



Poipōia te kākano kia puawai – *Nurture the seed and it will thrive*

NEWSLETTER SEVEN TERM THREE

THURSDAY, 31ST AUGUST 2023

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KIA ORA, TALOFA LAVA, AND WELCOME.

This week we have been talking to tamariki about how through being kind/manaakitanga to ourselves and others, many good things can happen, and negative thoughts and behaviours will disappear. We all need reminding from time to time about the importance of being kind to others and how even small acts of kindness can make a great difference to others. *No act of kindness, no matter how small, is never wasted. AESOP*

KORAU VALUES

We are encouraging tamariki to show how KORAU values can be demonstrated through words and actions around the school. These are the basis on how we build relationships and work together. Our KORAU values are

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| Kind/Manaakitanga | We show Kindness to people and the environment. |
| Own/Rangatiratanga | We Own our own behaviour. |
| Respect/Whakaute | We Respect the rules, people, and the school. |
| Aspire/Wawata | We do quality work and strive for excellence. |
| Unite/Whanaungatanga | We work as a team / whanau. We are inclusive. |



KOWHAI BLOCK UPGRADE

Work has continued at a good rate this week without too many hiccups along the way. One surprise was finding the concrete floor of the old cloak bay area had two 150mm slabs, one laid on top of the other. This made for a lot of extra concrete cutting and digging for the new piping work. This week Jordan has been joined by Maico to update our blog with photos and a short description of the work that has been happening. This can be accessed [HERE](#) and on our school website under the **This is Us** tab. The blog will continue to be updated a couple of times a week or as significant work takes place.

ORCHESTRA WELLINGTON PERFORMANCE

Last Friday we were treated to a fantastic musical performance from Peter and Michelle from Orchestra Wellington. They told stories and demonstrated how they can create different feelings and emotions using their harp and trombone. We enjoyed their performance and were happy to be able to sing our school song to them to say thank you for sharing their skills with us.



ROOM 12 WRITING ABOUT THEIR TRIP TO ZEALANDIA

Last week tamariki for Room 12 went on a trip to Zealandia to experience the work that is done there to help protect some of the wonderful native taonga we have in Aotearoa and see them firsthand. Below is some of the writing they have done about their experience.

My favourite part of the trip to Zealandia was seeing the Tui because the birds had cool colours, I love the colours. They were magnificent birds. I think the Tui is nice.
Aaliyah

My favourite part of the trip to Zealandia was seeing the Takahe. The takahe is one of the rarest birds in Zealandia. There were only two of the takahe and their names were Neyo and Orbell. I also saw Kaka. The Kaka were so cool, they were flying around. I liked the bus trip also. The bus was fun. Malaani and I played I spy.
Stevie

My favourite part of the trip to Zealandia was the takahe because I have never seen one before. Also, I saw a kaka and it was eating with one leg and then eating with the other leg.
Rawiri H

My favourite part of the trip to Zealandia was the kaka and the tree weta. I liked the takahe too because they're pretty.
Malaani



50 cent STALLS



50 cent stalls will be on every Friday at morning teatime and are run by our Year 6 students as a part of their camp fundraising. Please be mindful that items are all 50 cents so \$2 is the limit per child.

50 cent stalls will be in the hall for the rest of this term.

YEAR 6 AVALON INTERMEDIATE ENROLMENTS

Enrolments for 2024 are open. If you are intending on sending your children there next year, please let them know so they can begin their planning for 2024. If you require any information or would like to talk with someone about enrolment at Avalon Intermediate contact them on 04 567 7453 or contact our school office and we can help. We have some prospectus' in our office.



Avalon
Intermediate School

BOARD OF TRUSTEES POLICY DOCUMENTATION



Koraunui School

As a part of this term policy review, our Board of Trustees is seeking parent and school community input about **Inclusive Education, Māori Educational Success, Learning Support,**. Instructions are below for how to access the review section of the Schooldocs site.



This site contains
Koraunui School's
Policies and Procedures
along with useful checklists and forms.

The close off date for comments and input is Friday 1 September 2023.

Instructions for parents to access policy review.

1. Visit the website <https://koraunui.schooldocs.co.nz/1893.htm>
2. Enter the username (koraunui) and password (koraunui).
3. Follow the link to the relevant policy as listed.
4. Read the policy.
5. Click the **Start your review** button at the top right-hand corner of the page.
6. Select the reviewer type.
7. Enter your name (optional).
8. Follow the prompts to show that you've read the topic and enter your feedback if you'd like to comment.
9. Agree to the privacy statement and click "Submit review".
10. If you don't have internet access, school office staff can provide you with printed copies of the policy and a review form.

