



Kelvin Road School Newsletter

"Be the best you can be...
Kia toa, Kia Manawanui

29th July 2022
Term 3 Week 1

Phone: 09 298 8417 (Absences press 1) 021 0868 7680 (Text absences) **Principal:** Heather Tanner **Email:** secretary@krs.ac.nz

**MARK YOUR
CALENDAR!**

Upcoming dates

Friday 30th Sept
End of Term 3

Monday 17th Oct
Start of Term 4

Wed 14th Dec
End of Term 4

BOT meetings 2022

16 August
20 September
18 October
15 November

Teacher Only Days 2022

Monday
14th Nov

**If you would like to
report an absence
please
call 092988417
(press 1 for
absences) Or text
021 0868 7680**



Welcome back to Term 3 e te whānau

A warm welcome to all of our tamariki new to Kelvin Road School. We hope that you have a wonderful time learning and making special friendships with us.

Welcome Jennifer Freeman our new PA. Jennifer has been in New Zealand for eight years and is enjoying exploring the beautiful country and its wonderful culture. She loves children and animals.

Kelvin Road School School Board Elections

Parent Election Notice

Nominations are open for the election of 5 parent representatives to the school board.

All eligible voters will receive a nomination form. Use this form to nominate yourself or someone in your community. You will also receive a nomination cover letter calling for nominations

**If you need more nomination forms,
contact the school office.**

Nominations close at **noon** on 3 August 2022. You may provide a signed candidate statement and photograph with your nomination.

The electoral roll is held at the school and can be viewed during normal school hours.

As nominations are received, there will be a list of candidates' names kept at the school up until election day, which you can view.

Voting closes at **4pm** on 7 September 2022.

Melanie O'Shannessey
Returning Officer

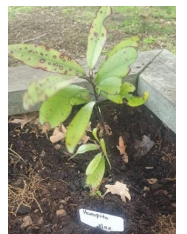
Room 23

The Gardening Club has made a start on our Rongoa Garden. We began with preparing the garden bed in Term 2 by weeding, digging and adding a whole lot of compost.

We also used what natural resources we had right next to the garden, which was all the leaves that had fallen off the oak tree, a perfect addition to mix in with the compost!

We then planted what medicinal plants Miss Hoverd already had, including; lavender, kawakawa, horopito, garlic and rosemary. We will be adding to the garden this term and learning as we go about looking after plants, and how we can use each medicinal plant that we grow.

It was awesome to see our rows of garlic that we planted last term have sprouted and we look forward to harvesting it later in the year.



Congratulations Matua Waata

Congratulations from all at Kelvin Road School to Waata Harrison on graduating from your tertiary studies at the University of Auckland Huarahi Māori.

SchoolDocs - Policies and Procedures

If you would like to view any of the school's policies or procedures you can view these at any time using the login below.

www.schooldocs.co.nz/home

Username: krs

Search school: Kelvin Road School

Password: manawanui

Attendance

Thank you to all the parents/caregivers who are contacting the school when your child is absent.

Remember you can **text 021 089 17417**, **phone (09)298 8417** or **use the Skool Loop App** to explain the reason as to why your child is absent. If you are unable to contact the school on the day, please write a note for your child to bring to the office on their return date.

Children should only be kept home from school if they are sick. Should your child present themselves as sick at school, you will be contacted to collect your child. **School starts at 8.30 am.**

Below are some solutions to common problems we come across.

Problems	Solutions
Uniform dirty/wet	Send your child to school in mufti and we can provide a uniform for the day which they return before they go home.
No lunch	Lunches are now provided for every child, every day. They also receive fruit everyday for morning tea.
No breakfast	We have a breakfast club that runs 5 days a week from 8:00 am - 8.30 am. Everyone is welcome to come along for some weetbix.
Raining	The school provided raincoats through KidsCan to help children on the way to school Another way to help is to put your child's uniform in a plastic bag in their school bag and when they get to school they can get dry and changed back into their uniform.
Head Lice and skin infections	If you have given consent our nurses onsite can see and treat your children for free if you have concerns with head lice or skin infections.

Cost of Living Payment

The Government has announced a Cost of Living Payment, which will be paid from 1 August 2022.

You do not need to apply for this payment. If you are eligible, we'll pay it into your bank account. Find out more <https://www.ird.govt.nz/cost-of-living-payment>

Principal's Awards - Term 2 Week 10



Junior School

Amy Room 8	For being a wonderful role model, displaying the KRS values, trying hard with all learning and being an all round great student.
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Middle School

Aaron Room 23	For showing honesty when handing in a \$5 note.
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Senior School

Esther Room 18	For being a role model in class and always showing KRS values at all times.
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Te Whatitoka Rimu o te Whānau Kahurangi

John Room 5	Mō tōna kaha ki te aro ki ngā kaupapa maha o te whānau i tēnei wiki.
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**The following children received certificates last week.
Well done to all of them!
8th July 2022**

