

# Rotokauri School Newsletter



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Dear Parents  
*Nga mihi o te wa kia koe me to whanau.*

## **ROKOKAURI SCHOOL MISSION STATEMENT**

Our positive environment will actively engage us all in learning.

## **ROKOKAURI SCHOOL VISION**

Together We Grow

- Unity (Kotahitanga)
- Inclusive (Manaakitanga)
- Guardianship (Kaitiakitanga)

Together We Learn

- Innovative (Auahatanga)
- Happy (Uruhau)
- Responsible (Tuutika)

## **ROKOKAURI SCHOOL VALUES**

**Respect**

**Empathy**

**Active Learning**

**Courage**

**Honesty**

### **WELCOME**

Nau mai, haere mai ki te kura o Rotokauri. Welcome to the new students that have started at Rotokauri School recently –

Room 5 – Brielle Cowley and Ziggy MacDonald-Hooper

We hope you and your whaanau/family enjoy your learning journey at Rotokauri School.

Ngaa mihi nui.

## **PRINCIPAL'S PIECE**

Kia ora e te whānau,

Congratulations to the Room 1 & 2 students for showing the school value of courage when attending the Te Uku Tabloids last Friday. We know that you all had a wonderful time. Thank you to the parents that were available to help with transport and supervising teams.

It is a busy and exciting time at school as we count down to the annual Car Show and Gala this weekend. The weather forecast is looking good and organization is running smoothly. We hope to see lots of you at the Car Show on Saturday.

Ngaa mihi

Desiree Smith

## **BOT NEWS**

### **Pool Helpers**

The BOT would like to open the school swimming pool again over the summer season. However, in order to do this we need volunteers for the swimming pool committee (subsidized key) please leave your name and phone number at the school office.

## **PTA NEWS**

### **Our 2024 Car Show and Gala is upon us!!!**

**We need your last minute help to make this a successful fundraiser.**

**Date:** Saturday 9th November

**Time:** 10.00 a.m. – 1.00 p.m.

### **We still need -**

1. Jars of goodies for the jar toss.
2. Baking – a plate of baking for the bake stall. This can be brought to school tomorrow or before 10.00 a.m. on Saturday. Please deliver to the MPR.
3. Books for the book stall. These can be dropped off in the Multipurpose Room.
4. Raffles - one of the raffles is a chilly bin full of groceries. Could each family please provide a grocery item for the raffle.
5. Plant stall - if you have any cuttings or plants that can be sold on the plant stall, please send them along to the office.
6. Soft toys/teddies - if you have any unwanted soft toys or teddies that are in good condition please bring them along to the Multipurpose Room.
7. New unwanted gifts - there is a collection point in the school foyer for any unwanted gifts that can be used as prizes.

Car Show t-shirts are available for sale from the car show (limited numbers) – there are samples for viewing in the office foyer. \$30 for child sizes and \$35 for adult sizes.

## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

### **Upcoming Events**

- 8<sup>th</sup> November – 6 year olds high jump starting at 11.30 a.m.
- 11<sup>th</sup> November – 5 year olds high jump starting at 11.30 a.m.
- 12<sup>th</sup> November – Junior Athletics Day starting at 9.30 a.m.
- 13<sup>th</sup> November – Senior Athletics
- 14<sup>th</sup> November – Senior Athletics postponement day

## CELEBRATIONS

### A & P Show Day

Congratulations to Alex Oldham and his goat Peanut who competed at the A & P Show last Friday. Their results were:

- 3rd for calling
- 2nd leading
- Reserve champion leading
- 1st rearing
- Champion rearing



### Assembly Certificates

#### Term 4 Week 3

| Class  | Student's Name       | Certificate Comment   |
|--------|----------------------|---|
| Room 1 | Reign Makuch         | For growing your number knowledge. Well done!   |
| Room 1 | Maninder Singh Pannu | For showing courage at the Te Uku Tabloids Sports Day.                                    |
| Room 2 | Atlas Williams       | For your courage at Tabloids Day. You made the most of the day!                           |
| Room 2 | Amaia Matenga        | For your courage at Tabloids Day. You made the most of the day!                           |
| Room 3 | Manraj Pannu         | Huge improvement in his math test - well done!  |
| Room 3 | Oscar Hapi           | Fantastic focus and effort on his Diwali art.   |
| Room 4 | Colette Griffin      | For showing the value of active learner in all areas of her learning.                     |
| Room 4 | Kyla Martin          | For showing the value of active learner in all areas of her learning.                     |
| Room 5 | Coby Harker-Ferguson | For showing the value of active learner and participating fully in all school activities. |
| Room 5 | Ben Fyers            | For a fantastic effort in maths. Keep it up Ben!  |
| Room 6 | Jacques Booyens      | For being an active learner and working so hard!  |
| Room 6 | Avneet Sangha        | For being an active learner and collaborating beautifully with her partner.               |
| Room 7 | Jayden Day           | For being a role model with his behaviour in class this week.                             |
| Room 7 | Thomas Warner        | For his amazing progression in his writing, especially his use of paragraphing.           |
| Room 8 | Archer McFall        | For being an active learner and showing great progress in reading.                        |
| Room 8 | Cooper Merrilees     | For being an active learner and making great progress in StepsWeb.                        |

