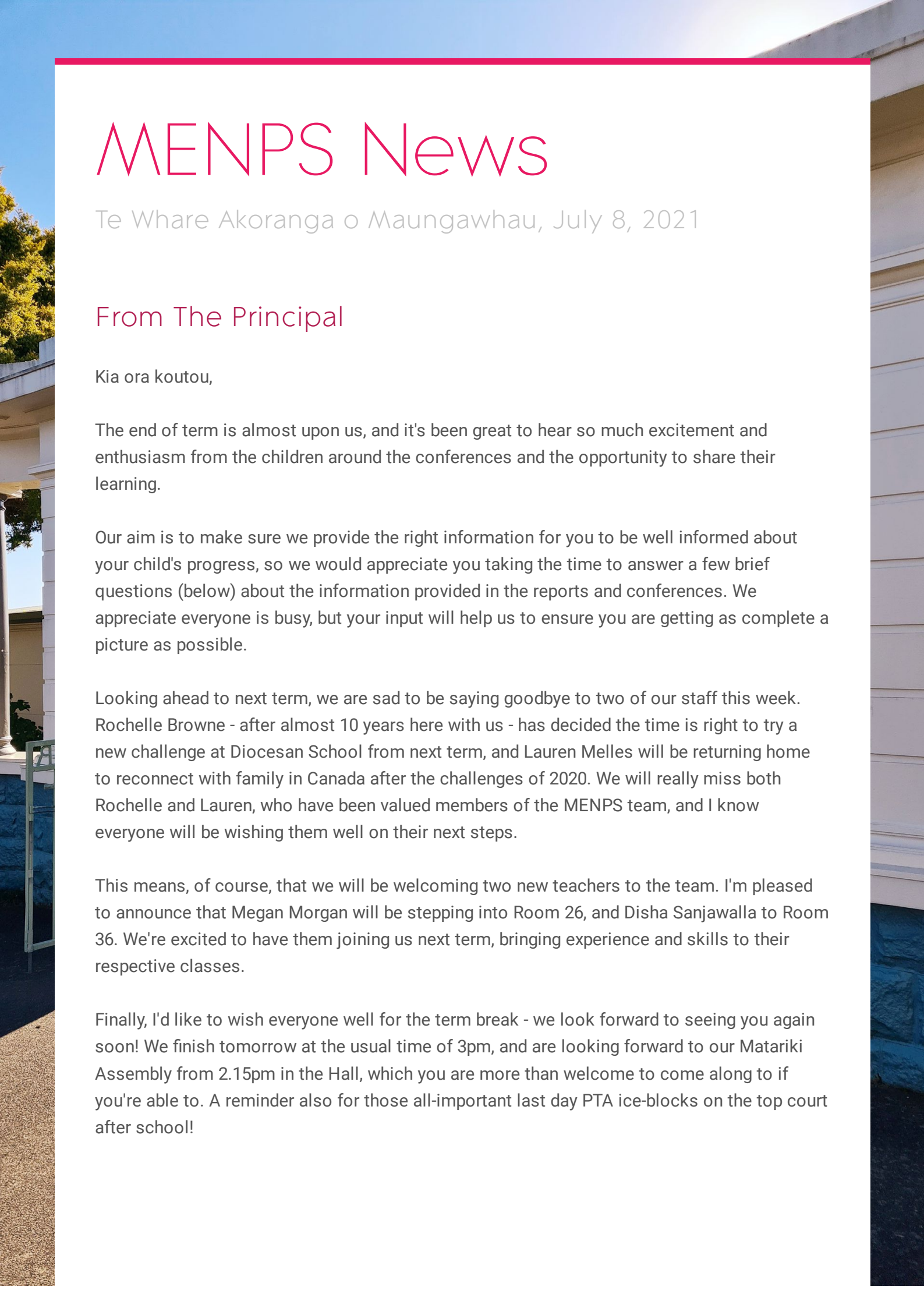


MENPS News

Te Whare Akoranga o Maungawhau, July 8, 2021

From The Principal

Kia ora koutou,

The end of term is almost upon us, and it's been great to hear so much excitement and enthusiasm from the children around the conferences and the opportunity to share their learning.

