



Kelvin Road School Newsletter

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Kia toa, Kia Manawanui

July 2024
Term 3 Week 1

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**MARK YOUR
CALENDAR!**

Upcoming Events

Powhiri

Fri 26 July 2024

Cross Country

Tues 13 Aug 2024

North Counties Cross Country

Tues 20 Aug 2024

North Counties Basketball

Wed 28 Aug 2024

North Counties Volleyball

Tues 17 Sep 2024

Art Exhibition

Wed 11 & Thur 12

Sep 2024

Term Dates

Start of Term 3

Mon 22 July 2024

End of Term 3

Fri 27 Sep 2024

Start of Term 4

Mon 14 Oct 2024

End of Term 4

Mon 16 Dec 2024

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



A warm welcome back to all of our tamariki and their whānau for Term 3.

We hope you all enjoyed your holiday and are so pleased that you are with us for another incredible term of learning at Kelvin Road School.

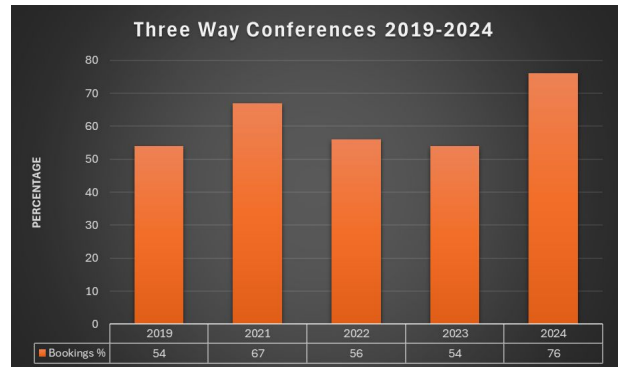
We also warmly welcome all new tamariki and their families, we look forward to supporting their learning journey.

We would like to give a warm welcome to our new staff, Whaea Ripeka in Room 17, Mrs Emily in Room 11, Whaea Kiki, Whaea Dominique our two new Teacher Aides and Olivia in Administration.

Three Way Conferences

At the end of Term 3, Kelvin Road School held its annual 'Three Way Conferences' (parent interviews). This year saw the best response and the greatest numbers attend compared with recent years. It was fantastic to see the pupils excitedly share their work and discuss their learning. If you missed on this opportunity, please feel free to contact your child's teacher for a follow up discussion. You can do this via the school office or you can contact the teacher directly.

All of the teachers' email addresses are on the Kelvin Road School website <https://www.krs.ac.nz/>



Principal's Awards - Term 2 Week 10



Junior School	
Room 11	Te Ahorangi-Olova - For an outstanding effort in the junior school poetry competition.
Middle School	
Room 21	Rosalee - For trying her best with everything she does. She is always kind and conscious of others feelings and goes out of her way to help others.
Senior School	
Room 16	Sarayah - For displaying the KRS values in Room 16.
Te Whatitoka Rimu o te Whānau Kahurangi	
Rūma 3	Naia - i tōna whakapau kaha ki te aro ki ngā mahi katoa, ahakoa te aha. He rangatira koe Naia!



Middle Syndicate

Term 3! The Middle syndicate is super excited for this term with training for Cross Country, the Art Exhibition and speeches all on the agenda. We have had a great start to the term with short breaks outside the classroom to improve our fitness. We have been looking at our goals that we set based on our Mid year report. It was awesome to have those conversations with so many whānau last term which has enabled us to reflect on our discussions to guide us into Term 3.

Lastly, we look forward to our time with Harold the giraffe in the Life Education truck. This term we are looking at how the decisions we make impact ourselves, the people around us, and the environment. We hope to see you on the 11th and 12th of September for our Art Exhibition in the hall with our amazing theme of Tangaroa!

Help us prevent the Spread of Headlice!



To Check: Using a fine tooth comb on wet hair, divide your child's hair in sections looking for any signs of lice or eggs. This can be repeated regularly or if your child has an itchy head.

