

HE MIHI NĀ TE TUMUAKI - PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

GREETINGS, KIA ORA, FAKALOFA LAHI ATU, MALO E LELEI, TALOFA LAVA, TALOHA, KIA ORANA, NI HAO, BUENOS DIAS, CIAO, MALO NO HABARI, DOBAR DAN, BULA VINAKA, ANYEONGHASEYO, NAMESTE, SAWATDI

Kia ora koutou e te whānau o Bruce McLaren Intermediate

How wonderful it is to see everyone back safe and sound. That our kura has started where we left off with all ākonga back into the routine of learning.

Firstly I would like to take this opportunity to reflect on a successful Term 2. A massive thank you to our staff who went to great lengths to ensure that our ākonga's learning was fun, exciting and purposeful. There were so many amazing highlights such as: Ease Up onsite, Blake VR, the language weeks - Sign, Rotuman and Samoan, Road Safety Week, the Māori Pasifika Whānau Hui, Open Evening, Trips to Waitangi and Wellington, Race to Knowledge, Spoken Word, Matariki, all WZ sports, our 3 Way Learning Conferences with reports, the McLaren Day and finally the last day of term celebrations with both ākonga and staff dressing up as a Twin plus, congratulating our 100% attendees for the term and also the winning whānau, Manaaki.

Coupled with our end of term celebrations, we also farewelled some very special staff: Mrs Tracy Leaoa, Ms Inger Moffat, Mr Brandon Dewes and Ms Angela Watson. We wished them well with speeches from our ākonga, giving gifts and the presentation of ula lole.

So it gives me great pleasure to welcome our new staff who join Team McLaren: Miss Jade Noffke, Mr Bipin Shankar, Matua Peter Penese and Mr Steve Kelly. We are excited for you to be part of our Bruce McLaren whānau. Nau mai, haere mai.

The most common theme that surfaces when I converse with staff about our ākonga, is that they are simply happy. Their smiles and the joy they exude around the playground is felt by all and most importantly appears to be translating into their learning.

I mentioned at my last assembly that there is nothing better than to look up from the stage to see students smiling at you. That these smiles ease whatever is going on inside. I am extremely grateful to many of our ākonga who show great citizenship with some visiting my office first thing to say, 'hello' or students greeting you followed by a sincere, "How are you?"

There are many things to be thankful for in Term 2. Ākonga success with their learning will certainly continue into this term.

It is going to be fabulous Term 3 for our BMIS Whānau.

Ngā mihi nui
Marietta Ah Chong
Tumuaki - Principal (Acting)



JULY - AUGUST 2024 UPCOMING EVENTS

- 29 JULY BMIS Japanese Language Week
- 5 AUGUST Cook Island Language Week
- 8 AUGUST Pring it On Trip
- 3 AUGUST Staff Only Day
- 13 AUGUST WZ Rugby League
- 16 AUGUST BMIS Cross Country
- 19 AUGUST Tongan Language Week
- 20 AUGUST World of Maths Workshops @ BMIS

SEPTEMBER 2024 UPCOMING EVENTS

- 22 AUGUST BOT Hui
- 23 AUGUST WZ Cross Country
- 2 SEPTEMBER BMIS Filipino Language Week
- 6 SEPTEMBER Staff Only Day
- 10-13 SEPTEMBER Year 7 Camp
- 10-13 SEPTEMBER Year 8 OE
- 14-21 SEPTEMBER Te Wiki o te Reo Māori
- 20 SEPTEMBER Race to Knowledge

SEPTEMBER 2024 UPCOMING EVENTS

- 22-28 SEPTEMBER Chinese Language Week
- 25 SEPTEMBER BMIS Science Spec Expo
- 26 SEPTEMBER BOT Hui
- 27 SEPTEMBER Term 3 Ends





DREAM BELIEVE ACHIEVE

Moemoeā Whakapono Tutuki



Whānau of
Learners
JULY 2024



McLaren Day

It was such an honour to have Amanda McLaren, Bruce McLaren's daughter visit with all the other special guests from McLaren.

The morning began with a whakatau to officially welcome our guests onto our school, to signify that they were now truly part of our Bruce McLaren Intermediate whānau. Stephen Donnell, Amanda's husband then led the assembly having significant individual's speak including Amanda to offer ākonga advice, their experiences and careers information. Amanda spoke about her father and his dream. It was truly a time of learning and connection for ākonga. Our ākonga were then led outside where they were surprised as there were 3 McLarens onsite, parked on the silent zone.

4 students were lucky enough to be drawn from our Merit Awards box to ride in the 2 McLarens. Other students got the opportunity to hop into the older McLaren model. There was so much excitement especially when they turned on the older model and the noise it made was absolutely incredible.

We were also fortunate to have Newshub onsite and we featured on the 6 o'clock news. You can see this on our Bruce McLaren Intermediate You Tube Channel. A morning that our ākonga will truly remember.