Our aim is to make sure we provide the right information for you to be well informed about your child's progress, so we would appreciate you taking the time to answer a few brief questions (below) about the information provided in the reports and conferences. We appreciate everyone is busy, but your input will help us to ensure you are getting as complete a picture as possible.

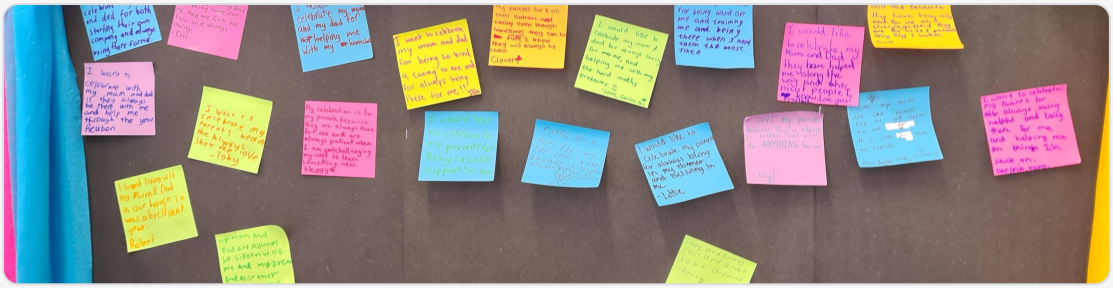
Looking ahead to next term, we are sad to be saying goodbye to two of our staff this week. Rochelle Browne - after almost 10 years here with us - has decided the time is right to try a new challenge at Diocesan School from next term, and Lauren Melles will be returning home to reconnect with family in Canada after the challenges of 2020. We will really miss both Rochelle and Lauren, who have been valued members of the MENPS team, and I know everyone will be wishing them well on their next steps.

This means, of course, that we will be welcoming two new teachers to the team. I'm pleased to announce that Megan Morgan will be stepping into Room 26, and Disha Sanjawalla to Room 36. We're excited to have them joining us next term, bringing experience and skills to their respective classes.

Finally, I'd like to wish everyone well for the term break - we look forward to seeing you again soon! We finish tomorrow at the usual time of 3pm, and are looking forward to our Matariki Assembly from 2.15pm in the Hall, which you are more than welcome to come along to if you're able to. A reminder also for those all-important last day PTA ice-blocks on the top court after school!

Ka kite anō au i a koutou

Alan Jackson
Principal



Mid-year Reports & Conference Feedback

We are seeking feedback on our Term 2 mid-year reports and conferences. Your views and thoughts would be appreciated, and will help inform our future planning.

Thanks for taking the time to share your experience!

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Term 2 finishes at the usual time of 3pm - Friday, 9 July

Magic Spells Word Lists!

Magic Spells | menps

MENPS PTA
Mount Eden Normal Primary School Parent Teacher Association
www.menpspta.co.nz

