

- Welcome, Haere mai-Afio mai- Welkom-Namaste-Bienvenue-Willkommen--Maeva-Yōkoso -Fùnyìhng -Aloha-Fáilte-



Kia ora koutou,

#### Teacher only Day – SCHOOL CLOSED TOMORROW

A reminder, we are closed for the day tomorrow **Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November** as part of the Curriculum Refresh work for teachers.

#### Cultural Festival 2023

We were very excited being a part of the 2023 Schools Cultural Festival last week at Harcourt Park. A huge thank you to Whaea Taylah, Whaea Stacey and Matua Pete for all their outstanding work in getting the performance Kapa Haka group ready for being part of the festival day. A huge thank you to Oxford Crescent School for organising the event this year.

We have been given access to some lovely photos from the day and Sarah Meatyard will email the link to the photo folder to the parents of children in the Kapa Haka group this year. If you don't get your link by Monday then let Sarah know, sarah.meatyard@silverstream.school.nz









#### Parking around the school

I do acknowledge parking around the school can be very challenging at times. We have a couple of problem areas at the moment which we would appreciate your help with.

#### Gard Street bus stop

Please don't obstruct or park in the bus stop on Gard Street, it is likely you will be ticketed if you are parked or stopped in the bus space, even if only for a few seconds.

#### **Disability Parking on Whitemans Road**

This can be confusing.

- There is a disability park next to the crossing on Whitemans Road which can be used at any time for those with disability stickers.
- There are two disability parks onsite at school although these cannot be accessed between 8.20 am – 9.00 am and 2.45 pm- 3.15 pm as we only have one access road for both children and cars into the site. At all other times it can be used for people with disability stickers visiting the school.
- There is a double disability space next to the bus stop on Whitemans Road. This is for rear loading vehicles only. Even if you have a disability sticker and park in that space you could be ticketed unless your vehicle is specifically a rear loading disability vehicle/bus. The purpose of the space is predominantly to ensure that one of our students, who is in a motorised wheelchair, can be rear loaded into her transport bus. It requires BOTH the spaces for her to be safely transported. If someone parks in one of the spaces, she has to wait until your car has moved to be able to get into her vehicle. On occasions she has had to wait up to 15 minutes.

#### End of year dates

School finishes this year at 3.00 pm on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December. We restart for the 2024 year on Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> January 2024 at 9.00 am.

#### 2024 dates

<b>Term 1</b> (96 half days)	Tues 30th Jan	Fri 12 April	Waitangi Day: Tues 6 Feb TOD's: Thursday 8th Feb and Friday 9th Feb <u>Easter</u> : Good Friday 29 March Easter Monday 1st April Easter Tuesday 2nd April
Term 2 (96 half days)	Mon 29th April	Fri 5th July	King's Birthday Mon 3 June Matariki Fri 28 June
Term 3 (100 half days)	Mon 22 July	Fri 27 Sept	No closed days
<b>Term 4</b> (94 half days)	Mon 14 Oct	Wed 18 Dec	Cluster TOD: Fri 25 October Labour Day: Mon 28 October

#### **Congratulations**

Congratulations to **Jonah** from Room 9 who ran the 2km race at the Kapiti Half Marathon event over the weekend. He did incredibly well and we are all very proud of his achievement. Well done **Jonah**!





Congratulations to **Grayson** from Room 16 and **Gemma** from Room 21 who received 1st year service ribbons for the Major and Minors choir. The choir prize giving was held after a concert at The Bupa Fergusson Care home for the end of the year.

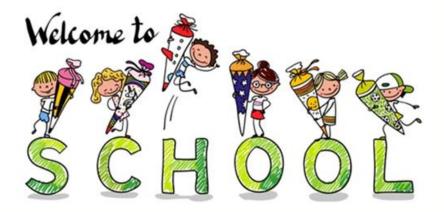
Their fabulous Choir Coaches Joanne Roelof and Karen Boyce are also pictured with them. Well done **Gemma** and **Grayson**!

If your child has been involved in anything outside of school you are super proud of, a sports achievement or event, a hobby they have mastered, a dance, drama, speech, church group, community event please do let me know so that we can celebrate in the newsletter each week. Send a photo along too if you have one to <u>lorraine.taylor@silverstream.school.nz</u>

As always, have a great week,

Ngā mihi Lorraine Taylor Principal

### WELCOME TO SILVERSTREAM SCHOOL



to our newest Students:

Room 22 – Jack Dickinson, Lachie Easther, Junior Mabika Douciemot, Sasen Panagoda

It is great to have you all at Silverstream School!

