOL/KURA

- I have a runny nose or just a slight cough
- I haven't had a fever for the last 24 hours and haven't needed any medicine
- I haven't vomited or had any diarrhoea for 24 hours and haven't needed any medicine
- I have tummy pain or a headache with no diarrhoea, vomiting or fever, but I'm comfortable enough to take part in school activities.

### KEEP ME AT HOME

- My temperature is 38°C or higher or I need medicine to keep my temperature down
- I have vomited or had diarrhoea in the last 24 hours
- I have an unexplained rash
- My eyes are pink and crusty

### FURTHER ADVICE

- If you are worried or concerned about your child, contact your GP or health care provider, or contact Healthline on
- 0800 611 116

## Student Council

### Student Council 2024

Kia Ora e te whānau, we are excited about the inspiring and inclusive events planned by our newly appointed Student Council members as voted by their peers in their Home learning Hubs. Representing



**Piwakawaka:** we welcome **Summer, Amaia** and **Xavier**.

Our Kahu representatives are **Emilia, Tia, Tyler, Joel,** and **Kevin**.

The Weka representatives are **Renée, Max, Elisa** and **Ciara**.

Pukeko have voted for **Ward, Ritvik, Karmanye, Celine, Joseph, Juyoung** and **Alexis**

Watch this space for further updates and upcoming events.

**Thoughtful THURSDAY**

This week in conjunction with Christchurch City Council, the Student Council are organising a poster competition "Thoughtful Thursday" promoting walking, wheeling to school and out and about to protect our planet. On Friday, the Student Council are planning Funky feet Friday to stand tall and think about our carbon footprint. There are some fabulous prizes donated by the Christchurch City Council.



Our next meeting is on at  
3.15 - 4.15 pm in the Staffroom  
Friday 15th March

## PIZZA LUNCH

**TUESDAY 19TH MARCH**  
**\$2.50 per slice**

**Pizzas Available:**

- Vegetarian\*** Baby spinach, mushrooms, tomato & mozzarella, topped with oregano.
- Cheese** Lots of mozzarella.
- Pepperoni** Lots of pepperoni & mozzarella
- Hawaiian\*** Smokey manuaka ham and pineapple pieces

\*Gluten Free/Dairy Free available

Scan the QR code to complete an online order or call into the office for an order form.

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<https://forms.gle/tkqaFmaX7ag81hYv5>

Please spend two minutes to complete our survey.

Please try this QR code again as the colour in the last newsletter didn't work! OR try this link <https://forms.gle/HLAF3W3BufQtFJjz7>

### Link to our school calendar

Please click on the below link for all of the events coming up at Tuia Burnside Primary School  
[Link for our school calendar](#)

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