Magic Spells 2021

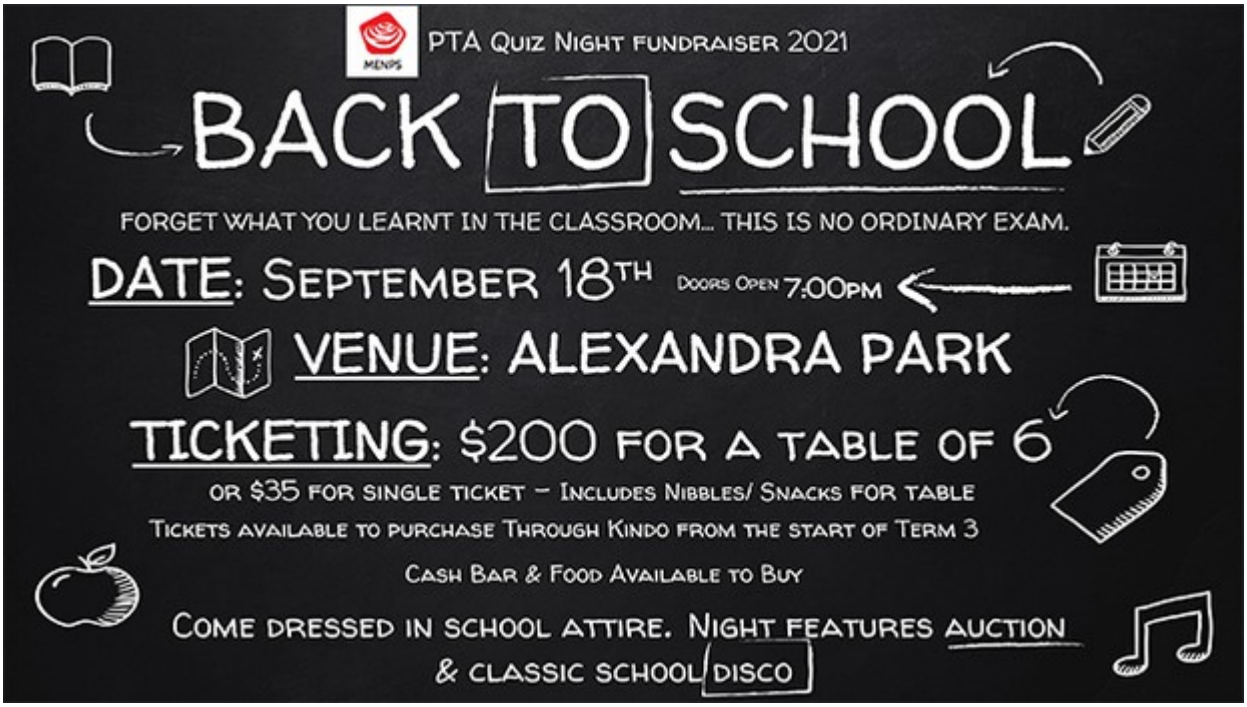
Your child will have brought a **list of words home today** to learn as part of the Magic Spells challenge. Each student has chosen a suitable list in coordination with their teacher. Copies of the spelling lists can be found on the MENPS website if you have missed out on getting yours.

Students have **three weeks to learn** this list of words to spell and they will have a written challenge (in class) on **Thursday 29th July**. Over the next three weeks you might like to find friends and family that will be willing to sponsor an amount for every word your child spells correctly.

Keep the sponsorship form at home - once your child has been tested on the words, they will bring home a certificate celebrating how many words they spelled correctly and then you can collect your sponsorship money. All money raised will go directly to the school and to help develop outdoor activities!

pdf Magic Spells - Description Download 543.4 KB

pdf Magic Spells - Sponsorship Form Download 1.2 MB



Second Hand Uniform Shop

8:15 am - 9:15 am, 6th August, Friday
Outside the School Hall

Donations of clean and tidy items are greatly appreciated.
Please drop off to the office

PTA - Supporting Our School Through Fundraising & Fun Events

Facebook

Chairperson Renáta Latimer
Deputy Chairperson Marina Borodatova
Secretary Melanie Woollard
Treasurer Linda Waddington-Miller
Class Coordinator Leader Jane Cunningham
PTA Advisor Scott Optican

Follow us on Facebook and keep up to date with the PTA on Mount Eden Normal Primary School PTA page.

menpspta@gmail.com menpspta.co.nz

Community Notices

BALMORAL AUTO REPAIRS 2008 LIMITED

Planning a winter road trip/school holidays? Ensure your vehicles safe to go. Time to check wipers, tyres & brakes!

For all your WOF's, vehicle servicing, & maintenance. All makes & models old or new. Call us, your friendly local team.