## Term 4 Week 1

| Class  | Student's Name      | Certificate Comment   |
|--------|---------------------|---|
| Room 1 | Dil Judge           | For always showing all the REACH values. Amazing!                               |
| Room 1 | Lexi Viljoen        | For always showing all the REACH values. Fantastic!                             |
| Room 2 | Emilynn Viji George | For independently writing a description about your doll.                        |
| Room 2 | Everly Baker        | For working well in maths this week and showing courage to take risks.          |
| Room 3 | Monik Prajapati     | For being kind and empathetic to others.  |
| Room 3 | Nirmaan Pannu       | For a fantastic start back to school after such a long time away.               |
| Room 4 | Stefan Booyens      | For showing empathy to others in the classroom. Well done.                      |
| Room 4 | Louie Baker         | For showing courage in the classroom. Well done.                                |
| Room 5 | Avitaj Sangha       | For working hard to learn his letters and their sounds. Keep it up!             |
| Room 5 | Ameera Stevenson    | For her positive attitude towards her work. Keep it up!                         |
| Room 6 | Rooth Jayamaha      | For settling so well into our classroom   |
| Room 6 | Carter Cowley       | Your "on to it" maths thinking this week  |
| Room 7 | Aston Burt          | For seeking feedback and support to complete his enviro beautification project. |
| Room 7 | Ashleigh McLaren    | For achieving her writing goal by producing a solid level 3 piece of writing.   |
| Room 8 | Jackson Connolly    | For being an active learner and showing creativity with his writing.            |
| Room 8 | Ella Wen            | For being an active learner and showing great progress in maths.                |
| Room 9 | Nihil Maharaj       | For being an active learner and making excellent progress in mathematics.       |
| Room 9 | Chloe Gyde          | For showing empathy and helping to put up our photography display.              |

## Values

### Term 4

| Week 3                |        |   |
|-----------------------|--------|---|
| Malachi Buckle        | Room 1 | For demonstrating the value of <b>active learning</b> . |
| Liam Short            | Room 2 | For demonstrating the value of <b>respect</b> .         |
| Zaylee van den Heever | Room 3 | For demonstrating the value of <b>empathy</b> .         |
| Shia Paterson         | Room 4 | For demonstrating the value of <b>empathy</b> .         |
| Summer Martin         | Room 5 | For demonstrating the value of <b>respect</b> .         |
| Van MacDonald-Hooper  | Room 6 | For demonstrating the value of <b>active learning</b> . |

|                 |        |   |
|-----------------|--------|---|
| Druvi Patel     | Room 7 | For demonstrating the value of <b>active learning</b> . |
| Jaxson Williams | Room 8 | For demonstrating the value of <b>active learning</b> . |
| Ernie Young     | Room 9 | For demonstrating the value of <b>active learning</b> . |

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|---------------|--------|---|
| <b>Week 2</b> |        |   |
| Karish Bhagat | Room 2 | For demonstrating the value of <b>respect</b> .         |
| Piper McNabb  | Room 3 | For demonstrating the value of <b>respect</b> .         |
| Te Aria Kingi | Room 4 | For demonstrating the value of <b>empathy</b> .         |
| Kabir Hari    | Room 5 | For demonstrating the value of <b>respect</b> .         |
| Luke Vann     | Room 6 | For demonstrating the value of <b>courage</b> .         |
| Tyler Akania  | Room 7 | For demonstrating the value of <b>active learning</b> . |
| Kade Calnan   | Room 8 | For demonstrating the value of <b>active learning</b> . |
| Aja Jessop    | Room 9 | For demonstrating the value of <b>active learning</b> . |

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|---------------------|--------|---|
| <b>Week 1</b>       |        |   |
| Lexi Viljoen        | Room 1 | For demonstrating the value of <b>active learning</b> . |
| Kit De Zoete        | Room 2 | For demonstrating the value of <b>respect</b> .         |
| Aroha Bhagat        | Room 3 | For demonstrating the value of <b>empathy</b> .         |
| Cohen O'Brien       | Room 4 | For demonstrating the value of <b>empathy</b> .         |
| Yuvaan Narayan      | Room 5 | For demonstrating the value of <b>empathy</b> .         |
| Blake Oulton-Hewitt | Room 6 | For demonstrating the value of <b>active learning</b> . |
| Billie-May Murphy   | Room 7 | For demonstrating the value of <b>active learning</b> . |
| Anna Haldane        | Room 8 | For demonstrating the value of <b>active learning</b> . |
| Peyton Martin       | Room 9 | For demonstrating the value of <b>active learning</b> . |

# REACH

## TOP VALUES EARNERS FOR TERM 3



ABSENT  
Belle paki



ABSENT  
Sean parkes



Congratulations to these amazing students who were the top values earners for their class last term!



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# REACH

## SUPER STUDENT VALUES VOUCHER AWARDS



ABSENT  
Sean Parkes



ABSENT  
Cooper Wiseman



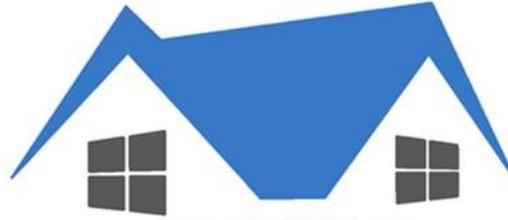
Congratulations to all our students who have recently earned all of the REACH Values Cards and were able to use their voucher at the Values Shop.



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