### Room 11 Garden

Kia Ora everyone

We have been working hard this term to grow some vegetables and flowers.

We like to tend to our garden box, but it makes us sad when other tamariki pull things out.

Please don't hurt our garden.

Thank you! Rūma 11



### Chug-a-Lugs



**For those who have signed up,** a friendly reminder that Chug-a-Lugs is on every Tuesday morning. Please meet in Room 5 by 07:20 am.

If the weather is bad, we will make a call by 07.00 am and let you know if we are going to cancel. We will only do this if the weather is really bad.

If you have any questions, please contact us.

Liesl van der Merwe (Room 6) liesl.vandermerwe@silverstream.school.nz

Laura Taylor (Room 5) laura.taylor@silverstream.school.nz



Silverstream School will again be supporting the Wellington City Mission with their annual Pack the Bus appeal. This has always been a very successful fundraiser thanks to the generosity of our community. If you would like to support the appeal, please place your donated item (unwrapped) beneath the Christmas tree in the office foyer from **Monday 27th November**.

The Wellington City Mission asks for the following items for Pack the Bus:

#### **Christmas Items:**

Muesli Bars Tinned Fruit Jellies Tinned meat and fish Meals in a can Breakfast Cereals Spreads: Jams, Peanut Butter, Vegemite Fancy Biscuits and Confectionery

#### New Toys and Gifts (new toys only please - and unwrapped):

Retail Vouchers Event vouchers - Movies, Zoo or Pool Lego and Meccano Art Equipment Educational Books Beach, Picnic or Water toys Puzzles Outdoor Sports Gear Board Games

Other: Toiletries for the Whole Family

The Crew from The Breeze Radio Station will be bringing the bus on **Friday 1st December**. We will be accepting your donations right up until they come at **12.30pm**.

### **Futsal (Indoor Football) Registrations**

Futsal (Indoor football) registrations open soon for games **starting in February**. **Games are held on a Sunday** at the Walter Nash Centre.

We're keen to get a team together for current Year 3's heading into Year 4. We still need 1-2 more players, ideally Year 4's next year, but can open it up to Year 3 or Year 5 children too.

If your child is interested, please get in touch with Sarah Yiannoutsos on 027 380 8012 or email <u>Sarahyiannoutsos@hotmail.com</u>

Thanks!

Could we please mention we need 1-2 more players ideally yr 4 next year but can open it to yr 3 or 5.



### Friends of Silverstream School Fundraising Team



\*\*Whitemans Students\*\* Please drop off your baking to the school hall by 9.15AM on Monday 4 December

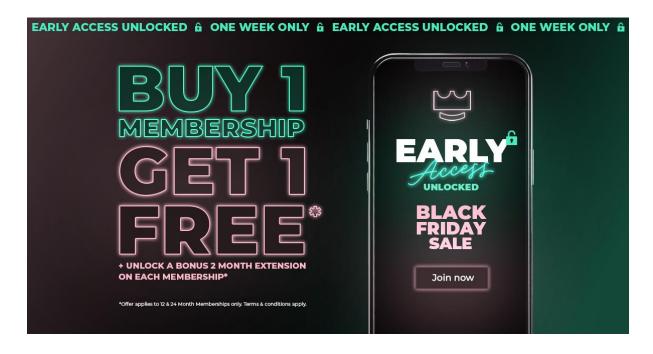
# Items will be available for purchase from **2:50PM TO 3:20PM**

Don't forget to bring cash & stock up on some treats

FRIENDS OF SILVERSTREAM SCHOOL FUNDRAISER

# We're fundraising with Entertainment





 T&C's: When you purchase any 12 or 24-month Membership to The Entertainment App between 6 pm, Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> November AEDT and 11:59 am, Monday
20<sup>th</sup> November during our Early Access Black Friday Sale you will receive a bonus 2 months for free as well as a complimentary Entertainment Membership equal to your purchase.

### **CLICK HERE TO PURCHASE!!!**



### **After School Programmes Coordinator**

If you enjoy looking after children, bring your own children for free!

