

CLENDON PARK SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER



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TERM 3 WEEK 10

School Closed

Last day of Term 3 is Friday 27th September at 3pm &

1st day of Term 4 is Monday 14 October at 8.55am

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Kia ora

A person at Clendon Park School has been identified as having whooping cough (pertussis). There is a small chance students and staff may have whooping cough if they have been near this infectious person.

While the risk is low, please watch for whooping cough symptoms in your child, or as a staff member. This is especially important if you have a baby under 12 months in your household, as they can become seriously ill from whooping cough.

What are the whooping cough symptoms?

Whooping cough is a bacterial infection that causes coughing fits.

Early symptoms usually include a runny nose, fever, and dry cough.

The cough gradually gets worse and lasts for 8-12 weeks, often developing into long coughing attacks. In babies and young children, coughing attacks often end with a 'whoop' sound as they take a breath, or with vomiting or gagging.

Who can get whooping cough?

Anyone can get whooping cough. Even if you have been immunised or had whooping cough before, you can still get it. Generally a person needs to be in face-to-face contact with an infectious person for more than one hour.

Vaccination reduces the risk of a serious infection of whooping cough and also of hospitalisation. It also helps prevent you passing the disease to others even if you catch it.

What to do if you develop any early signs of whooping cough

If you or your child have any of the symptoms (above) or a cough lasting for more than two weeks:

- Stay home from school while unwell;
- Go to your doctor or usual hauora provider - call ahead so they know you or your child may have whooping cough;
- Keep away from babies under 12 months old, pregnant women and people with a weak immune system (immunocompromised) until after a visit to the health professional.

Immunisation is the best way to protect against whooping cough

Whooping cough immunisation for children is offered for FREE at 6 weeks, 3 months, 5 months, 4 years and 11 years. If you are not sure of your immunity, check with your GP or practice nurse. Boosters are available for adults at 45 years and 65 years of age.

It's also important pregnant women get immunised, as it helps protect both mother and baby. Immunisation is recommended every time you are pregnant.

Cover coughs and sneezes

Anyone with symptoms should cover their mouth and nose when they cough or sneeze, throw away used tissues, and wash and dry hands well afterwards. This helps prevent illnesses from spreading.

Term 3 Top Class Attendance

Congratulations to Rm 20 Kahu (senior class) and Rm 19 (junior class) for winning top class attendance this term. Both classes will receive McDonalds for lunch on Friday.



BELL TIMES

8:55am	School starts
10:55-11:15	Interval
12:45-12:55	Lunch eating
12:55-1:45	Lunch playtime
3:00pm	End of day

IMPORTANT DATES FOR TERM 3

Week 10

27.09.24 Last Day of Term 3

Term 4 Monday 14 October

Week 1

15.10.24 Powhiri
15.10.24 Counties Basketball
15.10.24 TMT Y8 Camp (15 - 19.10.24)
16.10.24 CCSA Volleyball

Week 2

22.10.24 CCSA Touch
24.10.24 Counties Volleyball

Week 3

28.10.24 LABOUR DAY *PUBLIC HOLIDAY*
29.10.24 IZ Basketball
31.10.24 Heroes vs Villains Mufti Day

Week 4

04.11.24 MPSSA Softball
05.11.24 TWA Y8 Camp

Top Class Attendance Term 3

Class	% Periods Attended
Room 20 - Kahu	92.44%
Room 14	90.77%
Room 26	89.22%
Room 10	88.49%
Room 22 - Kotuku	88.37%
Room 08	87.76%
Room 06	87.42%
Room 02	87.29%
Room 07	86.24%
Room 01	86.22%
Room 19	85.94%
Room 18	85.31%
Room 12	85.15%
Room 09	84.57%
Room Tui	84.18%
Room Whai	84.16%
Room 27	84.14%
Room 16	83.95%
Room 23 - Kokako	83.73%
Room Ekaranui	83.08%
Room 21 - Pukeko	82.85%
Room 11	82.77%
Room Maki	82.26%
Room 13	80.68%
Room Huia	80.55%
Room Wheke	80.15%
Room 25 - Kereru	79.21%
Room 05	79.05%
Room 04	78.81%
Room 24 - Kiwi	78.49%
Room 03	73.93%