PH: 6387866

385 Dominion Rd, Mt Eden
(Behind g.a.s petrol station. Entrance on Paice Ave)
www.balmoralautorepairs.co.nz

AFTER AND BEFORE SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

HOLIDAY PROGRAMME
WEEK ONE
MON
TUES
WED
THURS
12 - 15 JULY 2021
8:30AM - 9AM
MAKE YOUR WAY TO KIDS CLUB FOR SIGN IN
9:00AM - 11:00AM
LET THE GAMES BEGIN
11:00AM - 11:30AM
MORNING TEA
11:30AM - 1:00PM
SWIMMING
1:00PM - 1:30PM
LUNCH
1:30PM - 3:00PM
FACE PAINTING PARTY
CRAFTERNOON
FUN FACTORY
CRAFTERNOON
3:00PM - 3:30PM
AFTERNOON TEA
3:30PM - 4:30PM
WE LIKE TO MOVE IT
BOXERCISE
NERF WARS
SMOOTH MOVES
4:30PM
PICKUP TIME
WEEK TWO
MON
TUES
WED
THURS
19 - 22 JULY 2021
8:30AM - 9AM
MAKE YOUR WAY TO KIDS CLUB FOR SIGN IN
9:00AM - 11:00AM
LET THE GAMES BEGIN
11:00AM - 11:30AM
MORNING TEA
11:30AM - 1:00PM
SWIMMING
1:00PM - 1:30PM
LUNCH
1:30PM - 3:00PM
MAGICAL EXPERIENCE
CRAFTERNOON
SLIMEY SCIENCE
MOVIE
3:30PM - 4:30PM
AFTERNOON TEA
3:30PM - 4:30PM
DOOGEVILLE
WE LIKE TO MOVE IT
NERF WARS
TALENT SHOW
4:30PM
PICKUP TIME
POP CORN
GET YOUR SPOT NOW!!
SEND YOUR KIDS ALONG KNOWING THEY WILL HAVE A BLAST!
All meals are provided by the Papagaio Health cafe!
SPACES ARE LIMITED!!!!
CONTACT LAKER AT:
laker.h@healthandsports.co.nz
or call us on 845 3305 for more info!
SOME THINGS TO BRING:
- Togs (Compulsory swimming cap)
- Drink bottle
- Hat
NO SWIMMING CAP NO SWIM!
Health&Sports
FITNESS CLUB
TXT 'HOLIDAY' TO 2414 FOR MORE INFO

Holiday Programmes
JULY 12 - JULY 23
Make the most of your school holidays with a fun-filled learning experience!
BOOK TODAY! SCRATCHPAD.CO.NZ
PYTHON
LET US CODE
MINECRAFT MODDING
ROBOTICS USING EDISON
MAKEY MAKEY
3D PRINTING
MICROBIT
HTML/CSS
ANDROID APPS
GRAPHIC DESIGN
ROBOTICS USING MBOT
DEVELOP UNITY 3D GAMES
ROBLOX PROGRAMMING
SCRATCHPAD
TECHNOLOGY LEARNING CENTRES
SCRATCHPAD ST LUKES
12/1 WAGENER PLACE, MT ALBERT
INFO@SCRATCHPAD.CO.NZ
09 815 0825

ART CLASSES
AT SCHOOLS, AFTER SCHOOL
Term 3 2021 @ MENPS
Fine Young Artists is an inspirational fine arts programme designed for children who are passionate about art.
Every term, children take part in an exciting new programme based on the works of well-know local and international artists. Our 8-week course is the perfect way to develop your child's artistic potential.
Term 3 2021: ON TOP OF MY WORLD
(Drawing & Painting on Stretched Canvas)
We teach you the art of gestural brush strokes and layering techniques that help you create a large landscape painting, your very own slice of New Zealand.
8 weeks Thursday 12th August to 30th Sep 2021
3:15pm-5:15pm
FINE YOUNG ARTISTS
.....ARTISTS IN THE MAKING
ENROL NOW! www.fineyoungartists.co.nz P: 09 6341995 E: enquiries@fineyoungartists.co.nz

GREYFRIARS EDEN EPSOM PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

JUNGLE SAFARI HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

12TH-16TH JULY 2021

TIME: 9 AM TO 3:30 PM AFTER-CARE: AVAILABLE TILL 5 PM

AGE: PRIMARY SCHOOL (5-11 YEARS)

HOLIDAY PROGRAMME COST: $20 PER DAY FOR EACH CHILD

EARLYBIRD COST: $90 IF YOU BOOK ALL 5 DAYS BEFORE WEDNESDAY 30 JUNE!

