



ROSENEATH SCHOOL

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Tēnā koutou whānau o te kura o Te Wai Hirere

Tēnā koutou, tēnā koutou, tēnā koutou katoa.

Ko Tangi Te Keo te maunga
(Mt Victoria is the mountain we look up to)

Ko Te Whanganui a Tara te moana
(The Harbour is the sea that calms our spirits)

Ko Te Wai Hirere te kura
(Te Wai Hirere is our place to connect, our school)

Kia ora Roseneath Whānau

House Leaders

House Leaders were announced at our last full school assembly but hadn't been published in the newsletter so a huge congratulations to our 2023 House Leaders. We know you will represent your house well, demonstrating the Roseneath Way.

The Kaitiaki role is one of pastoral care for the House, looking out for the younger students and making sure they are involved in the activities.

Aotearoa- Isabella, River, Iris, with Megan & Rosa as Kaitiaki

Kahurangi-Leaders: Tom, Reem, James, Evie with Michael R as Kaitiaki

Mamaku - Richie, Ariel, Pippa with Ollie as Kaitiaki

Pounamu - Henry, Sam, Laura, with Oliver and Caius as Kaitiaki

Whānau Ahi - Tama, Jamie, Eliza, Juno with Emilia as Kaitiaki

Grant Applications

We often receive emails and go on courses where we learn about grants that we can apply for as a school. Often successful grant applications are based on the wording. If you have the time and ability to apply for grants on our behalf we would welcome your help. Please contact me at principal@roseneath.school.nz

Roseneath School Certificates this week

We are delighted to congratulate our amazing learners who earned themselves a certificate this week:

Aft: Lucia—Welcome to Aft class. Alisa—You are awesome at sharing your reading skills and entertaining others with favourite stories! Mila—you are awesome at including new friends!

Lower Deck: Malcolm - for your reading and showing great comprehension. Emily—amazing effort and confidence

Upper Deck: Loucas - Strive in your learning. You have been striving in your reading. I really enjoy our discussions about books. Year 7&8 Futsal Team - We believe in ourselves. What an awesome game on Friday! You were talking to each other, you had a plan, you were pre-empting the game play and were working together well. Ka Rawe! Kim - Strive in your learning. You are becoming much more confident with your reading and understanding of texts. Tu Meke!

Long Boat: Henry—for being an unsung hero. I notice you being kind and patient with younger students regularly, helping others and certainly helping me.

Michael—for an outstanding performance in your play. You brought your character alive through creativity and were very entertaining!

Upper Bridge: You have settled back into our routines and are showing your empathy—thanks.

Easter Event Friday 31 March 5.30pm

Come along and take part in the Roseneath School Friends' Easter Egg Hunt and Movie night. The fun begins at 5.30pm with an Easter Egg Hunt around the school grounds. Plastic eggs will contain either a toy or gem. The gems will be redeemed for Easter candy. Following the Egg Hunt food will be available to purchase and children will get free pizza and popcorn and the family movie will be screened in the Hall from 6.30pm.

Tickets will be available from the office or on the day for \$10 per family (or koha).

We ask families to support this first fundraiser for the year by donating Easter Candy and/ or baking.

Wheels Day - Bike Check Friday 31 March

To conclude Movin' March there will be a Wheels Day on Friday 31 March. From 8.30 onwards children can have their bikes and helmets checked for safety. Classes will be allocated time through the day to use their Wheels - bikes, scooters, skates, skateboards. Aft are asked to bring a scooter if you have one - no bikes thanks.

125th Anniversary - Labour Weekend

We have set the date for the 125th Anniversary celebrations. We want to spread the word to have as many past pupils attend as possible. If you know of anyone who attended Roseneath School please let them know. We would love a collection of recollections from the time former pupils were at Roseneath and/ or former pupils who could tell their stories of what it was like to be at Roseneath School to our current pupils. It would be great for us to make those connections to the memories.

Please contact me if you would like to be involved in organising the 125th anniversary celebrations or to give me the name of a former pupil. principal@roseneath.school.nz

Blanket Permissions for School Trips:

Please email principal@roseneath.school.nz to give blanket permission for all school trips and EOTC activities. Thanks to those who have already done this.

Te Reo o te Wiki Greetings:

Tēnā koe - Hello to one
Tēnā kōrua - Hello to two
Tēnā koutou - Hello to 3 or more
Morena - Good morning
Ata marie - Peaceful Morning
Ahiāhi marie - Peaceful afternoon
Pō marie - Peaceful night
Ka kite ano - See you again
Haere rā - Farewell to those going
E noho rā - Farewell to those staying



Movin'March – Week 5!

