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Principal's Message

Kia ora koutou

Tomorrow is the last day of Term 3 and we can see light on the horizon. The days are feeling brighter and warmer. Tomorrow we have our second whole school assembly and it feels like we are back to reconnecting and having more community based events. We are very much looking forward to Term 4.

School finishes at the usual times of 2.50 pm and 3.00 pm tomorrow. School restarts 9.00 am Monday 17^{th} October.

A reminder that there is a cluster wide (all Upper Hutt Schools) teacher only day on Friday 21st October (Labour Day weekend).

School Assemblies and Principal's Awards this week!

We are very pleased to have whole school assemblies back on our weekly schedule. Every week from 2.10 pm -2.50 pm on a Friday we now have Principal's Awards, school singing, house points, etc. Today's newsletter has our second list of children who will be receiving the Principal's Awards tomorrow (Friday 30th September). You are very welcome to come along to assemblies each Friday, especially if your child is receiving an award.

House Day - Postponed to Week 1 Term 4

Due to the weather and the number of children (and staff) with coughs and colds we have postponed the House Day to Thursday 20th October (Week 1 Term 4). Many thanks.

School finish times Term 4 and looking forward to next year

We will complete this year with the stagger finish times as many people have expressed that they have already made end of the day pick up arrangements based on the staggered finishes.

Gard house finish at 2.50 pm and leave through the Gard gate Whitemans house finish at 2.50 pm and leave through Whitemans gate

Gloucester house finish at 3.00 pm and leave through the Gard gate Chatsworth house finish at 3.00 pm and leave through Whitemans gate

From the beginning of Term 1 2023 we will be moving back to a 3.00 pm finish for everyone (back to pre-Covid times) for the whole year. Many thanks.

Wellington Water - work on Whitemans Road and Gard Street

Over the term break you will begin to see work to replace some of the infrastructure under the road on Whitemans Road and Gard Street. A temporary path is being installed through the front of the school near the Silverstream sign on the corner. This is to allow work on the infrastructure to continue around the pavement area in October and still allow pedestrians to get along Whitemans Road and Gard Street.

School Interviews – PEP's (Personalised Education Plans)

We have our final Personalised Education Plan (PEP) meetings on Tuesday 25th and Wednesday 26th October (Week 2 Term 4). Information on making an online booking to meet your child's teacher will come out on the first day of next term. End of year academic reports will come to you in the last week of Term 4 (Week 9)

Celebrations!

Congratulations to the Silverstream Tiniball team who finished in second place this term. Well done boys!!!



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 lorraine.taylor@silverstream.school.nz

As always have a great week! Ngā mihi nui,

Best wishes, Lorraine Taylor Principal



HOUSE DAY, Term 4, Thursday 20th October!

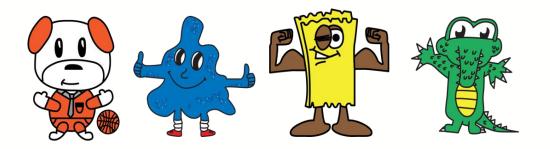
On Thursday 20th October we will be holding our annual school wide House Day. We are looking forward to getting together as house groups and having FUN! This day is normally held in Term 1, but due to Covid, we've had to put it off until now. It will be a great way to start the term.

The children will be involved in both non-competitive and competitive activities with their house group, for the majority of the day.

It would be fabulous if everyone could remember to wear their house colour. There is no expectation to have a house t-shirt. Even an accessory made from coloured paper or cardboard is fine. For others who wish to wear their crazy outfits, go for it!

Whanau are more than welcome to join us anytime throughout the day. House points will be awarded to supporters who are spotted wearing their house colour.

We can't wait to see all our happy children in their house colours!



Go Gard!! Go Chatsworth, Go Whitemans, Go Gloucester!