AFTERCARE: $10 EXTRA PER DAY FOR EACH CHILD

GAMES & FUN ACTIVITIES, MEANINGFUL LEARNING ABOUT GOD, TEAM CHALLENGES, OUTDOOR GAMES, CRAFTS, COOKIE DECORATING AND SO MUCH MORE!

VENUE: MEMORIAL HALL, GREYFRIARS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, CNR WINDMILL AND MT EDEN ROAD (ENTRY FROM THE CARPARK)

MORNING AND AFTERNOON TEAS ARE PROVIDED BUT CHILDREN SHOULD BRING THEIR OWN LUNCH.

PLEASE NOTE: OUR POLICY THAT THERE ARE NO REFUNDS FOR DAYS ALREADY BOOKED, HOWEVER PLEASE KEEP YOUR CHILD HOME, IF THEY ARE UNWELL IN ANY WAY.CHILDREN WHO ARE FOUND TO BE UNWELL AT THE HOLIDAY PROGRAMME WILL NEED TO BE PICKED UP DURING THE DAY.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUERIES, PLEASE PHONE 630-2460 (OFFICE HOURS TUES-FRI 8:45-2:45PM) OR EMAIL HOLIDAY@GREYFRIARS.ORG.NZ

Holiday Programme 1

Mon 12th - Fri 16th July 2021
Club member cost for 5 days $140 or $32 per day
Non member cost for 5 days $160 or $36 per day
9.00am - 12.00pm

Holiday Programme 2

Monday 19th - Fri 23rd 2021
Club member cost for 5 days $140 or $32 per day
Non member cost for 5 days $160 or $36 per day
9.00am - 12.00pm

Racquets may be borrowed or purchased.

Bookings are essential as numbers are limited.

For more information or to register go to
www.tenniscoaching.co.nz
josh@tenniscoaching.co.nz
022 639 0015

Term 3 Primary and Intermediate Table Tennis Team Competition

If you are interested in your child playing in a Term 3 Competition at the Auckland Table Tennis Stadium in Gillies Ave, Epsom please email Ebi Kleiser the Competition Coordinator for more details at tabletennisnr@gmail.com

NEXT LEVEL
BASKETBALL
www.nextlevelbasketball.co.nz
Next Level Basketball
Miniball Competition
All schools and clubs are welcome to register for the 8-week tournament
Medals and Spot Prizes given to the Winners, Most Improved Players and MVP of the league.
Professional Referees provided at every game
2 Grades, A grade – Advanced, B grade - Development
Year 7&8
Term 3
Competition
TUESDAYS
Dates:
10th August –
28th September
Time:
First game 4pm
Last game 7pm
Cost:
$500 per team
Where:
Dilworth Junior Campus
27 Omahu Road, Remuera,
Auckland
(Park on Omahu Rd)
Register via
www.nextlevelbasketball.co.nz
Email:
info@nextlevelbasketball.co.nz
Call:
0210715050
Year 5 &6
Term 3
Competition
THURSDAYS
Dates:
12th August–
30th September
Time:
First game 4:20pm
Last game 6:40pm
Cost:
$500 per team

TAPAC

THE AUCKLAND PERFORMING ARTS CENTRE

JULY HOLIDAY PROGRAMMES

Performing arts experiences for ages 5-17

Make a Music Video, Sci-Fi Stage Combat, Circus Arts, TikTok Dance, Puppeteering, Theatre Games, The Magician's Hat, Write a Pop Hit, Hit the Stage!, Hip Hop, Magical Music, Winter Wonderland, Directing & Screenwriting, Animal Adventure