BEE HEALTHY INFORMATION



The Bee Healthy Dental Hub next to Koraunui School will be closed during Term 3. For any children that require an appointment for pain or discomfort, or wish to have treatment planned over Term 3, please contact Naenae Dental Hub in Walters Street. Phone 04 587 2848 or 0800 825 583.

Yearly examinations and treatments will resume in Term 4.

HEAD LICE



We have been informed by some parents that their children have headlice. We ask that you please check your children's hair, especially if you notice them scratching. Information about preventing the spread of headlice can be found at the following website <https://www.kidshealth.org.nz/head-lice>. We have some treatment products and combs available at school. Please contact the school office for advice and support.

CONTACT DETAILS

It is important that we have accurate and up-to-date contacts for safety and emergencies. If any details have changed for you, please contact the office and let them know.

EMAIL ADDRESSES

We have noticed that we do not have email addresses for some parents. Please make sure we have all your details and these are up to date, especially if you have changed your phone number.

BANK ACCOUNTS

Many families keep a small bank account with the school office to pay for items, event or sports fees during the year. If you would like to do this, please come and talk to Maree and she will show you how it works.

Some families have set up a regular bank credit to do the same thing. If you wish to do this, the lovely office ladies will help with this. Our account is Koraunui School Board of Trustees 12 3478-0015483-00

RUBBISH AND PACKAGING



As a part of the work we do as an EnviroSchool, working to take care of our school and local environment, we are asking that all packaging that comes into school with children is returned home each day unless a class is doing a specific task around packaging. It would be fantastic to see no rubbish blowing around our school grounds.

KORAUNUI SCHOOL ENROLMENTS

Do you have or know of any 5-year-old children who are starting school this year or next year? New student enrolment forms are available at the office or on our website under "About us". If you require further information, please contact the office on 939 9707 or message us on our school website or Facebook page, email office@koraunui.school.nz. We are happy to talk with parents about our Kura and show them round so they can get a feel for how wonderful our Kura is.

WHATS COMING UP THIS TERM?

TERM 3

Week 8

- Friday 8 September: Year 6 Runathon/Walkathon 10.30-11.30am at school

Week 9

- Monday 11 September: Whole School Cricket Sessions with Wellington Cricket
- Tuesday 12 September: Whole School Cricket Sessions with Wellington Cricket
- Wednesday 13 September: Pasifika Group performing at Dance Splash, Michael Fowler Centre 7.30pm

Week 10

- Friday 22 September: Last day of Term 3

Dave Lamont
Principal



**WELLINGTON
BRICKSHOW**

Amazing LEGO® creations from some of
NZ's best builders

16th Sept 9am - 5pm	17th Sept 9am - 4pm	\$10 Adult / \$7 Child EFTPOS Available
Walter Nash Centre, Lower Hutt		www.well-lug/tickets

WELLNESS DAY

Gain Health Centre, Unichem Upper Hutt and Orongomai Marae have worked together to organise a 'Wellness Day' event on Saturday 2 September 2023 from 9.00am to 3.00pm for the wider Upper Hutt Community.

Together they would like to provide free health and wellbeing services to the Upper Hutt and wider community in an environment where the patients/Whanau feel comfortable and safe. The event location will be at Orongomai Marae in Upper Hutt.

They are expecting this to be a large event with multiple health agencies/organizations being involved and aim to increase awareness of the health resources and services available to the community.



Please see the end of this newsletter for a flyer attached and feel free to share with others.

Rā Whakahauora! Wellness Day

Nau mai haere mai ki Ōrongomai
1 Railway avenue Upper Hutt
2 September 2023
9.00am to 3.00pm

