

ROSEHILL SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



Room 6 loves our weekly visits from our Kaiārahi i te Reo, Mere. She sings beautiful waiata and we let it flow through our bodies. This picture says it all. Nadine

Kia ora, Talofa, Malo e lelei, Namaste, Nǐhǎo, Xin chao, As-sallamu 'alaikum, Sat Sri Akaal, Mabuhay!

Our teachers are very pleased that so many of our whānau have come along to PLP meetings.

They love sharing their students' progress and successes, and learning about what parents want for their child. This is the first time we have had the Great C's in PLPs. We appreciate it when whānau support how we can help support what is happening at home.

We have a staff only day on the 18th August. Teachers and therapists are going to the specialist school conference. All the Auckland specialist schools will be there and will be sharing ideas and innovations from their schools. Our Education Assistants will have a training day at base school, learning about healthy active learning, healthy eating and cultural competencies. ~ Gill

REMINDERS

Friday 18 August

- Please note that this is a staff only day.
- Taxis will be cancelled on this day.

Wed 6 September

- Whānau and Caregivers morning tea - please see details on the next page

Friday 22 September

- Last day of term 3

Monday 9 October

- First day of term 4

He waihanga ara whakahihiri, kia angitu ai

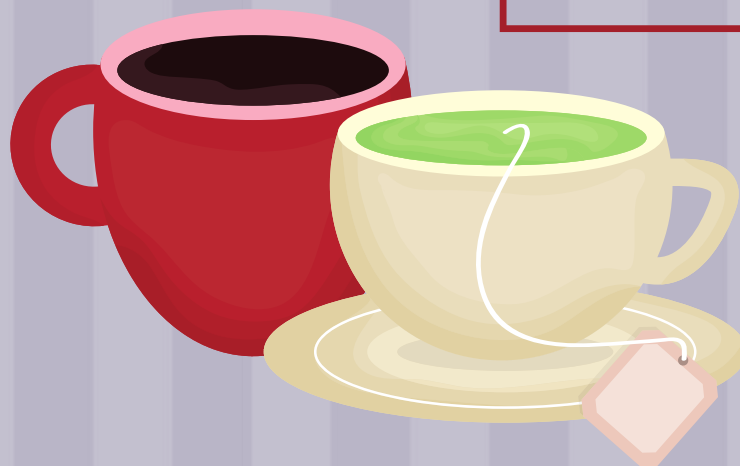


Whānau Morning Tea

You are invited to our second
caregivers morning tea for 2023

A fantastic opportunity to
connect with the Rosehill
team and other caregivers,
learn new things, and enjoy a
delicious morning tea in good
company.

“ Including guest speakers!
Tiare Ashin
Family-Whānau Liaison
at IHC
and
**Speech Language
Therapist Team**
Rosehill School
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Wed 6 September

From 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Rosehill School Staffroom

48-52 Rosehill Drive Papakura 2113

RSVP Wed 23 Aug

Judy 021 569 306 or

email: pa@rosehill.school.nz

Meet Our Team



Theo Pratt

Kia ora,

My name is Theo, and I am excited to start my journey of working at Rosehill as an Occupational Therapist. I have been working in the special school setting for 7 years as a teacher aide and now as an Occupational therapist for 2 years.

My passion is to support students to access and be part of their local communities doing activities that are meaningful to them.

I am a lover of the outdoors, tree planting, cheese making and yoga.



Shani Vythilingam

Kia ora koutou,

My name is Shani and I am an Occupational Therapist joining the wonderful team at Rosehill School. I am a mum to pre-teen boys and have a fur baby tabby cat. I enjoy the beach, exploring new places, and spending time with friends and family.

I am from a beautiful rural area of South Africa called Drakensburg and have lived in other parts of the country too. I moved to NZ over 20 years ago and am a fence sitter when the All Blacks play the Springboks as both places are home!

I look forward to working alongside you all and getting to know all our lovely tamariki.



LorienCare (Care) Gumawang

Kia ora and Mabuhay to all!

LorienCare Gumawang is my name; you can call me CARE for short. Rosehill School has recently appointed me as a teacher. I am passionate about teaching and am looking forward to sharing my knowledge and experiences with the students. I believe in creating a positive learning environment where students can explore and develop their skills.

I am excited to be part of the Rosehill School family!



Actively engaged with Nature...

Base Room 6 recently enjoyed a visit from Gill in her role as WSL. Using a variety of natural resources children were given time to actively explore and engage, using all their amazing senses. Students actively engaged in touching, exploring and noticing the natural resources presented in front of them.





