

# ROCKS

Respect Originality Confidence Kindness Success

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### DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR

KidsCan Day (tomorrow)	9 August
Southern Zone Swimming	16 August
Parentlink Meeting	5 September
Dance Curriculum	2–13 Sept.
Board of Trustees Meeting 7.00 pm	12 September
Artplash	16 – 20 Sept.
One Learning Community Country Fair	17 November
Prize-Giving	13 December

### EACH WEEK

Monday	Stream Team
Tuesday	Go Piano Adult Exercise Classes
Wednesday	Wheels Day Ukulele Lessons
Thursday	ROCKS Run Club
Friday	Marrzipan Classes Soccer Practice from 4.00 pm
Saturday	Community Soccer

### TERM DATES 2019

Term 2	29 April – 5 July
Term 3	22 July – 27 September
Term 4	14 October – 19 December
Teacher Only Day	25 October
Term 1 2020	3 February 2020

### WHAKATAUKI

He pai te tirohanga ki ngā mahara mō ngā rā  
pahemo engari ka puta te māramatanga i runga i  
te titiro whakamua

It's fine to have recollections of the past, but  
wisdom comes from being able to prepare  
opportunities for the future.

### FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

Hello, Talofa lava, Chao, Dia dhaoibh, Namaste,  
Giddyay, Guten Tag, Assalamulaikum, Ciao, Salve,  
Ayubowan, Fakaalofa atu, Hola, Susaday, Bonjour,  
Hao

Kia orana,

Thank you to all who attended our pōwhiri celebration  
and made the day special for our new whānau, and  
mānuhirī (visitors). It was a great way to start the  
week.

As a leading learner I was delighted to join in with our  
OBK colleagues and parents on Saturday to be  
immersed in the world of NZ Sign. I certainly grew in  
CONFIDENCE as the day progressed and look  
forward to making use of my new skills.

This term we explore the Arts through the lens of  
Citizenship through Globalisation. Right now we are  
Finding Out about language specific to music, by  
singing, playing instruments and listening to music.  
During your home learning CHAT you might like to  
discuss how music by New Zealand artists features  
around the world.

Our Parentlink team met on Monday night to kick start  
the planning phase for our annual One Learning  
Community Country Fair. We'd love for everyone to be  
involved in some way, so have a think about how you  
might best like to contribute. Next week our students  
will be busy preparing their annual calendar art, which  
will then be available for viewing and ordering.

Jo Sciascia will be back with us on Monday and we are delighted that the family will be returning from the World Crossfit Games with a medal. We celebrate SUCCESS in all its forms.

Ruth and Andrea from the Education Review Office have completed their review and in time we'll receive our report and share it with the community. To end this week, tomorrow we'll be participating in the Crazy for KidsCan appeal. Please see below.

Kia manuia,

Tineke and the team.

### THANKS

To Nicola Clissold for being part of the team for the past two weeks. Room 7 have benefitted from your consistent presence.

### CRAZY FOR KIDSCAN

This Friday 9th of August we are supporting KidsCan a wonderful charity who support NZ kids in need with raincoats, shoes, school books and much more.

Your child/ren can use the Idea Generator below to inspire them to come dressed in the most CRAZY dress-up they can dream up.

## #CRAZY For KidsCan

IDEA GENERATOR

Take the first letter from your first  
and last name

A - AMAZING	A - APRON
B - BIZARRE	B - BOW TIE
C - CRAZY	C - CUPCAKES
D - DOTTY	D - DRESS
E - EDGY	E - EARMUFFS
F - FANTASTIC	F - FLIP FLOPS
G - GLITTERY	G - GLASSES
H - HILARIOUS	H - HAT
I - INTRIGUING	I - INSTRUMENT
J - JELLY	J - JACKET
K - KOOKY	K - KNITWEAR
L - LOUD	L - LEGGINGS
M - MARVELLOUS	M - MITTENS
N - NEON	N - NECKLACE
O - ODD	O - ONESIE
P - PURPLE	P - PYJAMAS
Q - QUIRKY	Q - QUILT
R - RADICAL	R - RAINCOAT
S - STRIPEY	S - SOCKS
T - TREMENDOUS	T - T-SHIRT
U - UNIQUE	U - UMBRELLA
V - VINTAGE	V - VEST
W - WACKY	W - WIG
X - EXCITING	X - XRAY
Y - YELLOW	Y - YACHTIE
Z - ZANY	Z - ZEBRA

*A gold coin donation would also be greatly appreciated to support this awesome cause.*

### VALUE OF THE WEEK – PB4L FOCUS

Our Value of the week is KINDNESS or MANAAKITANGA. We are practising KINDNESS when we

### Use Kind Words



### BIRTHDAY WISHES

Best wishes to the following children who have birthdays coming up....

Anya Dahya 8/8

Bella Bui 9/8

Andyna Chea 12/8

Happy  
Birthday

### FRIENDS OF OWHIRO STREAM COMMUNITY WORKING BEE



Friends of the Owhiro Stream

**Saturday, 10 August 10.00 - 12.30**

**At the school site, just north of Owhiro Bay School,  
opposite 137 Happy Valley Road**

The bad news - we won't provide morning tea; but - there will be barbecued sausages at the end of day! And possibly some home baking, as a reward for your hard work.



## **PRIDELANDS FUN HOLIDAY ADVENTURES**

### **SPRING HOLIDAYS AT BROOKLYN – 2 BELL ROAD**

**Dates:** 30<sup>th</sup> Sep – 11<sup>th</sup> Oct 2019 from 7.00am-6pm daily

**Fees:** Daily \$81/cub per session or \$148 for two or more siblings per session;  
Weekly: \$240 per cub/week or \$450 for two or more siblings/week

**Discounts/Funding Available:** Wild Card (15%) off across all our services MSD approval providing WINZ Subsidies for eligible families.

**Social Development:** Interactive Activities and NO TV or Video Games, Kai Cubs Cooking and Life Skills Programme creating healthy Breakfast, Lunch and Afternoon Teas.

**Overnight Sleepover:** Some of our cubs will have an overnight sleepover as part of our community challenge. Night entertainment includes spotlight, smoothies and movie nights.

#### **Qualified 1<sup>st</sup> Aid Trained Activities Coordinators**

**One-on-One Care:** Available for cub(s) if extra support is needed

#### **SHUTTLE SERVICES (with booster seats) AVAILABLE**

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