



ROSEBANK SCHOOL

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Newsletter 17 Term 4, Week 7 2022

Principal's Message

Kia ora Rosebank Community,

The entire community and school are looking forward to this Friday's Cultural Festival. There has been a huge amount of work that's gone into these performances and I hope you are able to make it along to support your child(ren) as they make their way on stage and proudly perform their cultural dances. It's also very important that we recognise and appreciate every different culture that performs and give each the credit and respect they all deserve - I cannot wait to watch these performances and look forward to seeing as many of you as possible here on Friday also!

As summer is almost here, it's an opportune time to remind everyone that all students must be wearing hats in Terms 1 and 4, for obvious reasons, these hats should be black and for those who come to school without a hat - they will need to remain in the shade, away from the very hot Auckland sun!

Finally, a reminder that school finishes on Thursday 15th December at 1pm - again, it's been a hugely successful year at Rosebank School and we look forward to seeing you again in 2023.

Very best wishes Paul Pirihi - Principal

Important Dates this term

- Friday 2nd December - Cultural Festival
1pm start
- Wednesday 7th December - Tupulaga mo a Taeao Year 6 Graduation 5pm - 7pm
- Thursday 8th December - Tupulaga mo a Taeao team day out (Jump)
- Monday 12th December - Year 6 Day Out (notice coming home Monday)
- Tuesday 13th December - 9.15am Whole School Prizegiving
- Tuesday 13th December - 6pm Te Whānau o Pātiki Graduation
- Wednesday 14th December - 2pm Year 6 Graduation (Invitation coming home Monday)
- Thursday 15th December - Last Day of School, early finish 1pm

Cultural Festival

The time has come, tomorrow we are so excited to be hosting our cultural festival. Our opening performance kicks off at 1pm. A reminder that we are asking for a gold coin donation upon entry and that there are multiple stalls offering a range of food and drinks which will be cash only. Entry will be through Gate C only - between Kotahitanga & Manawa. At 3pm the normal gates will open for entry/exit.

Cultural Festival Donations

A big thank you to Stefan Crooks, Owner and Managing Director of Westie Food Group for supplying us with some of his delicious food for one of the Cultural Festival raffle baskets. Also, thank you to Gordon Gibbons our school's Business Development Manager for sourcing a ham and a nutribullet for our other raffle baskets.



'Mana te tuatahi'

He mihi atu mātou ki a koutou, ngā hau e whā i tēnei wā. Tēnei te karanga atu ki a koutou kia uru mai ki te Whānau reo rua o Pātiki. Tēnā koutou katoa. This notice is to invite you to come and join Te Whānau o Pātiki, we are hoping to extend our roll. That means that we have the capacity for more students to join us! We know that children have the most chance of success when they know who they are and where they come from. So if you have ever thought that you would like your child to know who they are as Māori and have competency in Te reo Māori, this is an opportunity to start the journey! Please don't feel like you have to be able to speak Te Reo Māori to have your children in Te Whānau o Pātiki. Please send us an email to discuss next steps to see if you think a bi-lingual pathway is what you would like for your whānau.

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Nga mihi nui ki a koutou

Reports/Notices

On Wednesday 14th December, reports will be sent home. Along with your child's report will also be a notice about our Whānau Days for 2023, their teacher/class for 2023 and information regarding our first pōwhiri. Please keep an eye out for this.

End of Year Graduations & Prize Givings

It is almost that time for all our end of year celebrations. Next Wednesday 7th December from 5pm in the hall - **Tupulaga mo a Taeao** will be hosting their end of year **Celebration of Success & Year 6 farewell** - invitations have been sent out. In the last week of term - Monday 12th December our Year 6's will enjoy their day out - notices for this are coming home on Monday. On Tuesday 13th December we will be hosting our **Whole School prize giving** in the hall from 9am, that evening **Te Whānau o Pātiki** will be hosting their **Pō Whakanui 2022** from 6pm in the hall in honour of Tau 6, invitations have been sent. On Wednesday 14th December, we will be hosting our **Year 6 Graduation** in the hall from 2pm - invitations will be sent home on Monday. A very busy but exciting time of the year!

Anwar Nadat

As you may know Mr Anwar Nadat will be leaving us at the end of this year. We will be celebrating Anwar's time at Rosebank with a farewell assembly on Wednesday 14th December starting at 9am. We would love to see you there!

Free Lunches

As you know we run a free lunch programme in our school. We will be continuing this in 2023. Eat My Lunch is our supplier. They need to know before the year begins in 2023 if there are any special dietary needs that they have not yet been made aware of. Please contact Jasmin our Associate Principal for a form if you have not yet done so. jasmin@rosebank.school.nz



ROSEBANK SCHOOL PRESENTS

Cultural Fest **2022**

**In Celebration of the World's Diverse
and Unique Cultures**

1pm - 4pm
Friday 2nd December, 2022
Rosebank School
Entry: Gold coin koha per family

FOR PARENTS OF CHILDREN AGES 3-10 YEARS

The Incredible Years for Parents Programme is a **FREE** 14 session programme which provides parents with skills to develop a positive home environment and family relationships. It promotes children's social and emotional competence and communication skills.

The Incredible Years for Parents Programme empowers parents with practical step by step suggestions on how to handle the everyday situations that parents face.

Why Parent Training?

- *It is the most important job adults do*
- *It is effective for managing challenging behaviour*
- *Improves family functioning*
- *Helps parents learn new skills*
- *Encourages and supports parents*
- *Confident parents make a difference*



Incredible Years Parenting Programme details:

Where: Fruitvale School, 40 Fruitvale Road, New Lynn 0600, Auckland

When: Tuesday mornings 9am - 11.15am (for 14 consecutive weeks)

Dates:

21/02/23	28/02/23	07/03/23	14/03/23	21/03/23	28/03/23
02/05/23	09/05/23	16/05/23	23/05/23	30/05/23	06/06/23
13/06/23	20/06/23				

Assistance: Babysitter fees and transportation costs are available

Parents Comments:

- *This is the best thing since sliced bread*
- *I have played with my son for the first time*
- *We have learnt to stand together and not be divided*
- *Coming here is the highlight of my week*
- *Our home is much more harmonious*
- *I feel more confident as a parent*

For more information or if you would like to reserve your placement on The Incredible Years for Parents programme 2023, email or text -

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