## NORTH STREET SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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#### Kia ora whānau

We are a Positive Behaviour for Learning school and expect all students to uphold our school values at home and at school - Respect, Excellence, Acceptance, Creativity and Honesty. These are explicitly taught in each class weekly and are interwoven into all curriculum areas. We have noticed in the past week a few students pushing these boundaries. Disrespect, name calling and other forms of bullying will not be tolerated. Parents will be called and behavioural contracts will be put in place. We expect school to be a safe place for all tamariki.

We have some exciting projects in the pipeline for 2024, including improvements in our outdoor environment and a revamp of the library block. We intend to develop this block into a Modern Learning Hub that includes STEAM activities

We will continue to receive school lunches for every child every day, as part of the MOE Healthy School Lunches Programme. Compass will cater for our kura on a Monday, Wednesday and Friday, Tuesday is Subway and Thursday is Pita Pit. We have been very impressed with the food thus far.

This term will be action packed so keep your Term 1 calendar handy to keep up with events. We look forward to a productive year.

Nga mihi nui

Jo Reiri Principal

#### **School Uniforms**

Our shipment of polo shirts and polar fleeces has arrived. Pricing as below Polo shirts - \$30.00 Polar Fleeces - \$46.00



William had his first night of being on the track racing his mini stock on Saturday night at Robertson Holden Speedway. He completed 2 races. Ka pai William!





Thanks to Emily, Sarah and Whaea Choppie for volunteering this morning outside Feilding New World, collecting for Arohanui Hospice. Please support them if you are in the area, after all it is a very worthy cause.



Jayden is enjoying EPIC Drumming this term. Our year 7 and 8 students have a lesson every Monday this term. We look forward to their performance at the end of the term.

Our bank account details for online payments is as follows: NSS BOT 03-0626-0643630-000. If you are wishing to make a regular payment this will go into your account and can be used throughout the year. Please use your child's name as a reference, or see Kim in the office.

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### What's on Week 5 26 February – 1 March

#### MONDAY

Whole School Dance – Sio PPW Swimming Epic Music Drumming TUESDAY Cactus Life Skills/Mentoring Matua Jon Elite Touch Rugby WEDNESDAY Epic Music Lesson Year 7/8 Swimming – Makino Music with Matua Tommy Epic Music Lessons THURSDAY Cactus



# STEAM Hub at NSS

This year we have opened a STEAM Hub at North Street School with all tamariki having a full day each term to learn and explore. This terms focus is plants.









Hi, we are from Room 14 and today we did STEAM! We learnt about plants and how they grow. We had lots and lots of fun and hope we get to do it again soon. Mrs Jeric lets us do fun activities all day long. From Marlee and Yasmin