



Bruce McLaren Intermediate School

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NEWSLETTER #8

1 July 2020

Greetings, Kia Ora, Fakalofa lahi atu, Malo e lelei, Talofa lava, Taloha, Kia Orana, Ni hao, Buenos dias, Ciao, Malo no habari, Dobar dan, Bula vinaka, Anyeonghaseyo, Nameste, Sawatdi

From The Principal's Desk:

Kia ora koutou katoa

We are here! Week 12 of Term 2. The final lap with the race flag in sight and it's waving Friday, 3.00pm!

The semester has been unique. A time like we have not experienced before. Students off site; some students on site and then all of our students returned to school.

Congratulations to our students, parents, caregivers and wider community for accommodating the pressures and procedures placed on us during COVID-19 Alert Levels 4, 3, 2 and 1. We continue to follow the MOH guidelines, impressing upon our students the need for high standards of hygiene and always to SANITISE, SANITISE, SANITISE!

So much has taken place in the twelve weeks of Term 2. Our programmes have been rigorous, expecting our students to strive to meet the expectations and achieve great results by applying the much-required effort on their part.

3 WAY LEARNING CONVERSATIONS:

3 Way Learning Conversations being held on Wednesday, 1 July and Thursday, 2 July provide an opportunity to touch base with the class teacher and specialist teachers and reassess your child's goal/s and next steps with their learning. You can still book online at www.parentinterviews.co.nz - event code 5P3DJC5D.

WHANAU ORA CARE BOX:

Many of our students were receptive in taking a Whanau Ora care box home last Friday and this week. These were provided to us from The Fono in Henderson and we are truly grateful to receive such support. A little goes a long way, and anything BMIS is able to acquire is made available to our students and our families.

TERM 3:

With Term 3 looming, it is important for our students to reflect on Semester 1 and their achievements and to also think about the term ahead. Sport, WZ sport, academic extension & competitions, Camp & EOTC, cultural activities, performances, presentations, guest

speakers, and corporate events are all in the Term 3 calendar. The learning concept for Semester 2 is COMMUNICATION.

CONGRATULATIONS MRS VAN DYK:

Our BMIS staff would like to formally wish Mrs van Dyk, teacher of Room 11 and Whanau Atamai, all the very best as she embarks on parental leave for the rest of 2020. Thank you Linette for your involvement and leadership in areas across our school. Mrs van Dyk will be at BMIS for a few weeks after the break but in a variety of rolls.

WELCOME MR CHESTER:

We welcome Mr Gavin Chester to R11 and Whanau Atamai for Terms 3 & 4 of 2020. Mr Chester comes with a wealth of intermediate experience and teaching internationally. He has already chosen his opportunities for our Opportunities Day, set times for planning with the team and is looking forward to joining Team McLaren.

With the conclusion of Term 2 on Friday, 3rd July at 3pm, I would like to wish everyone a safe, restful and recharging break. Stay well, stay warm and stay upbeat as we collectively keep ourselves committed to a positive 2020.

There is so much on offer and so much to get involved in at BMIS.

Nga mihi

Liz Wood - Principal

YEAR 7 CAMP & YEAR 8 EOTC:

Camp and EOTC are taking place in Week 8 of Term 3 (8 - 11 September) - not long to go now!

Just a reminder that full payment is due by Friday, 28 August. You can pay with cash/EFTPOS at the school office or directly into our school bank account:

BMIS - 12-3051-0471762-00

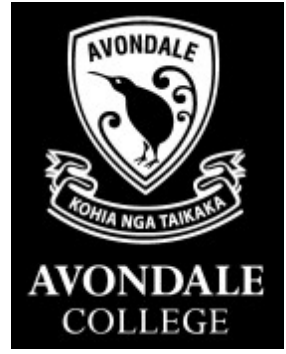
Please use your child's name as a reference and either 'CAMP' or 'EOTC'.

SPACES STILL AVAILABLE!

Free
JULY
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HOLIDAY
PROGRAM
 FOR 11-17 YEAR OLDS

MON 6 JULY FOOD AND SPORTS	TUE 7 JULY IN HOUSE LASER TAG	WED 8 JULY GAMERS GUILD	THU 9 JULY VIC PARK	FRI 10 JULY TAKA BEACH
MON 13 JULY TRIBAL WARS	TUE 14 JULY MOVIES	WED 15 JULY MISSION BAY	THU 16 JULY GAMERS GUILD	FRI 17 JULY AMAZING RACE

PROUDLY BROUGHT TO YOU BY MPH COMMUNITY TRUST
 FOR MORE INFO PHONE: 09 838 4820 OR EMAIL: INFO@MPHS.ORG.NZ
 OUR PROGRAM RUNS FROM 10AM-3PM. LIMITED SPACES SO BE IN QUICK!



OPEN EVENING
29 JULY 2020

Avondale College is holding an Open Evening for prospective students and their families on Wednesday 29 July from 4:00pm - 7:00pm.

Guided tours will be leaving regularly from the main atrium building (Victor Street entrance).

Make sure you allow plenty of time as there is a lot to see! For more information, visit: www.avcol.school.nz

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OPEN EVENING
 Thurs 23rd July ~ 6.30pm

DAYTIME TOURS
 Tues 28th & Thurs 30th July
 Tues 4th & Thurs 13th August
 9.00am or 10.00am

Daytime Tours - Bookings Essential
 To book: ph 836 7890 or secretary@waitakerecollege.school.nz
 42 Rathgar Road, Henderson

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 Starfish Excellence in Teaching & Learning - Ataru
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2020
 Applicant's Excellence in Teaching & Learning - Ataru
 Excellence in Wellbeing - Hauraki

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 AWARDS / VIATAURANGA

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OPEN DAY

THURSDAY 23 JULY
4PM - 7PM

We welcome Year 8 students to our Open Day

Tour the school campus, see i-Learning and STEM in action. Talk with students while they work and play. Explore options for 2021 enrolment.

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