To Treat: Treat the hair using a head lice treatment following the instructions on the bottle to remove lice and eggs present in the hair.

Tips:

- If your child has long hair please keep it tied up.
- Ask your child to keep their hair away from other students' hair.
- If your child has lice, check any siblings' hair to prevent reinfection.

Life Education

Kelvin Road School is lucky enough to have the Life Education mobile classroom onsite for weeks 1, 2 and 3 of this term. Each syndicate has a different focus:

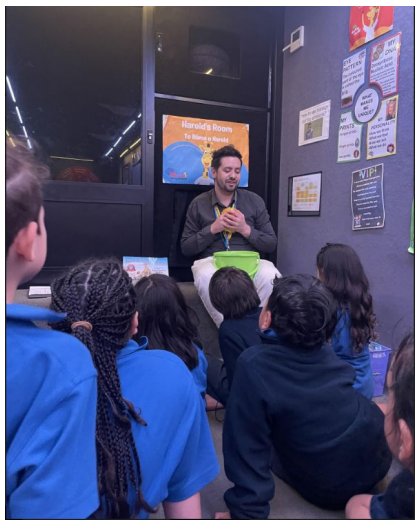
Junior School and Rūma - What is the importance of kindness and how can we manage our big emotions?

Middle School - Leadership and teamwork - what are the impacts of decisions we make?

Senior School - How do our bodies get energy from our food? Why is it important to eat food throughout the day? Where does our food come from?

Te Whatitoka year 4-6- How do we keep ourselves safe?

Te Whatitoka year 7 and 8 - How do we make good decisions?



Attendance

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

Remember you can **text 021 0868 7680, 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.**

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 though 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.



The following children received certificates in Week 10, Term 2 and Week 1, Term 3. Well done to all of them!