Principal's Awards 2022 – Week 10

Room 1	Lachlan Sayer	Wow! For having a super attitude to learning and putting in some serious effort with your mahi = super progress!
Room 2	Mabel Betteridge	For the effort and thought that you put into all aspects of learning. Ka pai tō mahi!
Room 5	Boston Aupapa	For always arriving at school with a smile and working hard with such a positive attitude with all your school work.
Room 6	Bella Shen	For having an awesome first term at Silverstream School, and coming to school every day with a brilliant attitude.
Room 7	Prahalath Varadharaj	For being kind, trustworthy and hard working every day. You are always counted on to complete your work and always try hard even if things are tricky.
Room 8	Colt Stewart	For your wonderful imagination, amazing ideas and incredible dinosaur knowledge and drawing! Ka Pai!
Room 9	Aroha Garud	For being responsible with your behaviour towards others, following instructions and completing tasks independently. Nga Mihi
Room 10	Paige Tolhopf	For always being a happy learner by following instructions and working hard with your speech.
Room 11	Lucah Clark	For taking responsibility for your own learning, being a kind and caring friend, and always wanting to be brave when trying new things.
Room 12	Autumn O'Hagan	For being studious and displaying a diligent pursuit for learning. You always get on with tasks quickly and work extremely hard to complete things to a high standard.
Room 13	Lincoln Dodd	For the effort you display with new and sometimes challenging learning to produce some amazing results. Keep having confidence in your ability, ka mau te wehi!
Room 14	Jonah Jennings	You always display an enthusiasm for learning and you are a great leader and a positive role model. You are always very thoughtful and always have a sense of humour we all enjoy.
Room 15	Brooke Rowan	Tino pai, Brooke! You have shown a fantastic ability to be kind and work with a wide range of students across many subjects. Ko mahi rawe koe.
Room 17	Travis Schiphorst	For being a kind and responsible student who shows creativity in his thinking.
Room 18	Lochy Weatherston	For being a responsible student and a good leader during music.
Room 19	Kasey Hotop	For having an outstanding positive attitude and being kind to everyone inside and outside the classroom.
Room 20	Paris Yiannoutsos	For always putting in a lot of effort, you have a positive attitude, and you work to a high standard.
Room 21	Kaylee Schiphorst	For going the extra mile to help others and having an amazing attitude towards learning.

Performance Kapa Haka Group

Our Silverstream School Performance Kapa Haka group has been busy practising for upcoming events in Term 4. We have the Upper Hutt Cultural Festival on Friday 4th November (postponement date Monday 7th November). Due to size restrictions only 50 of our group are able to perform.

Later in Term 4, our whole school community will see the wider group of 70 students perform at our upcoming end of year Silverstream School family picnic event. We will have more information about this coming out at the beginning of next term.

Silverstream School are the host organisers for the 2022 event on Friday 4th November. If you are able to help on the day please contact Corey White <u>corey.white@silverstream.school.nz</u>

We would like to say a huge thank you to Taylah Stokes, Peter Ireland and Whaea Stacey for the huge amount of help they are giving our Performance Kapa Haka children in their own time.





Chinese Language Week

Hot on the heels of Te Wiki o Te Reo Māori, this week we have celebrated Chinese Language week in the Learning Hub. We have been practicing saying:

Hello 你好 nǐ hǎo and Thank you 谢谢 **xiè.xiè**



Xile Education is reading Mandarin illustrated story books to children just before bedtime. You can join them here for a fun and relaxing time! <u>Bedtime stories for children</u>

Mental Health Awareness Week

This week is also Mental Health Awareness Week and so we have a display from our awesome 'All About Me' collection which includes many books that support mental wellbeing for children.



Overdue Slips and Emails

Overdue reminder slips were sent out this week. If your child has overdues, please ensure they return their books to the Learning Hub this week. Books can be dropped off to the Hub at any time during the school day.

Automated overdue emails will continue to be sent out over the holidays. Any overdue books need to be returned at the start of Term 4 please.