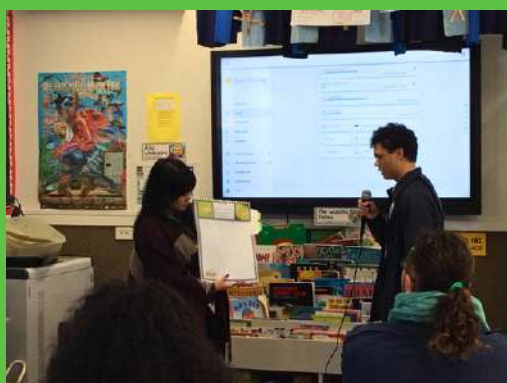


Trip to Equalize event at the FIFA fan zone in Auckland city: What a special day we had meeting Dame Valerie Adams, four time World Champion shot put Athlete and inspirational speaker. We realised that we had some special connections to her and her message as a wahine toa. We also had fun exploring around Auckland's waterfront before the event. We are very grateful to be able to go on this trip today also with our friends from Kakapo and Weka. Thank you Rachel Keating for organising this for us all! Suzanne and Rashid



In JC Kakapo, whānau were treated to video, stories, waiata, and students shared their goals for the year and heartfelt messages to those who have passed on.

Of course, a delicious feast was enjoyed by everyone at the end! Mānawatia a Matariki!
Rachel



Mānawatia a Matariki

Today was a special morning for Greenmeadows Intermediate. We had special guests visit from Rosehill Intermediate and shared a lovely Matariki morning together. Each class presented some work and a waiata. We then topped the morning off with some delicious shared kai and a game out on the school turf. It was so good to meet new people and see old friends. Everyone really enjoyed themselves!

'Waiho i te toipoto, kaua i te toiroa'

Let us keep close together, not wide apart





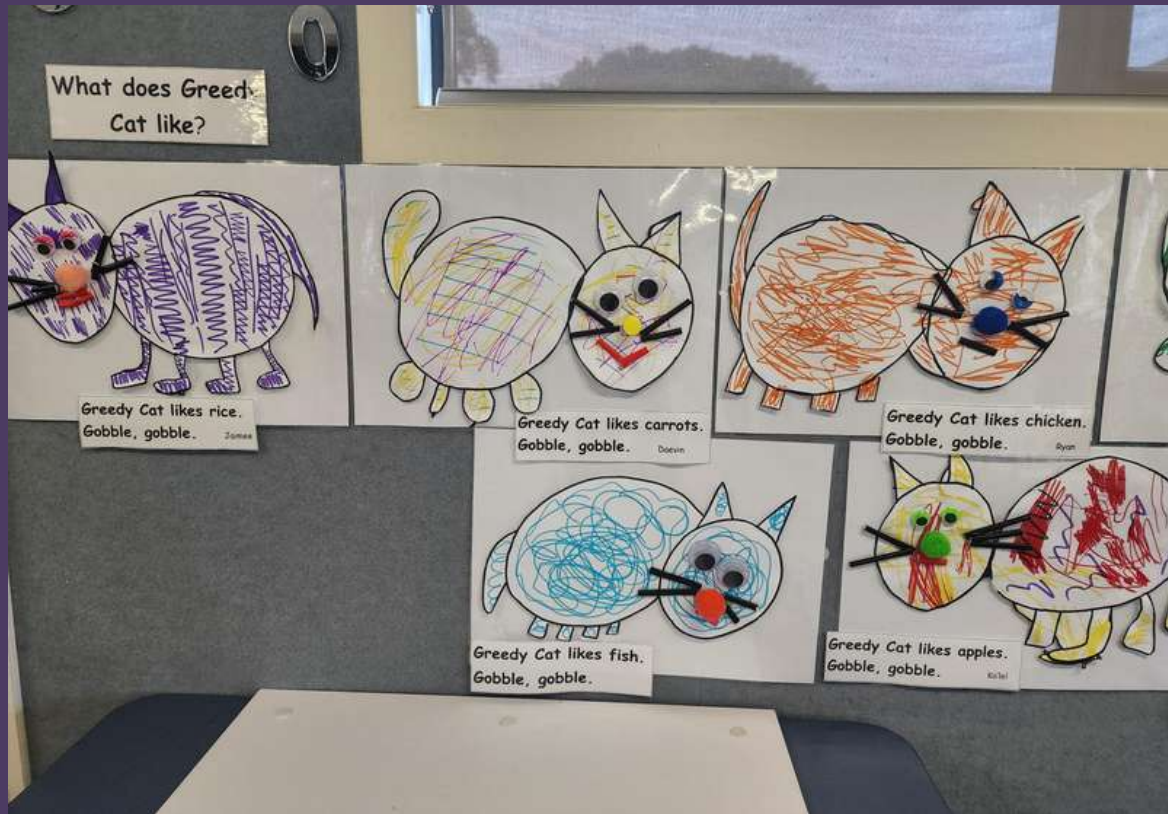
Base 5 made Matariki kites and flew them outside. The students screen printed images of Pōhutukawa, and made Matariki stars. We held our Matariki morning tea celebration this week. Tiana activated a switch which had the kai karakia recorded on it. The food was delicious! Happy Matariki!!





Manurewa East D3 tamariki read the book 'Greedy Cat' during shared reading. We then chose pictures of food that the 'Greedy Cat' liked to eat in the book. After this we coloured our own 'Greedy Cat' by holding the pen and making pre-writing shapes (lines, dots, circles, crosses & zigzag) during our 'Write Dance' session. Then we talked and role played with cat puppets what 'Our Greedy Cat' likes to eat. We then formed sentences using 'Predictive Chart Writing' during our writing time.

We had lots of fun during Reading and Writing this week.



