# Coley Street School Newsletter



"Always our best"

Term 2, Week 7 - Tuesday 6 June, 2023

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#### **Term Dates:**

Term 2: Wednesday 26 April - Friday 30 June Term 3: Monday 17 July - Friday 22 September Term 4: Monday 9 October - Wednesday 13 December

#### **Important Dates:**

- Wednesday 7th June Kia o Rahi Foxton Primary
- Friday 9 June Assembly, 10.15am
- Friday 16 June Assembly, 10.15am
- Friday 23 June Rugby tournament (Y5-8)

# From the Principal's Desk principal@coleystreet.school.nz

Dear Families,

We hope you had a safe and enjoyable long weekend and a break from weekend sport. Wednesday we have a year  $\frac{1}{8}$  team entered in the Kia o Rahi tournament at Foxton Primary starting 9.00am. Children will need a drink bottle, snack food and warm clothing. They will be provided with their normal school lunch.

Life Education starts this week in our school and covers a range of topics that are applicable to the range of age groups we have and support some important life skills.

This year our mid year reports will come home to parents at the end of the first week of term 3. These will be for year 4-8 students only.

Our new draft school vision and kaupapa continues to develop with everyone in a learning phase. Our junior students in particular have picked up the kaupapa of Taha Whanau, Taha,Tinana, Taha Hinengaro and Taha Wairua very quickly.

**Peter Kemp** - Principal

## Welcome to ...

A warm welcome to our new students and their family:

Izzy, Rico and Harlem-Ryhs who enrolled last week. Also, Seth and Rhylin-Jay who have started school today.

We hope you have an enjoyable and successful time at Coley Street School.

# Positive Behaviour 4 Learning Focus of the Week

# PB4L Focus of the Week



Te Taha Hinengaro Mentini Wellbeing

- Learning to communicate thoughts and feeling
- Learning to be resilient
- Learning to keep a balance between physical and mental and emotional well being

#### Kaupapa Cards

#### Takahe

Lexie - Taha Wairua Kakapo

Cody - Taha Whanau Kiwi

Jayden - Taha Whanau Weka

Summah - Taha Wairua

## Students of the Week:

#### **ROOM 1**

Lexie, for having a great understanding of Taha Wairua and using this in all her school work.

#### ROOM 2

Ana for showing taha hinengaro by sharing her challenges and helping others to overcome theirs.

#### ROOM 3

**Boston** for using his taha Hinengaro, doing such great work in class all week and being a great role model.

#### ROOM 4

Jordan for being a positive role model to others in the class (Taha Whanau)

#### ROOM 5

Izzy for using her Taha Whānau and settling into school.

#### ROOM 6

**Robert** for using his taha Hinengaro, doing such great work in class all week.

#### ROOM 7

Estelle for consistently using her Taha Whānau in class and in the playground.

#### **ROOM 10**

Royal Teka-Sewell, for using Taha Hinengaro in his writing and reading!

#### **SENIOR HUB**

Elizabeth for using her Taha Hinengaro to strive in all of her work. Leyton for reflecting the schools kaupapa in all he does.



You will see the Life Education bus on site at Coley Street School from Thursday 8th June until Friday 16th June...

### The Life Education Programme

The Life Education programme teaches health to primary and intermediate school children. They go into schools by invitation and they are linked into the school curriculum. The programme covers a wide range of health topics:

- Food and nutrition
- Human Biology
- Relationships & Communities
- Identity and Resilience
- Substances



They do this by taking children on an adventure in a mobile classroom that is equipped with sight and sound equipment designed to capture children's imaginations. The educator (registered teacher) takes children on a journey, along with Harold the Giraffe, their mascot, and together they make the journey fun as well as educational.

## School Notices

#### RUGBY TOURNAMENT AT COLEY ST - FRIDAY 23 JUNE

Just to inform parents that on Friday 23rd June (2nd to last Friday of term) we are hosting a year 5/6 and a year 7/8 rugby tournament at Coley Street School. We have teams from Foxton Beach, Foxton Primary, St Marys, Shannon, Tangimoana, Levin School, Fairfield and Coley Street Schools.

This is an opportunity for players to play rugby for their schools rather than through the clubs. Some schools are short of players, so we will combine some teams to accommodate them.

Games start at 10.00am on both fields and will finish approximately 2.00pm, with each team getting 3 games of 10 minute halves.

Players must have mouthguards and barefeet and teams can be boys and girls combined.

BBQ sausages will be provided for the players by Libelles.

Schools are welcome to set up their own gazebo / tarpaulin for the players.

We will have some donated prizes for outstanding play / sportsmanship.

Parents and whanau are welcome and if you are capable of refereeing please offer.

#### • LATE TO SCHOOL ???

A large number of children are late to school everyday!!!!

Being late is disruptive for everyone, important notices and instructions for the day are being missed, it makes it difficult for children to settle in and participate in the school day which affects their learning.

Also, there is a concern around safety when children do not turn up in the morning. **School starts at 8.45am.** 





# **Coley Street School**

Staff 2023



Back Row: Kim MacMillian, Pamela Payne, Anne Crombie, Nicola Taylor, Kim Hallett, Samantha Hatsell, Aimee Johnstone

2nd Row: Susan Savage, Katie O'Donnell, Trevor Belk, Sam Downey, Daniel Pond, Lisa Peni, Rebecca Wanoa

Front Row: Amanda Buchanan, Deb Jerard, Alison Hutchinson, Peter Kemp (Principal), Lilly, Tina Maclean, Jacqui Harford, Alice Bodell

Absent: Alison Davenport, Tracey Hibbs