One week to go! It has been great to see so many walkers, cyclers and scooterers out and about. Don't forget next Friday 31 March is our WOW Wheels Day and Bike Safety Check.

Movin'March would love to hear from parents – and you could win!

The team at Greater Wellington would love to hear what parents and whānau thought about Movin'March. Please complete the short [whānau survey here](#). You'll also get the chance to **win a \$100 Prezzy card!** Students can also take part by completing the [student survey](#) and be in to win a \$50 Prezzy card.

School Donation Requests

Over the next few weeks you will receive the Roseneath School Contribution Request, including an invoice for stationery purchased for your child for the year. You can also view payment and donation requests, and make payments, on the MyKindo app.. Remember you can claim back tax credits for any donations made to the school. You can find out more about tax credits [here](#)

<https://www.ird.govt.nz/income-tax/income-tax-for-individuals/individual-tax-credits/tax-credits-for-donations>

Thank you for supporting our school to be the vibrant, inclusive community that it is!

Lower Deck Shadow Writing and Art

Today we have been looking at shadows. We had a look at our own shadow, and the hourglass. They all faced North. We moved around and our shadows still faced North. We saw that some people's shadows went sideways, and some people's shadows went in front of them. As the sand pours down the hourglass's shadow changed.

By Stella

It is a hot sunny day. It is sunny enough for shadows. Shadows never leave you alone. Shadows can go in front of you, behind you, and on the side. Shadows never ever leave you alone.

By Anisha

I jump and I leap and my shadow follows. I run, it runs. I love my shadow. We play together. It sticks to me. Best friends forever.

By Addie

Today we looked at shadows. Some of the shadow from the hourglass was see through. The sun made the shadows. The sun moves at the same time as the shadows.

By Hugo

Today we went to see our shadows outside in the ampitheatre to see what direction they would go in! I noticed that when you moved the shadow either went in front of you, or beside you, or behind you.

By Coco

Shadows are black clones of us on the floor. The hourglass is see through, we can see through the glass, it makes a shadow on the ground. The sun makes the shadow.

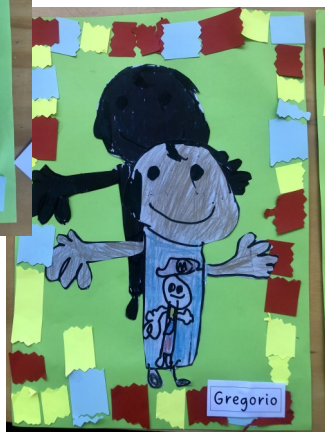
By Gregorio

I jump and my shadow follows me wherever I go. They are black and plain. They go the opposite direction the sun is going and the same direction as the hourglass. I like to play with my shadow. I play tag with it. It sticks to me like glue.

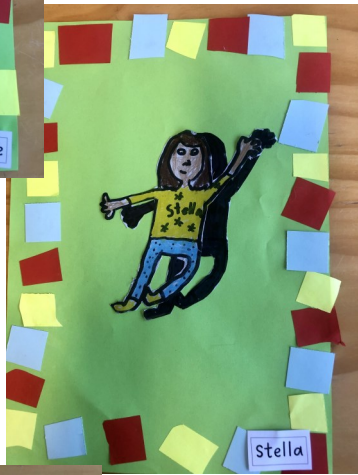
By Jasmine

Today we learned about shadows. We saw an hourglass shadow and I realised that the Earth moves not the sun, so as the Earth moves our shadows change direction.

By Theia



Lower Deck's Shadows



Ngā mihi
Jenny and the Roseneath Team

Community Notices



FAMILY MOVIE PREMIERE

**6TH APRIL
ACTIVITIES 3PM
MOVIE 3:30PM**

THE SUPER MARIO BROS. MOVIE

poster made by Nolan L.

*Light house cinema Cuba
29 Wigan street
Tickets \$25 can be purchased at
<https://supermariobrothers.rsvpify.com/>
all proceeds go to crossways creche*



KAPI-MANA MUSIC FESTIVAL 2023

King's Birthday Weekend
Sunday 4 and Monday 5 June

Performing Arts Centre
Pātaka Art + Museum, Porirua

Open to school students in the
greater Wellington region - all
instruments and voice at all levels

This year's festival is non-competitive,
but instead reach a standard

Enter online from **10 April**
Closing date: **14 May 2023**



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