Healthy Active Learning with Multiball



Kia ora koutou! Tracey-Lee (Healthy Active Learning) has arranged for us to have a loan of the Multiball system for the term.

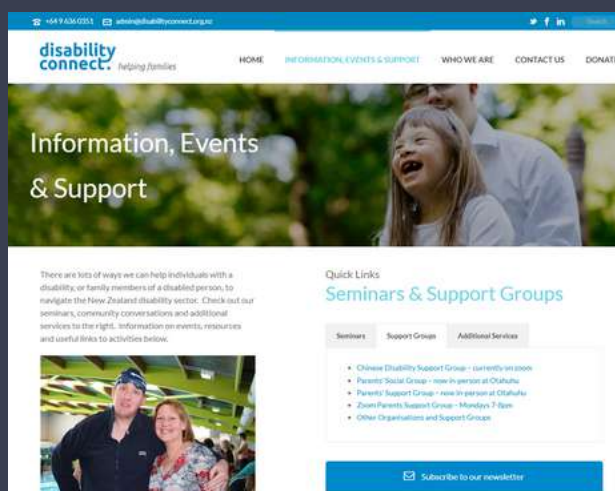
Base 11 students had fun last week with the MultiBall. They played a game in which they looked at colours and numbers.

Matching items can be a fun and active learning game! ~ Paul

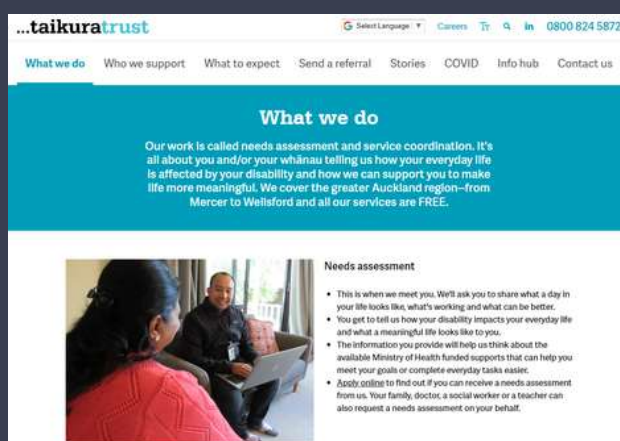


**Our students have
enjoyed having Life
Education at our school!**

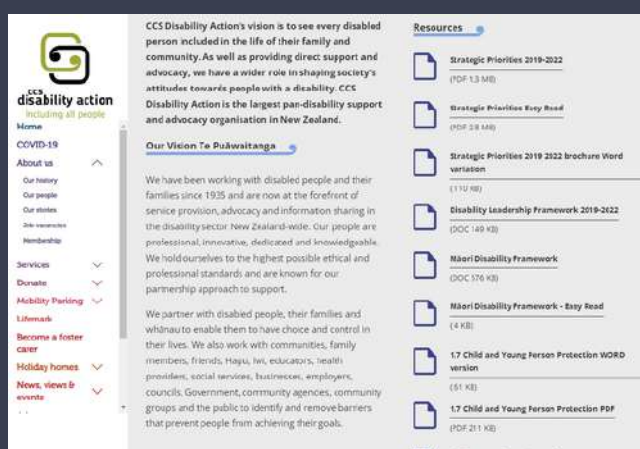
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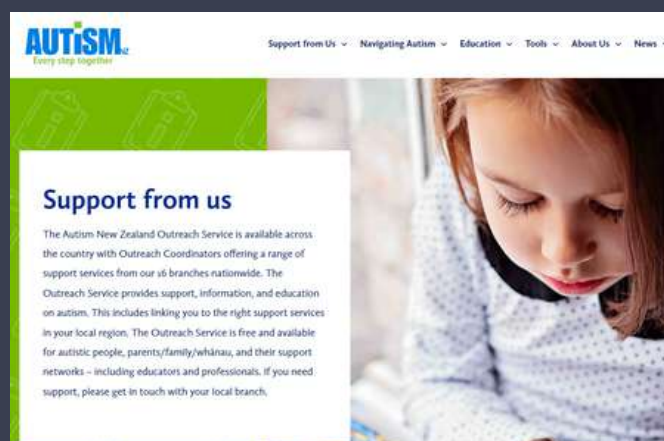
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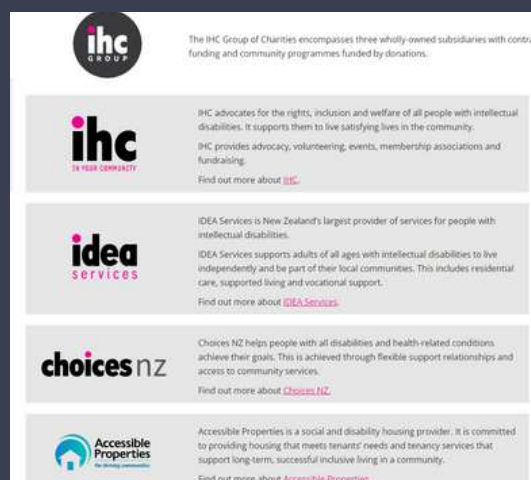
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