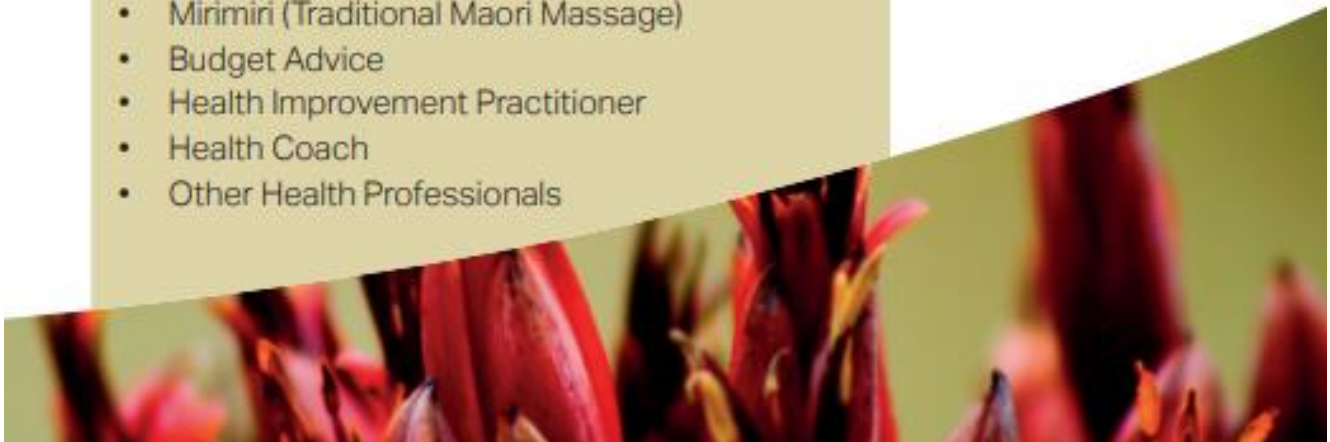
You are all welcome to attend!
Come join a day celebrating health
and wellbeing **free of charge.**

Services available on the day

- All New Zealand Scheduled Vaccines
- Medication Reviews
- Blood Pressure, blood sugar checks
- Best start Pregnancy and Six Week Pepi checks
- Cervical Screening
- Diabetes, Gout, Heart Education
- Podiatrist
- Mirimiri (Traditional Maori Massage)
- Budget Advice
- Health Improvement Practitioner
- Health Coach
- Other Health Professionals



Unichem⁺
Upper Hutt Pharmacy










Koraunui Care Centre Holiday Programme September 2023

Koraunui Care Centre Holiday programme will be operating from Monday 25 September to Friday 6 October during the upcoming school holidays.

Check out details for the programme below and if you would like to make a booking fill in and return the request to enrol form to the Koraunui School office by Monday 18 September. We will then send you an enrolment form confirming your child(ren's) place. If you require financial assistance, please contact WINZ for information on a subsidy, or a form may be requested from the school office.

Once we have your request to enrol form, you are liable for the charges whether your child attends or not, unless notification of cancellation is received by Wednesday 20 September 2023.

Monday 25 Sept. Spinning top 	Tuesday 26 Sept. Light up sheep 	Wednesday 27 Sept. Trip to SV Hub 	Thursday 28 Sept. Cup and saucer planter 	Friday 29 Sept. Bead art 
Monday 2 Oct. Cardboard clock 	Tuesday 3 Oct. S. V. Pool 	Wednesday 4 Oct. Glass jar decoration 	Thursday 5 Oct. Science experiments 	Friday 6 Oct. Hawaiian Day 

Please note: As well as the listed activities there will be various arts and crafts and games offered each day, as well as cooking activities on some days.

Koraunui Kids Care Holiday Programme – Request to Enrol

Please note: enrolment confirmation will be sent home on receipt of this form.

Childs Name(s): _____

Parent Name: _____ Contact Number: _____

September	7am–8am	8am-12pm	12-5pm	5-5:45pm	9-3pm	Total to pay
Monday 25	\$5.00	\$20.00	\$25.00	\$3.80	\$30.00	
Tuesday 26	\$5.00	\$20.00	\$25.00	\$3.80	\$30.00	
Wednesday 27	\$5.00	\$45.00		\$3.80	\$30.00	
Thursday 28	\$5.00	\$20.00	\$25.00	\$3.80	\$30.00	
Friday 29	\$5.00	\$20.00	\$25.00	\$3.80	\$30.00	
Total						
October	7am–8am	8am-12pm	12-5pm	5-5:45pm	9-3pm	Total to pay
Monday 2	\$5.00	\$20.00	\$25.00	\$3.80	\$30.00	
Tuesday 3	\$5.00	\$20.00	\$25.00	\$3.80	\$30.00	
Wednesday 4	\$5.00	\$20.00	\$25.00	\$3.80	\$30.00	
Thursday 5	\$5.00	\$20.00	\$25.00	\$3.80	\$30.00	
Friday 6	\$5.00	\$20.00	\$25.00	\$3.80	\$30.00	
Total						

Please fill in spaces for sessions you would like your child to attend and return this booking form to the school office by Monday 18 September.