



MENPS News

Te Whare Akoranga o Maungawhau, July 1, 2021

From The Principal

Kia ora koutou,

We're really looking forward to welcoming all parents to our Term 2 Parent Conferences next week.

You should receive your child's report via email on Monday afternoon. If you don't receive it by the end of the day, please check your junk email, and contact the office if you still need further assistance.


When reading your child's report, please be aware of the following key points:

- Children in the early stages of learning English are ***not expected*** to be on track to meet curriculum expectations for their year level
- Learners would typically need to be rated as comfortably '***approaching***' the end of year level expectations at this point in the year in order to be on target to 'achieve' or 'exceed' them by Term 4
- Above all, we encourage you to focus on your child's individual ***progress and effort*** - these are the best measures of success for your child

As parents, we know that children have differing strengths, interests and areas for development. We also know that they progress at differing rates, so it's important to keep this in mind when reading the report. We want to make sure we celebrate every child who is working and learning to the best of their individual ability, and give you clear information on the next steps for them to realise their potential. Effort and learner dispositions matter. They are what makes the difference, so please pay particular attention to these.

The conference runs in blocks of 30 mins. For part of this time, your child will share aspects of their learning with you and talk about some of their goals. In addition, you will have dedicated time with the teacher for any questions or areas of discussion.

We aim for the conferences to be an opportunity for you and your child to celebrate success, and talk openly about the goals ahead for the rest of the year.



If there are any sensitive matters you wish to discuss privately with the teacher without your child present, it is important to let the teacher know so that an alternative opportunity can be made for this. As always, we advise raising any issues, concerns or worries that may arise at any time they occur, rather than waiting for a scheduled conference to address them.

Finally, well done to our Year 2 and 3's for another great Cross Country event today. It was great to see such an enthusiastic turnout to cheer the children on, and we are really proud of the stellar performance from all of our runners!



Ka kite anō au i
a koutou

Alan Jackson
Principal

Events & Reminders

Friday 2 July - Second Hand Uniform Shop (Hall, 8:15am-9:15am)

Tuesday 6 July - PTA Meeting (Staffroom, 7pm-8pm)

Wednesday, 7 July - Parent Conferences (3.15pm-4.15pm)

Thursday, 8 July - (1.30-6.00pm) - 1pm pick up

Friday, 9 July - Matariki Assembly (Hall, 2.15pm)



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

Sports Assembly Term 2 2021



MENPS PTA

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

MENPS PTA QUIZ NIGHT 2021-

The successful "all for a good cause" parents night out is back. An evening filled with fun, laughter and a little brain power. All money raised will help with the construction of the canopy. Happening in term 3 with date and ticketing to be announced



Second Hand Uniform Shop is Tomorrow

8:15 am - 9:15 am, 2nd July, Friday

Outside the School Hall Kitchen

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

Want to get more involved?

The next **PTA meeting** is **TUESDAY JULY 6th at 7pm** in the **Staffroom**.

It's a great time to come along and see how the PTA committee works. We always welcome new people - and provide an opportunity to get to know more parents and contribute more widely to the school community!



Seeking Event Prizes and Auction Items

We are sourcing family-orientated fun opportunities for our community - so, if you know anyone with experiences to offer, we would really appreciate your help. We will return the favour however we can! Starter ideas include:

- 'Parents night out' packages (hotel stays, childcare vouchers)
- Campervans
- Bach stays
- 'Pamper' experiences (massage, beauty therapy etc)

- Kids activities
- Local days out etc

Calling all Word Wizards

2021

Magic Spells

**Magic Spells aims to make spelling fun.
Join the challenge, seek sponsors & help raise school funds**

Friday 9th July: Sponsorship forms and word lists are sent home
Thursday 29th July: Magic Spells is conducted and certificates are sent home.
Wednesday 11th August: Sponsorship money can be deposit



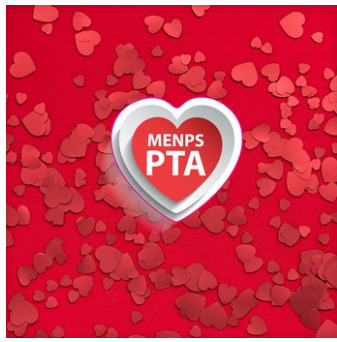

Help Our School to Get FREE Sports Equipment

1. Buy Apples with Yummy Stickers at Pak n Save, New World, the Parklands Fruit Shop or at Countdown.
2. Attach all stickers to a blank sheet of paper.
3. Bring the sheet into the school office if you have at least 50 stickers.

THE Yummy FRUIT COMPANY

Sticker collection will finish at the end of Term 3





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

FOUND – BANK CARD

If you have lost a bank card, please come to the office to claim it.