Be part of an amazing team, this is the job for you!

Apply here.....

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## **Intensive Holiday Programme**

## 18th - 21st December

between 2.30 and 5.30pm

## Swim Every day for 4 days

45min. classes for School Age \$110

30min. classes for Pre-School \$76

Amazing Results in just 4 days!!



### **BOOK ONLINE**

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## 23rd - 26th January

between 3 and 5.30pm

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### Weetbix TRYathlon - Wellington 2024

Entries are now OPEN for the Wellington 2024 Weetbix Try!

Unfortunately, there is not going to be a Hutt City event in 2024, so our nearest one will be the Wellington City event held at Kilbirnie Park on Sunday March 19.

We have registered Silverstream School as a school group, which means we will be eligible for prizes, along with other benefits such as delivery of the TRYathlon kits to school (saves you a few dollars!).



It's a really fun morning and being on the weekend, families are more able to come along and support their children and the school group as a whole. There are food & coffee trucks, sponsor giveaways and spot prizes to be won!

If your child is keen, I would encourage you to register them sooner rather than later, as the event will sell out before the end of the year most likely. Make sure you link your child to Silverstream School, so you are attached to our school group.

For more information, and to register, <u>follow this link</u>. Or you can follow them on <u>Facebook</u>.

Alternatively, if your questions can't be answered from their FAQ's, feel free to contact Erin Edmonds our school coordinator via email, <u>erin.edmonds@silverstream.school.nz</u>



#### SCHOOL will be CLOSED on the following day:

TOMORROW Teacher Only Day – Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November

FoSS Meeting – Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> November @ 6.30pm

Board Meeting – Monday 27<sup>th</sup> November @ 6.30pm

Whitemans Bake Sale - Monday 4th December

Last Day of Term 4 2023 - Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December – School Closes at 3.00 p.m.

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First Day of Term 1 2024 – Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> January

SCHOOL will be CLOSED on the following days:

Waitangi Day – Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> February Teacher Only Days – Thursday 8th & Friday 9th February Good Friday – Friday 29<sup>th</sup> March Easter Monday – Monday 1<sup>st</sup> April Easter Tuesday – Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> April

Last Day of Term 1 – Friday 12<sup>th</sup> April – School Closes at 3.00 p.m.

For ALL calendar events and any school information please access our school website. https://www.silverstream.school.nz/calendar.html

#### Follow us on ....

Website: www.silverstream.school.nz Facebook: Click Here

#### **COMMUNITY NOTICES**





## JOIN OUR SUMMER LEAGUE November-March









### NETBALL

ADULT MIXED GRADE Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday evenings LADIES GRADE Tuesday evenings

\$72 per team per game

## NETBALL CRICKET

COLLEGE (Term 1) Friday evenings \$54 per team per game INTERMEDIATE (Term 1) Friday afternoons

\$48 per team per game PRIMARY (Term 1) Friday afternoons \$42 per team per game No games in holidays ADULT MIXED GRADE Thursday evenings \$96 per team per game

ALL SPORTS ALL GRADES NO REGISTRATION FEES!!

New teams and individuals can register by clicking, <u>Register Log In</u> Existing teams will be registered by our management staff.

ph. 04 5266 606 027 5266 606

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The school holidays are nearly upon us - do the kids fancy themselves as the next Tom Abercrombie? Take them along to a BNZ Breakers game and show them the best of New Zealand basketball.

There are 8 home games remaining in Auckland this season and every game will have epic basketball, giveaways, and entertainment for the whole family. Mark your calendar and get behind the BNZ Breakers. Tickets on sale now at <u>www.ticketmaster.co.nz</u>









04 568 2237

info@gtma.co.nz

- www.goodtimemusicacademy.co.nz
- 50 Victoria Street, Alicetown, Lower Hutt

Get ready to ignite your child's musical passion! Goodtime Music Academy teaches at Silverstream School and is offering award-winning in-school music lessons. Say goodbye to post-school commutes! Dive into the world of music in a vibrant group setting with the following instrument lesson: Drums, Guitar, Keyboard, Ukulele, or our 'Intro to Music' course. But the excitement doesn't stop there! Your child will have the chance to shine in our thrilling concerts.

