

Edmonton Newsletter

Wednesday 22nd May - Week 4 - Term 2

2024

TERM DATES 2024

TERM 2	29th April—5th July
24 May	Whole School Assembly (Room 7 & 10 hosts)
24 My	Superhero Mufti and Wheels Day
29 May	BOT Meeting
31 May	Teacher Only Day—NO SCHOOL
3 June	Kings Birthday-NO SCHOOL
7 June	Whole School Assembly (Room 5 & 2hosts)
21 June	Whole School Assembly (Room 8 & 9 hosts)
25 June	Hellers Sausage Sizzle for Schools \$2ea
28 June	Matariki -NO -SCHOOL
5 July	Whole School Assembly (Room 11 & 3 hosts)
5 July	Mufti Day
5 July	Last Day Term 2
TERM 3	22nd July— 27th Sept
22 July	First Day Term 3
13 August	School Photos
27 August	Water Skills for Life
3 September	Water Skills for Life
10 September	Water Skills for Life
17 September	Water Skills for Life
24 September	Water Skills for Life
27 September	Last Day Term 3
TERM 4	14 October—13th December
14 October	First Day Term 4
25 October	Teacher Only Day
28 October	Labour Day—NO SCHOOL
11 December	Big Day Out—Pt Erin Pools
13 December	Last Day 12:05 Finish

Kia ora, Talofa lava, afio mai, 'nāmōstē , pai ata,
Kuja hapa, greetings, স্বাগত, 欢迎 and malo e
lelei, Salaam+

We had such an exciting day on Friday with all of our guests and students planting our vege gardens. It is now underway and we will be able to grow and enjoy some of the produce by cooking up winter vegetables.

Thank you to **HEB construction** for making this happen by suppling the vege garden boxes, the soil and plants.

A huge thanks to **Ann and Richard Garret** for their energy and vision to make this happen.

A big shout out to **Bunnings North West** for giving the gloves and trowels for our students to use.

We were lucky enough also to have been given a Satsuma Mandarin tree from **Touch of the Tropics**, which we have planted next to the vege boxes. A huge thanks to them as well.

A big week this week with Road Safety Week. The senior and middle school have been busy with posters and ways to help ease traffic flow at pick up and drop off times in the main carpark . They have come up with great ideas which we will try out. Our Super Hero day and Bike day is Friday. To all of your families you are all SuperHeroes, with everything you do for your children and families. Take care of yourselves as the winter months are upon us and days are much colder.

Margaret Samson (Principal)

LUNCHES REMINDER

Unfortunately we have to many outstanding lunch order payments due to people not paying as promised. Just from the last 2 weeks of lunch orders there is a total of \$312.70 outstanding.

As the school cannot afford to carry this debt **PLEASE PAY FOR YOUR CHILD/RENS LUNCHES BEFORE OR ON THE DAY THAT YOU ORDER.**

LOVE EDMONTON? TELL YOUR FRIENDS AND FAMILY

For a short time we are opening our roll and some out of zone places may be available. So, tell all of your friends and family to come and enrol at Edmonton and get a small school, small class education that is very rare in Auckland.

EDMONTON SCHOOL OSCAR PROGRAM

For information about before school, after school care and holiday program or enrolment forms please contact
Office Ph 8389318 or Claire Busby 027 550 519

Te Atatu Community Art Design Workshop Experience

Crystal – Rm 11

On Friday me, Khalia and Nirav got picked to go to Te Atatu Peninsula Community centre to do some art and sketches. When we first got there, we saw other kids from other schools coming to do art with us. Kids from primary, high schools and intermediate also!

We all did random sketches, then we all had to walk downstairs and found white spots that we had to paint. A highschooler named Aris was probably the most talented. She drew black and white Maori patterns which impressed us all. After an hour our art teacher Kate and Mr White told us to go down outside and have lunch. We headed downstairs then sat down on the benches and ate lunch, when we finished eating all of us started to play on the playground. Me and Khalia were playing where the water fountain is then we went to xylophones to play bits of music on. A few minutes later we had to go back inside. Once again, we got to do more sketches.

I drew human facials, drawings inside of squares, the sea with fish in it too. My favourite part is when we had to outline our drawings on the windows and stuck them onto the "wall of art" that's what our art teacher Kate called it. We were still doing sketches until we had to cut out some shapes then put it on the ground. We were having fun but then Kate told us that was the end of our time. Melissa, a teacher aide, came and picked us up and we returned to school. For the whole day of doing art it was really fun and I had a great time. And didn't have to do any class work all day too.

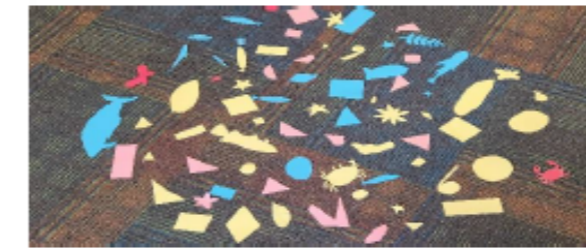


Khalia - Rm 9

Last Friday I went to the Te Atatu Peninsula Community centre along with two other year 6 students, Crystal and Nirav to design bike racks.

First, the art teacher put us into groups with the other schools. I got put into a group with 3 girls and 1 boy. Then we got a piece of paper and in a group, we had to write down some things we could find around Te Atatu Peninsula, like rivers, creeks, colours and so much more.

After that, we went outside to have a look at the bike racks and see if we could think of some ideas. We could paint the bike racks and then the wall next to it. When we went back inside, we had some morning tea and we started designing. We each got an individual piece of paper and started doing our designs on the piece of paper. I drew a bunch of patterns and shapes, even a few fish, but my favourite thing was probably outlining the designs because it made our designs look better. The art teacher is going to put all the designs together to make a big mural and we get to go back to see the finished product. Overall, I had a great time!



Parent Teacher Interviews

Parent Teacher Interviews will be coming up soon and in order to select the time that suits you, you will need the SKOOL LOOP app. Instructions on how to book will be sent home at a later date closer to the day

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