If you are unable to locate overdue books, please email me directly <u>olwyn.bolitho@silverstream.school.nz</u> so that I can mark the book/s as lost. Invoices for missing books are not sent out until the end of the year as most books are found at home, in the classroom or somewhere else in the school.

Holiday Reading

With the unpredictable spring weather we have been having it's hard to know whether we'll be exploring the outdoors or keeping warm indoors these holidays. Probably best to prepare for both! I have been encouraging children to take out books for the holidays and our reading display includes plenty of gardening books (especially popular with the New World Little Garden promotion that is on at the moment) and books with cool activity ideas like cooking, yoga, crafts, juggling, magic tricks and skateboarding. Holidays are also the ideal time to bury yourself in a great novel or a new series.



If you are staying home these holidays I would also encourage you all to take advantage of the <u>Upper Hutt Library Holiday Programme</u> which has a variety of holiday activities. Check out the link and book in.

Room 21 Dioramas

Room 21 have been sharing their wonderful learning about landmarks in Asia. We have enjoyed a wonderful display of their dioramas. Thank you and tino pai Room 21.

Have a great holiday, safe travels if you are heading away and happy holiday reading.

Olwyn Bolitho



Friends of Silverstream School Fundraising Team

FUNDRAISING BAKE SALE

A big thank you to all those who helped make the bake sale such a success!

It was lovely to see so many happy, smiling faces out in the sunshine.

We should have a final figure on how much we raised tomorrow so keep an eye out on the Friends of Silverstream School Facebook page.

In the meantime, watch this space for some more fun events coming up in Term 4!

Thanks FoSS Team



Weetbix TRYathIon - Wellington 2023



Entries for the Weetbix TRYathlon open TODAY - September 8th!

Unfortunately, there is not going to be a Hutt City event in 2023 (yes due to covid, but they will likely be back to a full schedule in 2024), so our nearest one will be the Wellington City event held at Kilbirnie Park on Sunday March 19, 2023.

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 co-ordinator via email <u>erin.edmonds@silverstream.school.nz</u>



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Entertainment Memberships can be purchased and gifted to family and friends **at any time.** The Membership won't become active until they activate the membership on a device. This means no time lost on savings from purchase to activation.

Act now to make the most of the added Bonuses.

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Intensive Holiday Programme

10 - 13 October

between 2 and 5.30pm

Swim Every day for 4 days

45min. classes for School Age \$99

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Amazing Results in just 4 days!!

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Upcoming Events - Save the Date



Upcoming Dates

Last Day of Term 3 – Friday 30th September

First Day of Term 4 – Monday 17th October

House Day – Thursday 20th October

Parent teacher interviews - Tuesday 25th & Wednesday 26th October (booking details will be sent out in Week 1 of Term 4)

FoSS Meeting – Thursday 3rd November 7.30pm Board Meeting - Wednesday 9th November 6.30pm

SCHOOL CLOSED: Teacher Only Day – Friday 21st October Labour Day – Monday 24th October

Last day of Term 4 – Thursday 15th December (2.50/3.00pm finish)

For **ALL** calendar events and any school information please access our school website. We will post updates/cancellations of upcoming trips/events on Facebook to keep parents/caregivers informed.

https://www.silverstream.school.nz/calendar.html

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COMMUNITY NOTICES



THE LEARNING CONNEXION

School of Creativity and Art

Book now for our Term 4 After School Programme! Join us in Term 4 for another exciting timetable of fun, interactive classes. View our full line up of classes <u>HERE</u>

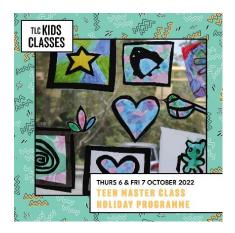




And some more creative holiday fun! We have just a few spots left in our always popular Kids' Art Holiday programme next month. Book today to secure your child's place <u>BOOK HERE</u>

Teen Master Class Holiday Programme

Our very popular <u>Teen Holiday Programme</u> is back for another term! We have two exciting full day classes tailored for students who would like to hone their creative skills and learn more advanced techniques in art making. <u>MORE DETAILS</u>





Whitby Collegiate will be hosting a 3 day introduction to 3D printing and CAD software holiday programme in October. Our IT experts will teach students how to design a 3D model using the modelling computer programme SketchUp. Students will keep their printed 3D designs. No previous experience is necessary. Students must bring their own chromebooks/laptops. Limited spaces available.

