

### Konnichiwa:

Huge congratulations to Max who did outstandingly well at InterZones last week, qualifying for Regional Cross Country. Te pai kē Max.

This week we have our school swimming sports planned. We walk to Kilbirnie Pool for these, but if the weather is not looking conducive, we will only take the tamariki who have signed up for competitive races. If all looks good, the whole school will go to the pool. Huetepara (yr 0-2) will be in the splash pool, Maranui (yr 3-4) and Onepū (yr 5-6) will have the opportunity to either swim competitively or in non-competitive events. Please send your tamariki with their togs, two towels, hats and goggles, if they have them, as well as a healthy morning tea and lunch. Please make sure all belongings are named. Competitive events will start at 9.30am and non-competitive from 10.30am. We will let you know on Thursday what our decision is so please send your tamariki with all gear required.

John has been doing an amazing job with the Ahu play area. He has already built a wire bridge and has now made a hut on top of the sandpit. All the tamariki are including these in their play, and the oral language that is developing is wonderful.



## **Dates for your Diary**

Thur 24 June - Swimming Sports Yr 0-6

Fri 25 June - Motu Kairangi Kapa Haka Celebration

Mon 28 June - BoT meeting 7pm in staffroom

(change in date)

Wed 30 June - Yr 6 visit to EBIS

- Star Dome (Matariki activity) 1-2 July

By the end of this week all tamariki that have been at school since the start of the year should have four posts on HERO. You can just click on 2021 Reporting to see their current goals and posts. If you cannot find this, or think there is something missing, please let us know, so we can sort it for you. Next Monday there will be a post that will include where your tamariki are currently learning for reading, writing and maths. This is in relation to the New Zealand Curriculum Levels. You can see that there are overlaps with years and levels as learning is not necessarily linear. The post will include this graph and will state the curriculum level they are currently working at in class for reading, writing and maths. Teachers use a range of data to assess where each child is at. This is gathered from assessments, observations, discussions, samples, and questioning. This information is triangulated, moderated, and then a judgement is made. If you have any questions please talk to the class teacher and they will be able to help you.



Please check the 'Dates to Diary' for upcoming event,s such as the Disco and Matariki Performance Assembly. If you can help out at the Disco, please contact friends@lvallbav.school.nz or fill in https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1UPvKrduB8iSTixLMVDhEsQHwEBcLaiih08aAXvkcPVE/edit?fb clid=lwAR3Yxtd7zQ17uDug9NiBFCBbN7Y3X9QkoDUMKKmrZOCSmeJUM7kFamcOgrE#gid=0 We are still looking for support for both discos to help it to be a fun and safe evening.

Melanie Dean, Principal

## **Dates for your Diary (Cont'd)**

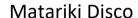
Fri 2 July - Matariki Disco (organised by Friends of Lvall Bay School)

Mon 5 July - Matariki parahuiki (breakfast) in hubs. Thurs 8 July – Matariki Performance Assembly, 1,30pm

Fri 9 July - Last day of Term 2 - 3.00pm finish

Mon 26 July - First day Term 3

28-29 July - School Photos (orders are taken AFTER photo day)





If you can help out at the disco please click on this link

# Swimming Sports this Thursday



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## **Community Notices:**

#### **Rock Academy Holiday Programme:**

#### Monday the 19th to Thursday the 22nd of July.

Lots of fun with modern songs and activities, with 'cool' inspiring teachers. Perfect for building confidence in creative children who would like to explore music or take their playing to a new level. Ideal for young singers, guitarists, pianists and bassists. Contact us today to book or for more information.

Based in Kilbirnie and suitable for ages 5 to 15. Ideal for singers, guitarists, and keyboardists (sorry no drums). Great for building confidence and making new musical friends.

**Book Now** 

More Info

#### Yoga Classes for Kids Through Storytelling:



#### **Wellington Sewing Centre Holiday Workshops:**

The Wellington Sewing Centre in Kilbirnie is, again, running a series of school holiday workshops in sewing and crafts. New classes in July include Pants in a Day, Sew a Kimono Top, Make a Messenger Bag, Sew a Rag Doll and Make a Stuffed Sheep Toy as well as old favourites such as Sew a Pencil Case and Needlefelt a Kereru. For more information, and to enrol, go to https://sewingdirect.co.nz/classes/childrens-classes/

#### Entertainment Book 2021 - School Fundraiser:

Renew your 2020 membership as it comes to a close. If you haven't had an Entertainment Book before, this is a great way to support your favourite local businesses to get back on their feet or try some new experiences and save some money in the process. A great gift or just for yourself! There are thousands of 25%-50% off or 2-for-1 offers on all sorts of activities, shopping, dining and travel. You only need to eat out twice to have covered the cost of the book, so everything else is a bonus! This year we are fundraising towards new furniture for some of our classrooms. Check it out at <a href="www.entbook.co.nz">www.entbook.co.nz</a> or order at: <a href="Lyall Bay School">Lyall Bay School</a> (entdiaital.net)

Please support us. Thanks to the families who have already bought new or renewed memberships. Enjoy!





# Japan Foundation's Travelling Exhibition - NINGYŌ: Art and Beauty of Japanese Dolls:

14 June - 5 July 2021, 10am - 4pm, Monday - Friday

College of Creative Arts, Massey University
Level C, Block 12 Te Ara Hihiko, Entry C Wallace Street, Mt Cook
The Embassy of Japan and College of Creative Arts, Massey
University, in cooperation with the Japan Foundation, are very
pleased to announce that the Japan Foundation's Travelling
exhibition "NINGYŌ: Art and Beauty of Japanese Dolls" will take
place during the above-mentioned period at the College of
Creative Arts, Massey University in Wellington.

This exhibition presents a comprehensive introduction to Japanese doll culture, from Katashiro and Amagatsu, which are considered to be the archetypes of dolls in Japan, to local dolls that reflect the

climate and anecdotes from across the country, to dress-up dolls that are beloved in Japan today as toys, and scale figures that are highly regarded around the world. Under the title NINGYŌ, which means "human shape" in Japanese, the doll culture that has been cultivated over the long history of Japan will be introduced through selected dolls, divided into 4





sections: "Ningyō to pray for children's growth," "Ningyō as fine art," "Ningyō as folk art," and "Spread of Ningyō culture." Please refer to the Embassy of Japan's website for more information:

http://www.nz.emb-

japan.go.jp/culture\_education/exhibition2021.html

Admission: <u>free</u>

#### Marrzipan Drama Holiday Workshop:

The Marrzipan Drama Holiday Workshop runs from 9.30am-4pm, Mon 19 - Fri 23 July. Students will devise their own play from scratch, create characters, direct each other, design the set, bring in costumes and get to perform to family and friends at the end of the final day!

Past workshops have been a great hit! As well as having fun, the children develop confidence and public speaking ability, in a fun, relaxed environment.

For more information check out our website! Spaces are limited to 16 per group, so get in quick!

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