



Castlecliff Primary School

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Welcome to Castlecliff School

This week, we welcome **Jaya Rapana**. She has started in Mātāwai as a New Entrant student.



A big thank you to the Hill Whānau

The Hill family gave the school a bike and a scooter to give away. We have kept the scooter and use this with other scooters in the daily Sports Shed. Students have been having fun scootering around on the court at lunchtime.

As for the bike, students needed to write their name on a piece of paper and place it into the basket of the bike to be drawn at assembly last week.

The lucky person drawn was **Paityn Wood**. Enjoy your bike Paityn.

Celebrating Puanga

To celebrate the Māori New Year, students will be participating and working on different aspects of “**Puanga**”.

Next Friday, 7th August 2020, we are holding a **Puanga Idol**. Every class will select an item of talent to showcase to the whole school.

So, charge up your phones and come on down to record some of the talent we have here at Castlecliff School at **2pm**. You might record the next Beyoncé, Paris Noble or Stan Walker.

If **YOUR** child has been chosen to represent their class, **you will receive a text message from the classroom teacher to make sure you know. There will also be different Puanga challenges over the next three weeks at school with a shared kai at the conclusion of the Puanga challenges.**

Thank you families for...

- being vigilant on your child/ren wearing the correct school uniform daily
- remembering to close the gates when entering and exiting the school grounds
- making the time to come and listen to your child's/ren's progress with their mahi
- returning the Parent feedback page that was given with your child's/ren's mid-year report
- Participating, encouraging and supporting your child/ren at Netball and Football

Hākinakina - Sports

Football

Castlecliff Kaiwhana vs Castlecliff Club, Field 16 @ 8:45am

Please be there 15 mins before your game.

Castlecliff Whetū vs St John's School, Field 18 @ 10:30am

Please be there 15 mins before your game.

School Photos 2020

Friday 28th August

This year photographs will be available for you to view and order Online with PhotoLife Studios. Your child/ren will shortly bring home an online slip with their unique Access Key detailed on it.

This Access Key will display all the photographs of your child.

It is then an easy process for you to shop on-line and purchase the photographs you want.

If you place your order within three weeks of receiving your Access Key you will receive **free delivery** of your photo orders.

PhotoLife has agreed to dispatch all the orders back to the school and your child will bring their photographs home.

Any orders placed after this three week period will be sent directly to your specified delivery address and will incur a \$6.00 Postage & Packing charge. You will see this message when you go Online to view and order your photographs.

Up and coming events - these dates have already been saved - more may follow

- Tuesday 11th August (all day): *Contributing Netball* Tournament (back up day Thursday 13th)
- Wednesday 12th August @ 9:30am: *Te Whanake syndicate* Museum visit
- Thursday 13th August @ 9:30am: ALL year 6 students to visit Rutherford Junior High
- Tuesday 18th August (all day): *Contributing Football* Tournament (back up day Tuesday 25th)
- Wednesday 26th August @ TBC: Castlecliff School Cross-country
- Friday 28th August from 9am: School Photos
- Monday 31st August & 1st September @ 9:30am: *Te Puāwai syndicate* Coastal Care trip to the beach
- Tuesday 15th September: TBC - *Inter-school Cross-country* at Aranui School (back up day September 17th)
- Friday 25th September: Last day of the term 3