



Fa'asalalau

Samoan Cultural Group



Welcome to all new students and families—we hope you settle into your new class and make many new friends: Xavier Tukuafu, Meletaufa Akauola, Wilson Pousini, Henerittah Tafaoialii, Jenny Tran and Latrell Daniels

ZOO FARI TRIP

On Friday 19th May, the students from Explorer 1, 2 and 3 visited Auckland Zoo. This was in conjunction with the current book they are studying "If I Ran the Zoo" by Dr. Seuss. As part of the visit, the zoo's education officers took the students on an hour long guided tour along the native trail. During the session, they learnt about New Zealand's endangered native species, habitats, conservation, care and protection.



Following the guided tour, the students spent time exploring the zoo grounds. They were very excited to see animals which they have been studying in class up close and in a natural setting.



This experience inspired the children to learn more about the amazing characteristics of their favourite animal. On behalf of the students and teachers of the Lower Explorer team we would like to say a huge thank you to The Warehouse and Ritchies Transport for sponsoring the programme and also to all the parents and family members who assisted us on the visit.

GIRLS SPORTS DAY

"That was the best day of our life's" sang thirty girls from Explorer & Enterprise Pod on the way back to school from Girls Only Day on Tuesday. We got to meet talented and inspiring women athletes including Mystics player Tera-Maria Amani who shared lots of netball tips and skills with us. We also practised rugby league with Kiwi Ferns Players. We all loved being able to ride bikes around the bike track and over ramps and for some us it was the first time riding a bike. One of our favourite sports was golf. Our other highlights included learning to play futsal, tackling rugby bags with Auckland Rugby, dribbling in basketball, serving in volleyball and running the bases in softball. The girls learnt anything is possible, they developed their confidence and are now eager to make the most of every sporting opportunity.



9 June 2017

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Girls Day Out

Sports Roundup

Autumn leaves

Late Arrivals

School Uniform

Walter Dickson

Whats On?

26-30 June
Matariki

Last day Term 2
7 July

Frist Day Term 3
24 July

LANGUAGES TO LEARN

Enterprise students have been rotating to different classes and teachers to learn new languages including the following

Japanese
Konichiwa

Spanish
Hola

French
Bonjour

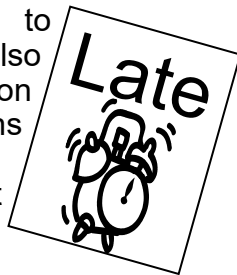
Students are encouraged to keep practicing at home!

LATE ARRIVALS

This week we have had many children arriving late for school and as many as 50 children one morning!

It is important that children arrive at school between 8.30 and 9am to prepare for their day. It also avoids children missing out on the beginning of the lessons with their teachers.

Thank you for your support with this.



AUTUMN LEAVES

Apollo pod went outside to explore the crunchy autumn leaves. They were discussing the colour, texture and shape of all the different leaves that they found. They were throwing them in the air, burying themselves under piles and playing with their friends. Autumn stories were so much better after our experience.



SPORTS ROUNDUP

NETBALL

Three amazing Year 5 & 6 Redoubt Netball Teams played at Lloyd Elsmore Park in the Otago Primary School Tournament last Friday. The boys were very successful and came back to school with the first place trophy! The girls also played very well and improved throughout the day. A big thanks to all the parents who came to support and cheer for our teams.

FOOTBALL

The Year 7 and 8 teams proudly represented Redoubt North at the South-Eastern Zone Football Tournament. The competition was tough and our teams did extremely well, both our girls and boys team came third in their division. Our teams both won three games, drew two and lost one game to the team that won the entire competition.



SCHOOL UNIFORM

As we now have colder weather children need either a Winter Jacket or Fleecy to wear to school. It is very cold in the morning to be sleeveless. Please check the lost property if your child has lost their clothing or Winter Uniform can be purchased from the office.

Year 1-6 children may wear their own jacket to school and Y7/8 children a school uniform navy jacket.

We are trying to keep children warm and comfortable with your support.

OTARA WALTER DICKSON SQUAD

Four of our Redoubt North boys have been selected to play in the Walter Dickson Rugby Squad for this year. Congratulations to Selwyn Tehaki, Harry Kaveriri, Dickie Terepo and Immanuel Nofogagato'a. The Walter Dixon Cup is a representative rugby tournament where Year 7 and 8 boys/girls represent the area that they go to school in. They play teams from Mangere, Remuera, Pakuranga, Mt Roskill, Kelston, Henderson and Mt Eden. The tournament runs in the first week of the holidays (Monday 10th July – Friday 14th July). Well done boys!



If your child is in **Year 7 or 8** they'll be offered important **free** immunisations at school. These will help protect them against a wide range of diseases and will also help protect your whānau and our community.

Ask your child for the consent form they've been given for you to read, sign and return to school.

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visit health.govt.nz/imms-older-children
or call **0800 Immune**

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