



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**

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**Reuben Paterson - Light, Pattern, Identity: Tour and Glitter Pattern Workshops at the City Gallery**

We are so lucky to be attending such an inspiring exhibition! Please send your permission slips back to your class teacher

indicating your availability to help. Each class will have a guided tour of the exhibition, followed by a workshop run by the art educators.

Please note the date and time of each class trip below:

Lower Deck - Monday 29 May morning 9:30am-12:30pm (at gallery 10-12)

The Long Boat - Monday 29 May afternoon 12:10-3pm (at gallery 12:30-2:30)

Aft Class - Tuesday 30 May morning 9:30am-12:30pm (at gallery 10-12)

Upper Bridge - Tuesday 30 May afternoon 12:10-3pm (at gallery 12:30-2:30)

Upper Deck - Thursday 1 June morning 9:30am-12:30pm (at gallery 10-12)

**NZSO Free “ Pick a Path” Concert Tuesday 30 May changed date**

This free concert for school is at the Michael Fowler Centre at 11am on Tuesday 30 May. We are traveling by bus to and from the event and will have an early morning tea before we depart at 10 am. The concert is an hour so we will be returning in time for lunch. Look out for the advice notice and let us know if you would like to accompany us. There will be limited space on the bus but you could meet us at the venue.

## NZ Dance Challenge

You would have received an email and/or skoolloop notice this week seeking signed permission for your child/ren participate in the NZ Dance Challenge. You may be wondering why you need to give signed permission when you have previously given blanket permission for school activities. It is because this event is filmed and the footage may be used by NZ Dance Challenge as promotional material on their website, Facebook page and on youtube. You can either return the slip to Miss T or sign on skoolloop.



## Assemblies

We had a lovely whole school assembly on Friday last week which was a real celebration of learning at Roseneath School across all classes. We hold a full school assembly on weeks 1,4,7 and 10 of each term. In the important dates section of the email we will signal which class is hosting. Following the



assembly we had a sharing of mathematics learning with children and their parents actively engaged in all manner of activities from card games to problem solving with fractions. Thank you to the parents who visited our classes.

## Staff Only Day

Each year we schedule two staff only days where staff are involved in professional development. The Ministry of Education awarded classes a further two days to familiarise staff with Te Mataiaho - the Refreshed Curriculum. One of these days was at the start of this term on 24 April. The second is scheduled for November but, along with many schools we won't be observing the second staff only day. We try to give as much notice of days the school is closed for tuition as we can and have advertised the date in the *Important Dates* section of the email our newsletters are attached to.

## 125th Anniversary

Save the date for our 125th Anniversary celebrations Labour Weekend 21-22 October. If you know of any former pupils please let them know the date. Registrations will be open soon with details on our school website.

If you would like to be part of the organising team, please let me know.

[principal@roseneath.school.nz](mailto:principal@roseneath.school.nz)

**Possible Teacher Strike Day Wednesday 31 May - confirmation of the Strike Day will be announced on Monday 28 May**

## Te Reo o te Wiki

Some phrases you might try.

**He aha te mate?** What's wrong?

**I ahatia?** What happened?



## Upper Deck Trip to Government House

This term Upper Deck has been learning about and researching Inspirational New Zealanders. Yesterday, we ventured to Government House to learn more about the role of the Governor General and the history of the house itself.

We were really lucky to meet some important people at Government House including the army representative who lives in the house (he let Loucas borrow his hat for a bit), the Governor General Dame Cindy Kiro, and her gorgeous dogs Pebbles and Lucy.

We participated in an Investiture Ceremony in the ballroom that was setup already for a Ceremony in the afternoon.

Dame Penelope with the support of two aide-de-camps (Loucas and Archie) awarded Magnus a medal for services to school and Lexi a medal for services to wellbeing.

Whāia te iti kahurangi ki te tūohu koe me he maunga teitei.

Seek the treasure you value most dearly: if you bow your head, let it be to a lofty mountain.



## After School Care

Our after school care is going well with a growing group of regular users of this service. Rebekah and Owen are our key supervisors along with Rose on Tuesdays. Joining the team are Millie and Ashlee who are ready to step in if someone is away. It is lovely to see the children so happily engaged in inside and outside activities after school. If you would like to use the service but haven't yet enrolled please contact Nicola in the office [nicola.dunne@roseneath.school.nz](mailto:nicola.dunne@roseneath.school.nz)

Our fees are \$15 from 3-4pm and \$25 3-5.30pm

## 5 Signs You're Breaking the Toxic Generational Cycle

### You learned to pause before reacting to your child

You've been yelled at as a child. You choose to manage your big emotions when you're triggered. You do whatever it takes (even walk away) to calm down first. Not every time. But you do your best.

### You refuse to punish your child

You've been punished as a child and you felt scared and angry. Instead, you set firm boundaries and allow your child to experience natural consequences. You know that all behaviour is communication.

### You do not say, "Because I said so!"

You've been told that growing up and you felt resentful. You choose to validate your child's feelings and explain the reasons when you say "No".

### You do not comment on your child's weight

You know that all comments, even seemingly harmless ones like, "Didn't you have enough to eat already?" can result in lifelong problems with body image and self-esteem.

### You make sure your child knows you love them unconditionally

You grew up thinking that you're loved for your good grades and behaviour. You suffered all your life trying to "earn love". Instead, you let your child know they are loved just because they exist.

Every step, no matter how small, gets you closer to being the parent you want for your child.



## Community Notices

*Census—there has been 4.5 million people who have participated in 2023 Census. This is still open until 30 June 2023*

*To complete the census, you can do it online at [www.census.govt.nz](http://www.census.govt.nz) using one of the access codes provided in the letters sent to your household. Or you can fill out paper census forms if you have them. To request a new access code or paper forms, freephone 0800 236 787 (0800 CENSUS) or order online at [www.census.govt.nz](http://www.census.govt.nz).*

### Give the gift of a forever home

From 27 May - 2 June, SPCA is offering 50% off adoption fees nationwide. Considering adding a furry friend to your family? There is no better time! If you're not in a position to adopt but know someone who might be, please help us spread the word so we get as many deserving animals home during the week as possible. There's a perfect match for everyone...



### PRIDE LANDS FUN HOLIDAY ADVENTURES

**AUTUMN SCHOOL HOLIDAYS AT WESTERN SUBURBS RUGBY CLUB (WILTON) AND SOUTHERN SUBURBS SWIS (BERHAMPORE - NEWTOWN)**

**Dates:** 3<sup>rd</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup> JULY 2023, from 7.00am-6pm daily

**Fees:** Daily \$82.04/cub per session or \$139.47 for two siblings per session

Weekly: \$328.16 per cub/week or \$557.87 for two siblings/week