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Brave BUNGY JUMP



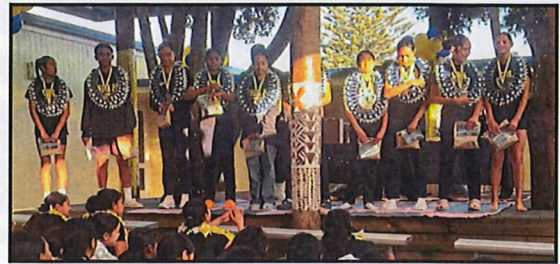
BUNGY JUMPING BY WAYNE RM 6

WHEN I GOT SELECTED FOR BUNGEY JUMPING I WAS SO HAPPY AND MY CONFIDENCE WAS OFF THE CHART. BUT AS THE DAY SLOWLY APPROACHED I STARTED TO GET MORE AND MORE WORRIED BUT KNOWING THAT I HAVE OTHER PEOPLE ALSO JUMPING I FELT CONFIDENT. ON THE DAY OF JUMPING I WAS NERVOUS BUT ALSO EXCITED. THE WALK UNDER THE HARBOUR BRIDGE WAS SCARY BECAUSE IT WAS WINDY AND I FELT LIKE I WAS GONNA FALL OFF. WHEN WE WERE ACTUALLY AT THE PLACE WE JUMPED, MANY PEOPLE JUMPED BEFORE ME AND SOME DIDN'T. WHEN IT FINALLY CAME TO MY TURN I WAS NERVOUS BUT I COULDN'T SHOW IT. WITH EVERYONE CHEERING ME ON, I JUMPED AND SURVIVED. IT WAS SO EXCITING GLIDING THROUGH THE AIR AND I REALLY WANTED TO GO AGAIN BUT WASN'T ALLOWED. EVEN THOUGH I WAS NERVOUS I STILL JUMPED AND IT WAS REALLY FUN.

BUNGY JUMPING BY CALVIN RM6

ON THE WAY TO THE BUNGY SITE I FELT CONFIDENT AND VERY ENERGETIC. I'VE JUST ARRIVED AND MY HEART STARTED POUNDING. JUST GOING TO THE PLACE TO JUMP OFF WAS TERRIFYING. IT'S TIME TO JUMP. I HESITATED THREE TIMES BUT I EVENTUALLY JUMPED OFF. I NEARLY FAINTED DURING THE SKY BUT I PUSHED THROUGH IT. THE JUMP WAS FINALLY OVER AND I WANTED TO GO HOME. 30 MINS HAVE PASSED BY AND WE CAN FINALLY GO BACK TO SCHOOL. THEN I FINALLY ARRIVED TO SCHOOL AND FLEXED THE EXPERIENCE TO MY CLASSMATES.



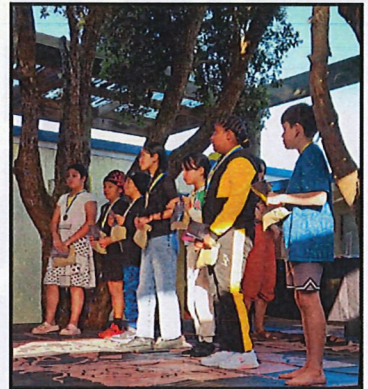
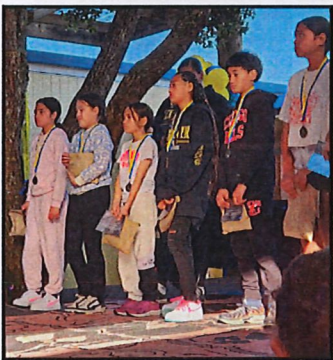
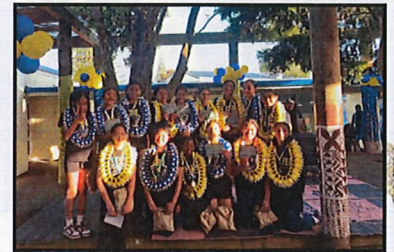


CPS NETBALL PRIZEGIVING CELEBRATION

This past Saturday, we celebrated the end of an amazing netball season with our CPS Netball Prizegiving! It was a fantastic turnout, with many families coming together to cheer on and acknowledge the incredible efforts of their children.

Congratulations to all our trophy winners—keep up the hard work! We look forward to seeing you back on the court next year.

A big thank you to all our players, coaches, and families for being part of this journey. We can't wait to see what next season holds!



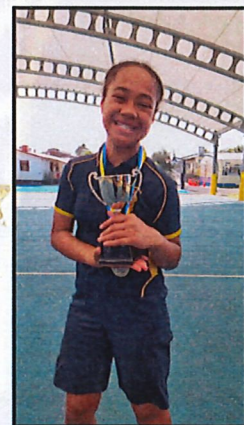
Year 3&4
Most Improved Player
Marni Harrison



Year 3&4
Player of the Year
Samantha Crosbie



Year 5&6
Most Improved Player
Lupe Ngavisi



Year 5&6
Player of the Year
Matua Samuels



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CLENDON'S GOT TALENT



SOLO JUNIOR WINNER
SINALEIGH WHITE



GROUP WINNERS - 148

(MATUA SAMUEL, AEMILIANUS, LONDON TAOMIA, ELLA-JAE PAPEAU, BRONSON GLASSIE, JOHN JUPOU)



SOLO SENIOR WINNER
ELLA-JAE PAPEAU