Book at www.tapac.org.nz

VALLEY ROAD
INTERNATIONAL CHURCH...
is a lively and welcoming church community made up of people and families from many cultures and nations. We really value children in our church community and have a great team of leaders who care deeply and bring out the best in them.
We warmly welcome you and your children to participate in our great holiday programmes and Sunday gatherings. These are really special and joyful times for all the children involved! We love the community around us and hope we can serve you and your family in any way we can.
God bless you
Sam Martin - Lead Pastor
Valley Road International Church
We are blessed with a very gifted and dedicated team of leaders, who love children and are able to bring out the best in them
ARROWS HOLIDAY PROGRAMME
UP
JULY 12-16, 2021
5 - 11 YEAR OLDS
Arrows
DETAILS
WHEN:
July 12-16, 2021 (Monday - Friday)
9 a.m. - 12 noon (morning-only programme)
OR 9 a.m. - 4.30 p.m. (full-day programme).
Arrangements may be made for later pick-ups at extra cost.
WHERE:
ARROWS hall
Valley Road International Church, Mt Eden
Cnr Mt Eden and Valley Roads, Mt Eden
COST:
Mornings-only programme - $45 for the week.
Full-day programme - $90 for the week.
Note: these are early-bird prices available only until Monday, July 5th, and include GST.
For prices after July 5th and for individual morning/ day prices, visit www.valleyroad.org.nz
THEME:
Up
BRING:
If attending for the full day, children must bring lunch and a drink. Morning and afternoon teas provided. Children with allergies should bring their own snacks.
THE TEAM
PROGRAMME INCLUDES
CRAFTS
MOVIES
GAMES
ART
MUSIC
TEAM POINTS COMPETITION
BIBLE VALUES
REGISTRATION FORM
CHILDREN'S NAME(S)
Name: Age:
Name: Age:
Name: Age:
Parent's Name:
Emergency phone:
Address:
Postcode:
Email:
Name any allergies your child has:
Days attending (please circle below):
Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday
Which programme (please circle): Mornings only Full day
TO REGISTER (EITHER 1 or 2)
1. Register online at www.valleyroad.org.nz
2. Email Nona at info@valleyroad.org.nz with your child's details as requested above. (Please put 'Arrows' in the subject line).

SCHOOL HOLIDAY TENNIS CLINIC

AT PARNELL LAWN TENNIS CLUB (Auckland Domain – next to Museum)

FOR MORE DETAILED PROGRAM INFORMATION PLEASE VISIT http://www.parnelllawntennisclub.co.nz/junior-programmes/

Come and join us for some great tennis and fun at Parnell TC, NZ's premier club.
We endeavor to structure groups according to player ability from beginner to advanced standards. **FLEXIBLE ENROLMENTS CHOOSE WHICHEVER DAYS SUIT YOUR CHILD THE BEST.**

FIRST WEEK:	**5, 6, 7, 8, 9 July 2021**
SECOND WEEK:	**12, 13, 14, 15, 16 July**
THIRD WEEK:	**19, 20, 21, 22, 23 July**
FOURTH WEEK:	**26, 27, 28, 29, 30 July**

AGE: 5-18 years old

TIME & COST:

9:00 am to 12 noon	(Morning Clinic)	**$200 or $45 per day**
12:00 noon to 3:00 pm	(Afternoon Clinic)	**$200 or $45 per day**
9:00 am to 3:00 pm	(FULL DAY CLINIC)	**$380 or $85 per day**

