



# Roto Review

We live by  
our motto of  
**AIM HIGH**

Ngaa mihi ngaa Maatua me kaitiaki,

## Nau mai, hoki mai

In our make-up newsletter last week we explained the importance of attending school every day (unless unwell). So in assembly on Friday we congratulated the students who did just this during Term 1. These were; **Liam, Kyle, Mitchell, Waldo, Hugo B, and Britney**. Well done to the six of you!



Sometimes our 5 year olds might start school later in the term but then they have been at school everyday, so they are still recognised for 100% attendance. Students attending other school based activities are still classed as being at school.

At the end of each term we will recognise children who were present 100% of the term, with a bigger recognition of anyone present for 100% of the entire year.

We hope that we have many more students to congratulate in the future.

## MP VISIT

Tomorrow at 8.30am we will be treated to a visit by our local MP, Louise Upston who is popping in to discuss education and have a look around our kura to see what our tamariki are doing. It will be a low key visit, just for the first hour of the school day.

## PINK SHIRT DAY 2023

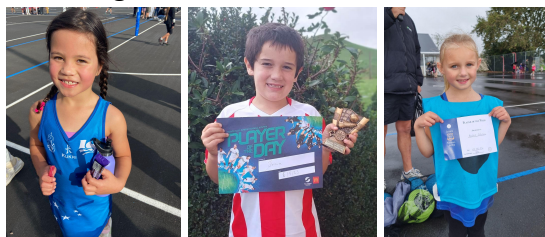
If you are unfamiliar with the kaupapa, or purpose, of Pink Shirt Day it is an **anti-bullying** initiative, aiming to create communities where we all feel safe, respected and valued, regardless of our differences. It began in Canada in 2007, when a couple of students took a stand against another student being bullied for wearing pink, and has gained momentum internationally since. On **Friday 19th May** we invite **everyone** to come to school wearing **PINK** to increase awareness of bullying; we'll be having conversations about how to recognise bullying, how to prevent it, how to stop it, and how not to do it ourselves. We ask that if you are able to support the cause with a donation that you do so by sending cash to the office, or through our school account. All Pink Shirt Day funds raised will go to the Mental Health Foundation. You can find out more by visiting their website. Why not support the cause at your own place of work or study too?

<https://pinkshirtday.org.nz/>

*Don't forget this Sunday is Mother's Day - a time to recognise and acknowledge our mums, or the special people in our lives who care for us as if they were our Mothers*

## WINTER SPORTS CODES

Here are some of last week's sporting superstars! Stella, Joshua and Azalia all came away with Player of the Day awards for their amazing efforts! Stella and Azalia play netball for Leamington Rugby & Sports Club, and Joshua is playing soccer under the Cambridge Soccer Club.



Congratulations to the **Roto Warriors** miniball team who continued their winning form from Term 1 and had another strong victory last Monday. There was even a 3-pointer scored by one of the team. They continue to be a strong team working hard together under Coach Shawn.

## DISCO

Our wonderful PTA have organised a whole school disco for Friday 26th May 6pm - 7.30pm.. Mark the date in your diaries, save up some coins, and dig out your best *Winter Wonderland* outfits!

Students need to have an adult at the disco with them please (if one adult arranges with other parents to supervise their child and their friends that is fine).

If you are able to help put up lights and decorate the hall during the day on the Friday or able to help out at the disco itself please get in touch with Roxy who will pass this onto the PTA.



## COMMUNITY NOTICES

### AED TRAINING SESSION

Two educational sessions have been booked in to teach local people when and how to use an AED, as there is now one located at the Roto-o-Rangi Hall across the road. The session for parents of our school is on **Thursday 1st June at 3pm** in the hall. If you attend you can pop your children into after school care for free so please let us know if you would like to do this. To ensure it is viable to hold this session could anyone keen to attend please let the school office know.

### Crime Prevention

Join your local Police Officer, Community Patrol Leader and Neighbourhood Support at Roto-o-Rangi Hall **7pm** on **Thursday 25th May**. We will be discussing neighbourhood safety, emergency preparedness, crime prevention and community patrols. Come along, ask some questions and meet your neighbours. See you there!

### Community Board

The Cambridge Community Board will soon begin their annual rural tour to connect with rural communities in the area. They will be joined by councillors, council staff, and the Waipaa Mayor and Deputy Mayor. It's a great opportunity for the community to give feedback to Council about local issues. They will be visiting the Roto-o-Rangi Hall on **Saturday 27th May at 1pm** and everyone from the local community is invited to attend.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

- 16/5 Roto-o-Rangi Locals - AED info evening  
Roto Hall 7pm
- 19/5 **Pink Shirt Day**
- 25/5 Crime prevention evening, Roto Hall
- 26/5 PTA Disco 6pm - 7.30pm
- 27/5 Community Board Rural Tour 1pm
- 1/6 Roto Parents AED info session, Roto  
Hall 3pm
- 2/6 Rural Winter Sports Day - Yr 5/6
- 5/6 King's Birthday Public Holiday
- 23/6 Student Reports go home
- 27-29/6 Student/Parent/Teacher conferences
- 29/6 Te Ohu Kaiaarahi o te Kapua Iti @ CMS
- 30/6 Last day of Term 2
- 17/7 First Day Term 3
- 17-19/7 Harold and the Life Education Van