Room 1	<p>Cassidy - For concentrating during mat time. Jakoby - For making an effort in spelling sight words correctly. Wiremu - For remembering the initial sounds in words when reading. Jade - For reading fluently and confidently.</p>	Room 12	<p>Kelis - For showing confidence and doing her best in all that she does. Avaeah - For being a good friend to peers and helping others.</p>
Room 2	<p>Ezekiel - For managing himself in completing tasks on time and gluing his work into his books. Elyssa - For working well with her peers and in groups such as taking turns and sharing equipment. Damian - For sitting respectfully during mat-time and focussing on the lessons. Ava - For taking pride in the presentation of her task work by adding extra detail.</p>	Room 13	<p>Hayzel - For adding lots of fantastic ideas to her writing. Boss - For working hard to sound out new words in phonics. Kasanita - For working hard on her persuasive writing this week.</p>
Rūma 3	<p>Chleo - i tōna arotahi ki ōna mahi katoa. Tawhiri - i tōna kaha ki te tū ki te mihi ki ngā matua i te Marae o Papakura. John - i tōna maumaharatanga o ngā meka i ako i te taha a Haro rāua ko Matua Daniel. Te mutunga kē mai o te wanawana John! Tāwhiri - i tōna kaha whakawhitihiti whakaaro ki rō akoranga i te wāhi Kelly Tarlton.</p>	Room 14	<p>Harvir - For 100% attendance in Term 2 and 100% score in Math Basic Facts Test this week. Timo - For improving his behaviour and writing skills. Ana - For giving reasons in her persuasive writing. Erana - For adding two-digit numbers correctly.</p>
Rūma 4	<p>Ngaroimata - Mo tōna atawhai me te awhina i roto i te akomanga. Te Kihī o Aroha - tōna kaha ki te whakamahi i ngā rautaki whakautu rapanga pāngarau. Lily-Jean - Mo to noho marie i roto i te parakitihī mo te pohiri. Jonah - Mo tōna noho marie i roto i te parakitihī mo te pohiri me te karaehe ia rā.</p>	Room 15	<p>Ava Grace - For moving up a reading level. Samson - For moving up a reading level. Aries - For using place value tens and ones to add 3 digit numbers. Harai - For an interesting informative piece of writing about Takapu.</p>
Rūma 5	<p>Tu Ake - Tōna kaha ki te ako i ngā tau māwhiti 2. Breeze - Tōna kaha ki te whakawehe i ngā kupu kaore ia i mohio i te wā pānui. Evergreen - Tōna tino kaha ki te mahi i ngā pukenga kapa haka. TeRina - Tōna kaha ki te ako i ngā tau kei mua kei muri rānei tae atu ki te 20.</p>	Room 16	<p>Ace - For making great progress with her mathematics.</p>
Room 6	<p>Hendrix - For taking on a leadership role in the classroom. Godfrey - For a positive and settled start to school. Jarrel - For a great start to school! Chrome - For being a fantastic role model for the new children in Room 6.</p>	Room 17	<p>Patisepa - For always trying her hardest to complete tasks and never giving up. He Rangatiratanga. Peter - For sharing amazing ideas in group discussions. He whanaungatanga. Pauline - Always doing the right thing and offering help to others too. Mata - For always trying her hardest to complete tasks and never giving up. He Rangatiratanga.</p>
Room 7	<p>Puātea - For being a responsible book monitor. Tawnya - For being a responsible fruit monitor. Liliola - For completing learning tasks to the best of her ability. Jaxon - For taking better care in completing learning tasks. Ka pai.</p>	Room 18	<p>Pare - For role modelling all the KRS values every day and in every way. Nikita - For being a great peer mentor and sharing her new learning when solving maths problems within her group. Pekinisha - For using rhetorical questions to strengthen her persuasive arguments. Symphony - For being a great mentor and helping others with their digital learning.</p>
Room 8	<p>Blessing - For representing Room 8 in the Junior School Junior School Poetry Competition. Well Done! Leo - For representing Room 8 in the Junior School Junior School Poetry Competition. Ka Pai!</p>	Room 19	<p>Clezen - For an incredible effort in his writing about "Teacher for sale". Nevaeh - For consistently making positive choices in her learning. Tino pai! Jayson - For assisting peers with Maths problem solving. Aaliyah - For being kind and caring with all classmates in Room 19.</p>
Room 9	<p>Maata - For representing Room 9 in the Junior School Junior School Poetry Competition. Ka Rawa! Hiona - For representing Room 9 in the Junior School Junior School Poetry Competition. Ka Rawa! Maraeroa - For settling well in Room 9 and making friends. Hania - For making pleasing progress with phonics lessons, ka pai!</p>	Room 21	<p>Maira - For a great start to KRS. Anaya - For great persistence with blending sounds in unknown words. Malakai - For giving well thought out reasons to support his opinion. Tahuna - For coming to school every day this week keep it up.</p>
Room 10	<p>Ngakau - For representing Room 10 in the Poetry Competition. Anaya - For representing Room 10 in the Poetry Competition. Kaihautu - For trying super hard to manage himself on Thursday. Sarinity - For knowing almost all of her letters! Great job!</p>	Room 22	<p>Te Ahurei - For working hard to improve with his reading and writing and not giving up! Valena - For showing KRS Values by helping Whaea Sandy welcome students and whanau into the school every morning! Humaira - For trying hard to improve in all areas of her learning! Keep it up! Tasman - For not giving up when solving tricky maths problems.</p>
Room 11	<p>Sosiu - For consistently demonstrating appreciation for new experiences and kindness with his classmates. Renezmay - For her regular attendance which reflects her enjoyment and engagement to her learning. Titus - For his eagerness to participate and his confidence in sharing his thoughts during group discussions. Siu-Rose - For her dedication to completing her tasks with meticulous attention to detail and willingly revises her work as evidence of her thoroughness.</p>	Room 23	<p>Sunny - For making pleasing progress in reading. Kawoy - For making pleasing progress in reading. Morgan Farrell - For a great start with a positive attitude for Term 3. Kolina - For consistently displaying the KRS values.</p>