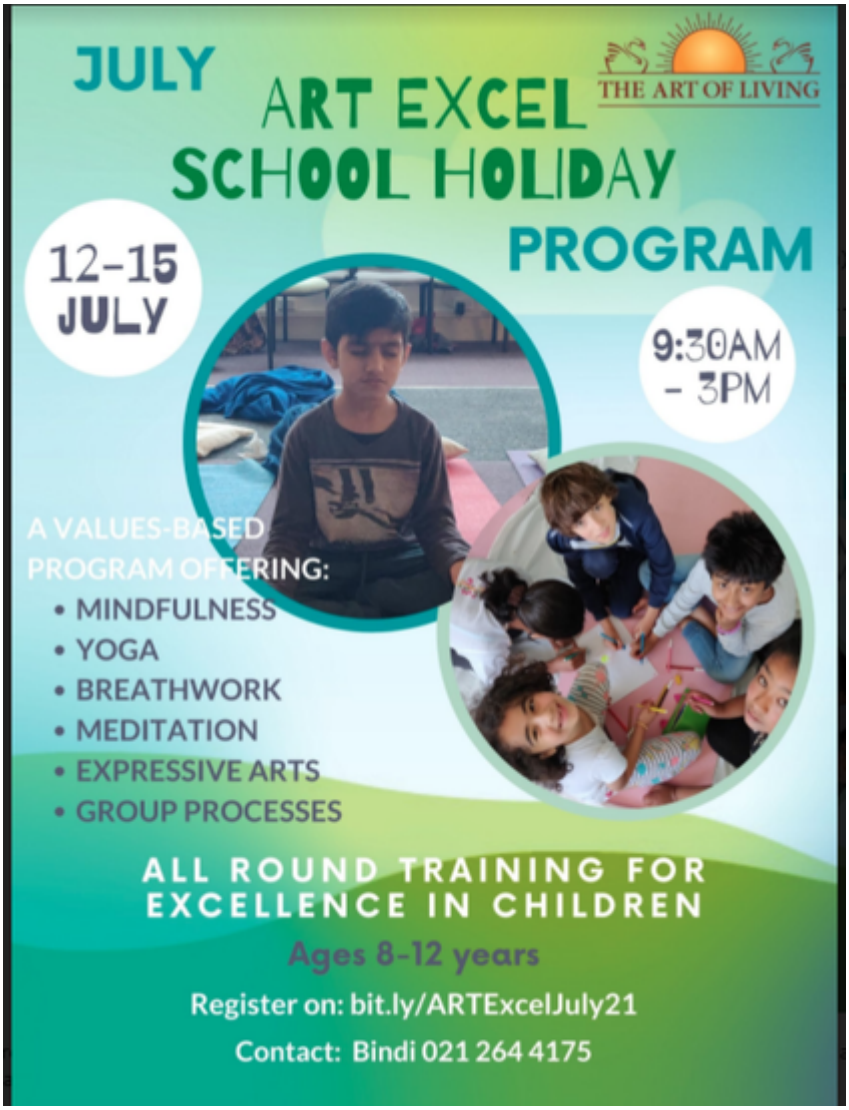
A NEW 8 WEEK COURSE AT PARNELL LAWN TENNIS CLUB

DATES: **Saturdays:** **August (2021) 7, 14, 21, 28. September 4, 11, 18. 25.**
Sundays: **August 8, 15, 22, 29. September 5, 12, 19, 26.**
TIME: **9:00 – 10:00 am for 5-18 years old**

Tuesdays: August 3, 10, 17, 24, 31. September 7, 14, 21.
Time: 7-8am, Age: 10-18)
COST: $200 for 8 weeks

TENNIS FOR ADULTS!!! **(Beginners only) is on Saturdays from 8am to 9am.**

ENQUIRIES: Coach, **Goran Marsic** NZPTCA (Level 2), TCNZ (Competition Coach), 30 years experience.
Phone: **(021) 167-7460**, **(09) 377-9393**, E-mail: **gmarsic@gmail.com**


JULY
ART EXCEL
SCHOOL HOLIDAY
PROGRAM
THE ART OF LIVING
12-15
JULY
9:30AM
- 3PM
A VALUES-BASED
PROGRAM OFFERING:
• MINDFULNESS
• YOGA
• BREATHWORK
• MEDITATION
• EXPRESSIVE ARTS
• GROUP PROCESSES
ALL ROUND TRAINING FOR
EXCELLENCE IN CHILDREN
Ages 8-12 years
Register on: bit.ly/ARTExcelJuly21
Contact: Bindi 021 264 4175

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fun activities
every day for
5-13 year olds
winter fun
holiday
programme
find out more at villagesquare.org.nz/shp

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