CLICK HERE to register



GIRLS ONLY FOOTBALL HAVE A GO DAY



ALL WELCOME AGE 5-13 YRS WEDNESDAY 5TH OCTOBER 10:30AM - 2:30PM

FRASER PARK ARTIFICIAL TURF

FREE TO ATTEND

Proudly hosted by Eastbourne FC & Lower Hutt City AFC

FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO REGISTER, PLEASE SCAN THE QR CODE

REGISTRATIONS CLOSE MONDAY 3RD OCTOBER





What's on at Ngā Manu Nature Reserve during the October School Holidays



'Once in a Full Moon' Puppet Show

11.30am, Monday October 10th at Ngā Manu Nature Reserve

Join Anna Bailey from String Bean puppets at Ngā Manu for 'Once in a Full Moon', a story set one evening deep in the New Zealand bush. A lonely kiwi looks up at the sky and mistakes the full moon for a giant egg. Can kiwis fly? Can moons fall from the sky? Can wishes come true?

Entry to the puppet show is by KOHA

Standard Admission prices apply for entry to the Reserve. Pack a picnic and enjoy the day!

DAILY ACTIVITES DURING THE SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

- Tuna / Eel feeding at 11am and 2pm daily only \$2.50 to feed a Tuna / Eel
 Daily Ranger talks on native birds, reptiles and eels all free with admission
 October School Holiday Scavenger Hunt go into the draw to win one of four family memberships (two drawn each week).
 Ranger Experience find out what it's like to be a Ranger for the morning, ages 7+ (bookings required)
 Native Bird Close Encounter meet our Kaka, Kakariki, Whio and Kea, ages 7+ (bookings required)
 Kiwi Night Encounter discover the secret lives of kiwi at dusk, ages 7+ (bookings required)

Visit www.ngamanu.org.nz for more info and to book.

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CURIOUS CONTRAPTIONS 13 AUGUST - 27 NOVEMBER · ENTRY BY DONATION

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KIWI MOON SATURDAY 15 OCTOBER · 10AM · \$10 · BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL

Capital E's National Theatre for Children presents Kiwi Moon, a charming tale of self-discovery based on Gavin Bishop's iconic New Zealand story. This bi-lingual production of beautiful puppetry and catchy songs will enthral tamariki! Adapted by Rachel Callinan and featuring stunning lighting and set design, this is a must-see production.

Presented by Whirinaki Whare Taonga in association with Capital E

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October Holiday Computer Classes.

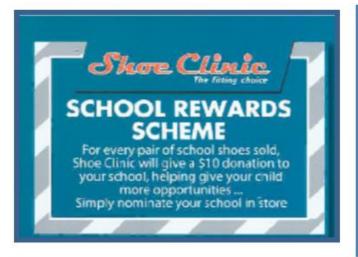
Grand Training runs educational and fun computer classes over the holidays at our Wellington City location on Lambton Quay for ages 5 to 15.

- Roblox
- Minecraft from Introduction to Mods and Servers
- Learn to Code; Scratch, Python, Java.
- Code and Create 3D Games
- Web Design, HTML and CSS
- Build a PC
- Film and Video Editing
- Discovery Course in Computing suitable for younger children

Information & bookings: grandtraining.co.nz or call 499-2211



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THANK YOU FOR ALL WHO SUPPORTED OUR SCHOOL!

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Matt offers a comprehensive mortgage broking service including advice on health, life and disability insurance.

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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!