Holiday Programme

Term 2 2021

Full Day 7.30am to 6.00pm \$ 60
Trip Day 7.30am to 6.00pm \$ 70
Short Day 8.30am to 3.00pm \$ 45

<p>Mon 12th July</p> <p>Sea, Snow & Sand</p> <p>We dive into our natural environment and learn about biomes and climates around the world! We'll make crafts inspired by our major Biomes!</p> 	<p>Tue 13th July</p> <p>STEAM</p> <p>Today we are designers, engineers, and scientists! We'll make bouncy balls from liquid, construct the highest tower and build the strongest catapult!</p> 	<p>Wed 14th July</p> <p>Rainbow Day</p> <p>Somewhere over the Rainbow, we have colourful activities to do! Join us to create Shooters, Twisters, and Magic Art! We also dive into some colourful experiments!</p> 	<p>Thu 15th July</p> <p>Take Flight</p> <p>Get ready to Lift off! We're flying to all sorts of flight activities today! We'll make parachute people, Hot Air Balloons and try a hovercraft experiment!</p> 	<p>Fri 16th July</p> <p>TRIP: Movie</p> <p>Space Jam: A New Legacy</p> <p>Basketball superstar LeBron James teams up with the Looney Tunes gang to defeat the Goon Squad and save his son.</p> 
<p>Mon 19th July</p> <p>Geology Day</p> <p>It's more than just rocks! We'll learn to grow crystals, see formations of Lava in lamps and maybe even erupt a volcano or two!</p> 	<p>Tue 20th July</p> <p>Escape Room</p> <p>Can you find your way out? Did you find the clues? Work together to crack the code! Don't get trapped!</p> 	<p>Wed 21st July</p> <p>Super Science</p> <p>Get your Lab Coats, it's Science time! We'll do awesome experiments like Floating Stickmen, and Dancing Rice. Later we'll make Salt Paintings and eat our own DIY DNA!</p> 	<p>Thu 22nd July</p> <p>TRIP: Stardome</p> <p>We're off to discover what is in Space! We'll get immersed in the stars and we'll see the twinkles beautifying Space!</p> 	<p>Fri 23rd July</p> <p>Sundae Fundae</p> <p>I scream, you scream, we all scream for Ice Cream! We'll open an Ice Cream Shop and make Ice Cream to eat and to show for our Ice Cream Party!</p> 

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 (Behind g.a.s petrol station. Entrance on Paice Ave)
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BALMORAL INTERMEDIATE



OPEN DAY WEDNESDAY 28 JULY

Starts 9:10am - Finishes 10:30am

Starts 6:00 pm - Finishes 7:30pm

Visit our purpose built modern Intermediate classroom spaces, our specialist area, including a science lab, art studio, multi-materials room, music rooms, food technology room and our Sports Centre all specifically developed for the emerging adolescent.

Students will guide you around these spaces, and will answer any questions about our Intermediate School from a student's point of view.

The sessions will end with a presentation from the Principal, Deputy Principal and teachers about our curriculum, and a chance for you to ask questions about our learning.



'Balmoral School is highly effective in achieving equitable and excellent outcomes for students... Children are active participants in their education where curiosity, challenge, critical thinking and creativity are valued outcomes. The school promotes the joy of learning.' ERO, 2018

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Andrew Lawrey
027 333 584



Jeff Reid
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Paul Greenwood
027 299 3331

AFTER AND BEFORE SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

All the fun lined up JULY SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

BOYS & GIRLS | AGES 5 - 13

MT EDEN & ST JOHNS VENUES

Netball Programme: A 3 half day programme for players of all levels wanting to practice & refine their skills

Intensive Netball: A 2 day programme for netballers who are ready to extend their skills. Your child will be working with experienced coaches and other players working on skills and game play.

ST JOHNS VENUE ONLY

Multi-Activity Mania: No day is the same and there is fun galore! Sports, games, art, crafts, science, baking and more!

Kokkino Kids Cooking: After a year off we're bringing back the crowd favourite, Kokkino Kids cooking. A day full of baking & cooking fun in our awesome onsite kitchen facilities.

To register or for more information visit:

www.aucklandnetball.co.nz



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 - 10:00AM	LET THE GAMES BEGIN				
	10:00AM - 11:00AM		MORNING TEA			
	11:00AM - 1:00PM		SWIMMING			
	1:00PM - 1:30PM	LUNCH				
	1:30PM - 3:00PM	FACE PAINTING PARTY	CRAFTS/NOON	FUN FACTORY	CRAFTS/NOON	
	3:00PM - 3:30PM	AFTERNOON TEA				
	3:30PM - 4:30PM	WE LIKE TO MOVE IT	BOBICISE	NERF WAR	SMOOTH MOVES	
4:30PM	PICKUP TIME					
18 - 22 JULY 2021	8:30AM - 9AM	MAKE YOUR WAY TO KIDS CLUB FOR SIGN IN				
	9:00AM - 10:00AM	LET THE GAMES BEGIN				
	10:00AM - 11:00AM		MORNING TEA			
	11:00AM - 1:00PM		SWIMMING			
	1:00PM - 1:30PM	LUNCH				
	1:30PM - 3:00PM	MAGICAL EXPERIENCE	CRAFTS/NOON	SLIME SCIENCE	MOVIE	
	3:00PM - 3:30PM	AFTERNOON TEA				
	3:30PM - 4:30PM	DOODLEVILLE	WE LIKE TO MOVE IT	NERF WAR	TALENT SHOW	
4:30PM	PICKUP TIME					

GET YOUR SPOT NOW!!
SEND YOUR KIDS ALONG KNOWING THEY WILL HAVE A BLAST!