BMIS SPORTS UPDATE

HOCKEY

BMIS Hockey teams had been practicing their hockey skills and game plan since the end of Term One, with the assistance of our three teachers, Mr Emmitt, Miss Kristie and Ms Clydesdale.

On Wednesday our BMIS girls and boys teams represented us at the WZ Hockey Tournament on the North Shore. Our teams played the best game with excellent sportsmanship. Both teams lost their first and second games, and won their third game. Two previous students of our school, Austin Harold and Cooper Roberts joined our team and proudly represented us as referees. We really valued the support of the five whānau who came and supported us. Thank you to Matua Peter who took the boys for the day.

Player of the Day:

Girls: Shakira Boys: Jaice and Nikau

Most Valuable Player:

Girls: Yumna Boys: Mubshir

Pamela Clydesdale
Hockey Coach



NETBALL UPDATE

Year 7s beat Green Bay School 7-6

Year 8s beat Waikōwhai Intermediate 22-4

Only 2 more regular season games to go!

Next week's draw:

Year 7s vs. Rangeview Intermediate on court 10

Year 8s vs. Marina View on court 21

Lauren Southgate
Netball Co-ordinator & Coach



A QUICK MESSAGE FROM OUR BMIS HEAD GIRL - AYVEN HAROLD

Another holiday means another term! I hope you all had a relaxing school holiday. This term is going to be a busy but an exciting term.

Term Two was another great one. Well done to Whānau Manaaki for achieving whānau of the term, it was very well deserved. Some highlights for me last term were ShowQuest, Open Evening, the Whakatau and many others.

I think everyone at Bruce McLaren should be looking forward to Term Three because of OE, camp, cross country, language weeks, non uniform days, leadership workshop (Councillors) and so many more things to look forward to.



CONGRATULATIONS

NAINZ

Our Mr Nainz Tupa'i with his brother who are Adeaze, released another single last week, Forever I am Yours. We are so proud of you and that you are part of our BMIS whānau. You inspire all BMIS student especially our musicians and singers that dreams do come true.

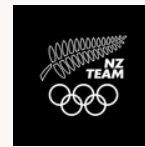


JO ALEH

Jo Aleh, a past Bruce McLaren Intermediate student has been named as one of New Zealand's flagbearers for the Paris Olympics opening ceremony.

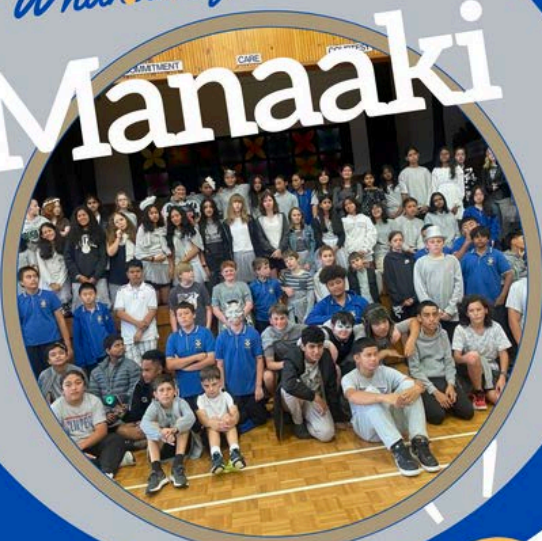
Jo Aleh is a New Zealand sailor. She is a national champion, a former world champion, and an Olympic gold medallist.

Another amazing kiwi showing us the dreams do come true!




Whānau of the Term

Manaaki



Term 2



Don't forget about Year 8 OE!

Principal Awards

Shakira Room 2, Tanisha Room 2, Lennox Room 2
 Mobashir Room 2, Corey Room 5, Bailee Otter Room 5, STEM 5 Max Botica, Emma Room 1, Belle Room 1, STEM 11 Samantha, STEM 2 Roman

Merit Awards

Sam Room 11, Lebron Room 11, Ollie Room 6, Prezayious Room 6

TWIN DAY PLUS ...



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GET YOUR PERMISSION SLIP & PAYMENT IN BOTH ARE DUE: AUGUST 23RD

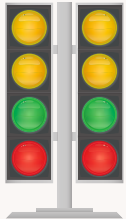
BMIS YR 7 CAMP



DON'T MISS OUT

FINLAY PARK ADVENTURE CAMP
10TH - 13TH SEPTEMBER 2024

CONTACT OUR OFFICE FOR DETAILS



IS IT BULLYING?



NOT NICE:

When someone says or does something unintentionally hurtful and they only do it once ...
... that is NOT NICE

MEAN:

When someone says or does something intentionally hurtful and they do it once...
... that is MEAN

BULLYING:

When someone says or does something intentionally hurtful and they keep doing it, over a period of time even when you tell them to stop or show them that you are upset...
...that is BULLYING

COMMON SENSE
CO-OPERATION
CARE
COMMITMENT
COURTESY



Attendance Challenge

Which class will win?

The class that achieves greater than 95% weekly attendance, on any given week this term will win a visit to their class from Mr Whippy



Our School Values
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