Room 1	Ruchelle - For continuing to read confidently by sounding out her words. Ariita - For continuing to read confidently and practicing her reading everyday.	Room 13	Rythem - For showing resilience and never giving up! Ilai - For being of a curious nature and always wanting to learn more.
Room 2	Vasa - For great improvement in his letter sound knowledge. Alyrick - For consistently completing taskwork and asking for help when needed.	Room 14	Geeanah - For being honest. Saivaega - For contributing to class discussions.
Room 3	Sierra - Kua piki ake ōna pukenga meka matua. Charm - Mō tōna whai tika ana i ngā oati o Te Whatitoka i te wāhi whare pikitia Aroihi - Mō tōna kaha ki te awahi, whakapai me tunu kai i te wiki 10.	Room 15	Fakafo - For participating in class discussions. Braxton - For being a reliable and responsible fruit monitor.
Room 5	Leilani - I ōna whanaketanga i ōna reo Māori ki ro akomanga ruma rima. Jonah - E kaha ana a Jonah ki te whakautu tika i nga rapanga ma runga Matific. Tawhiri - E kaha ana a tawhiri ki te awahi i ōna hoa i te kura.	Room 16	Haylo - For demonstrating a curious mind with excellent questions at M.O.T.A.T. Quade - For his curious mind and enthusiastic attitude while at M.O.T.A.T.
Room 6	Hemi - For always trying his best and making steady progress in all areas. Katie - For making a positive and happy start to school.	Room 17	Akela - Demonstrating krs values when on our trip. Waipounamu - For demonstrating the values of kindness and respect, and being a positive role model to others.
Room 7	Steven - For doing his best to make positive choices for his learning. Ana - For looking out for others during our Botanic Gardens trip.	Room 18	Te Rina - For being an awesome role model during our trip to MOTAT. Adelini - For being an awesome role model during our trip to MOTAT.
Room 8	Jairah - For working well with Reading activities. Raukura - For working well with Reading activities.	Room 19	Tarnyll - For producing a wonderful piece of writing about communication. Khorus - For leading by example for all Room 19 students.
Room 9	Te Maria - For always willing to help others. Tre - For trying his best during writing task.	Room 21	Finau - For her quick thinking and helping out her classmates. Sonny - For showing great improvement in his Reading.
Room 10	Avery - For using her sounds in her written work! Royal - For trying super hard to sound out unknown words in writing.	Room 22	Tia - For making valuable contributions to class topic discussions. Tyson - For working hard on our Matariki topic.
Room 12	Raven - For creating a Matariki masterpiece on the digital site CANVA. Enaayat - For being a self-directed learner - persevering and solving new aspects of her digital learning.	Room 23	Liam - For writing an awesome poem about creatures. Aaron - For participating in the class with confidence.

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Room 1	Murphy - For being respectful and helpful. Vishaan - For always helping, polite and working well.	Room 13	Lexzyn - For coming back to school with a positive attitude and a great work ethic. Te Moerua - For always being helpful and kind to others at all times.
Room 2	Eseni - Showing enthusiasm for reading by practicing poems and big books. Meihana - Completing a challenging reading task by identifying the first letter sound of a word.	Room 14	Mata - For excellent attendance in Term 2. Savariouz - For trying to follow instructions and doing all his work with concentration.
Room 3	Tweeny - Mo tōna kaha ki te mahi toi. Kei runga noa ake ōu mahi Tweeny! Sarah-Louise - Mo tōna ngakaunui me te arotahi hoki ki tōna kaupapa whaikōrero. Ka wani kē!	Room 15	Azalea-Jade - For showing the KRS values this week. Symphony - For managing herself well in tricky situations.
Room 5	Frankie - Tōna mahi toi i te tā pikitia o tōna kanohi, he tino aataahua Frankie.	Room 16	Hunter - For working hard to complete all of his math tasks and explain his thinking. Tiare - For taking on harder and harder math tasks and sharing her working out.
Room 6	George - For encouraging and motivating other learners. Kuliana - For being a kind and caring friend.	Room 17	Felise - For excellent progress in find and understanding words in the dictionary. Skye - For writing a great retell using topic specific words and detail.
Room 7	Curtis - For always helping to set up the classroom in the morning by unstacking the chairs. Sepesi - For his increasing independence in Writing.	Room 18	Feniell - For consistently being on task and being kind. Veyron - For completing work quickly and working independently.
Room 8	Maanveer -For trying hard with all of his work.	Room 19	Cienna - For a fabulous start to term three. Tino pai ! Hammad - For utilising many Maths problem solving strategies.
Room 9	Kahurangi - For settling well in Room 9 and making friends. Hemi - For completing his holiday homework to a very high standard.	Room 21	Eric - For applying himself when it comes to working independently. Tatjana - For coming to school with a positive attitude and always happy to lend a helping hand.
Room 10	Wren - For settling really well into Room 10. Cortez - For settling into Room 10 and the routines quickly and easily.	Room 22	Jonathan - For having a positive attitude towards his learning. Demetri - For making great contributions to our class topic discussions.
Room 12	Zah Zah - For following the Success Criteria when writing a Moment in Time - 'At The Games.'	Room 23	Jazana - For moving up to Purple in Reading. Tyrone - For moving up to Purple in Reading.