All meals are provided by the Papapaio 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! NO SWIM!

Health&Sports
FITNESS CLUB

TEXT 'HOLIDAY' TO 2414 FOR MORE INFO



WINTER HOLIDAYS AT KIWI NORTH 10-25 JULY

*Stay warm and dry at Kiwi North
these school holidays*

KIWI FEEDING IN THE KIWI HOUSE

11am, 1pm and 3pm daily. Followed by a keeper talk.

KIDS FREE SUNDAY - 18th July

3 kids per adult ticket. Check our website for terms.

DRAWING OUR HERITAGE

Art exhibition ends 26th July

KIWI NORTH SCAVENGER HUNT

Scavengers of Kiwi North is a fun way to experience our three zones: Museum, Kiwi House and Heritage Park.

PARK RIDES 10am - 2pm

Big trains - \$2.50 - Wed, Thurs & Fri.

Mini trains - \$2.00 - Wed.

Tractors - \$2.50 - Wed.

Steam Train - \$2.50 - 18th July

ROCK AND GEMSTONE CLUB

Rock Craft activities - \$2.50

Wednesdays 10.30am - 12.30pm & 1pm - 2pm



OPEN 10AM-4PM 7 DAYS
500 SH14, MAUNU
WWW.KIWINORTH.CO.NZ

Holiday Programmes

JULY 12 - JULY 23

Make the most of your school holidays
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ROBOTICS USING MBOT

DEVELOP UNITY 3D GAMES

ROBLOX PROGRAMMING



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ROSKILL FUTSAL CLUB



New part-time programme for groups who want to experience authentic Brazilian futsal training once per week - perfect for futsal teams, club football teams, or just groups of friends!

Minimum group size is 8 players. All ages welcome. Flexibility offered with training day/time.

Don't have 8 players? Send us your details anyway - if we get enough individual expressions of interest in your son's/daughter's age group, we can form a mixed group!

Player/Parent Consultancy, Video Analysis, and even English tutoring (through the lens of football) also available.

☎ 021 238 7431

📱 [roskillfutsalclub](https://www.facebook.com/roskillfutsalclub)



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

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-known local and international artists. Our 8-week course is the perfect way to develop your child's artistic potential.



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**

Mt Eden Tennis Club JULY HOLIDAY PROGRAMMES

Our programme combines
technical coaching
with fun and games for
children 5 to 17 years old
in small groups of no
more than 6.
Beginners to advanced
players welcome

GREAT FUN - GREAT COACHES - GREAT CLUB

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



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 happy 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



Valley Road International Church
100 Valley Road, Wetherby, West Yorkshire LS23 7BQ
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www.valleyroad.org.uk

ARROWS HOLIDAY PROGRAMME



Arrows
directed for heaven

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, 100 Eden
Crescent, Wetherby, West Yorkshire LS23 7BQ

COST:
Morning-only programme - \$45 for the week
Full-day programme - \$90 for the week
Note: There are early bird prices available only until Monday, July 19th, and include GST.
For prices after July 19th and for individual morning/day prices, visit www.valleyroad.org.uk

THINGS TO BRING:
If attending for the full day, children must bring lunch and a drink. Morning and afternoon tea provided. Children with allergies should bring their own snacks.

THE TEAM



PROGRAMME INCLUDES:
* CRAFTS * MOVIES * GAMES
* ART * MUSIC
* TEAM POINTS COMPETITION * BIBLE VERSES

REGISTRATION FORM

CHILDREN'S NAME(S)

Name: _____ Age: _____
Name: _____ Age: _____
Name: _____ Age: _____
Parent's Name: _____
Emergency address: _____
Address: _____ Postcode: _____
Email: _____

Have 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.uk
2. Email 'Personal info' to valleyroad@valleyroad.org.uk 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.parnelllawnclub.co.nz/junior-programme/>

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

TEAM1 TENNIS

July School Holiday Programmes and
Term 3



ENROLMENTS FOR SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAMMES AND TERM 3 CLASSES

Secure your Spot in our popular July Junior Holiday Programme.

- Full day (8:30am-3:30pm) and Half day (8:30am-12:30pm) options available!
- JOIN US for our Term 3 Tennis Programmes starting on Monday 26th of July. Bookings for Term 3 2021 are open now, to secure your spot please BOOK as soon as possible!! Spaces are limited per class.

For further information, email Raewyn admin@team1.co.nz

Book online: <https://team1.co.nz/timetables/>

JULY

ART EXCEL SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM



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/ARTEExcelJuly21

Contact: Bindi 021 264 4175



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every day for
5-13 year olds

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programme



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