



Glen Eden Primary Team Newsletter. Term 4. 2020



Nau mai, haere mai! Welcome to Term 4!

Unbelievably, it is already the last term of the year! Due to this year's disruptions, we are squeezing some of the events that were postponed into this term so it's going to be an action-packed and exciting time ahead! Classes will continue to focus on The Performing Arts and each team as well as our Kapa haka and Pasifika groups will have the opportunity to present their work on stage as we had planned. The Lion King production will also be going ahead early in the term with the whole school attending a dress rehearsal before the main shows.

We also have our normal end of year events coming up which our tamariki and staff will begin working towards. Amongst others, these include school athletics, the Mayow Fun Day and Prizegiving. More information will come closer to these times.

As the weather warms, we hope to be able to open the school pool later in the term and it is important to remember that students need to wear sunhats and sunscreen. Teachers will be actively encouraging students to do so and there will be sunscreen provided in classes for them to use.

Kiwi Team Information

Maths Focus

We have begun the term by focussing on geometry and measurement and students will be learning about the position and orientation of things in relation to themselves. Students will then focus on algebra and look at patterns and sequences. For the rest of the term, students will be working in groups on place value, multiplication, addition and subtraction with lots of counting and number work.

Kiwi Team Fiesta Performance

We have scheduled this for Thursday, 5th November at 2:00 in the school hall. Each class is continuing to work on an item and whānau are very welcome to attend.

Kiwi Team trip to Kiwi Valley Farm

We are excited to again be taking the Kiwi classes to Kiwi Valley Farm in Henderson Valley on Wednesday, November 18th. Students will learn about farm animals, pet and feed some animals, have a pony and tractor ride and explore a maze. This is a visit specifically designed for young children to participate in and will be a great day. Further information will come home closer to the trip. There will be no cost to whānau for this.

Junior School Athletics Day

We are having our Junior School Athletics Day on November 26th. There will be running races in the morning and then fun field events until lunch time. Whānau are very welcome to come and support us.

School wide dates

October

22nd Lion King
matinee

26th Labour Day

28th & 29th Lion King
night performances

November

3rd Bilingual class
interest hui @6:30

5th Pasifika hui @6:30

12th Whānau hui @6:30

13th Senior Athletics

26th Junior Athletics

27th Fiafia afternoon
@2:15

December

3rd Mayow Fun Day

4th Reports go home

8th Students meet
2021 teacher & class

11th School Prizeging
@11:00

15th School year
finishes @12:00