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## Supercharge Your Child's Capabilities with MathsBuddy

To speak to someone about MathsBuddy, call us at 0800 299 182

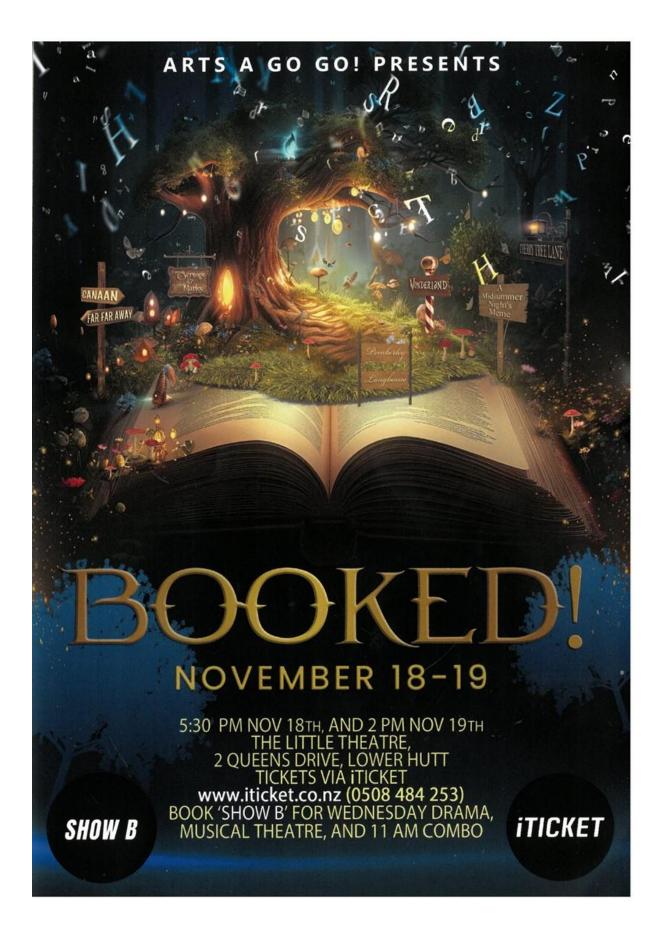
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**Nature School** 

# Wild Child

## **Day Camps**

Saturday 28th October Saturday 18th November Saturday 9th December 10:00 am -1:00 pm At Pinehaven Reserve, Silverstream

\$35 per child, per Day Camp

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Bush-crafts, campfire cooking, nature arts and crafts plus more

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### Summerset at the Course 20 Racecourse Rd, Trentham

### SATURDAY 25 NOVEMBER 2023 9AM – 1PM

Our popular annual Market Day with a Christmas theme, catering for all ages.

All your Christmas shopping under one roof as well as our usual Market Day stalls

Gifts for the young ones to give to their parents or teachers!

All proceeds will go to Wellington Free Ambulance and Te Omanga Hospice

# Silverpine Cubs and Scouts



Cubs – For 8-10 year olds (Wednesday nights) Scouts – For 11-16 year olds (Monday nights)



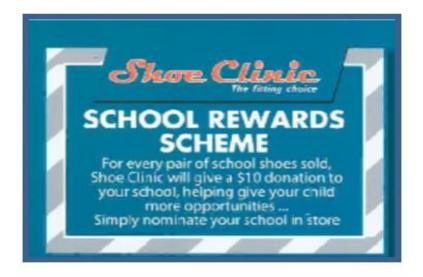
We meet at the Silverpine Scout Hall in Pinehaven

Cubs and Scouts are open to boys and girls who wish to get involved in the outdoors.

Membership enquiries – silverpine@group.scouts.nz



Below are some local businesses who support and give donations to Silverstream School when parents/caregivers, friends and family, use their Business and mention SILVERSTREAM SCHOOL.





Lani's window cleaning services. We are a local, small family business. We do commercial and domestic cleaning, specialising in window cleaning and exterior house cleaning including waterblasting. Typically, a standard 3 bedroom house will cost approximately \$150 to clean the inside and outside windows. For a free quote or to request a job, please contact Lani on 027 360 4263.

We will also pay \$10 per job that is completed to the school which have been referred through the school newsletter so please let us know that this is how you found our business!

## SUPPORT OUR SCHOOL BY SHOPPING AT ABLAZE!!

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