Bruce McLaren Intermediate School Principal's Update: 1 October 2021

For Bruce McLaren Intermediate School Parents and Caregivers

Kia ora koutou katoa

THANK YOU.

It is Friday, 1st October, the last day of Term 3 before the term break.

THANK YOU to parents, caregivers, family members, bubble occupants for keeping BMIS students safe and well during Lockdown. Your child's wellbeing is always the priority of the school. Your child's level of engagement with learning during this uncertain time comes second.

Over the course of the last 45 days, many of our BMIS families have had to try and continue to work from home, manage and juggle the family bubble as well as find time to monitor school work. You are amazing. It is not an easy task – we know! THANK YOU.

It's now time for our BMIS families to take a break from the monitoring of your child/ren's school work. There are NO school tasks set over the term break and NO requirement for any school screen time. School chromebooks are deactivated Friday, 12:00pm today, and if not returned by 2:30pm today are to be stored safely until their return.

Together, our students and staff, have pioneered our way through Term 3. I am grateful for our incredible resilience, proud of our accomplishments and achievements, and excited about the next part of our journey together.

Please take time to stop, reflect and breathe – on the amazing job you have done and are doing and how amazing your child/ren has been and is being.

Enjoy having a look at our Community Challenge – <u>click HERE to watch</u>.

This is the last of the Term 3 Community Updates. I will be in contact during the term break to let you know how Term 4 will look and what the expectations are around learning for your child/ren.

Keep doing what you are doing. Enjoy the extra daylight hour.

BMIS school community – you are awesome. THANK YOU for your continued support.

Stay safe. Stay well.

Kia kaha. Kia maia. Kia manawanui.

Ngā mihi

Liz Wood – Very Proud Principal