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'The Broadlands Bulletin'

Term 4

Week 4 - Friday 11 November

Awards from Week 4 Friday 11 November



Ruma Tahī

Zachariah Wills

For your improvement in Maths.

Ryan Allan

For your improvement in Maths.

Eden Gallacher

For your improvement in Maths.

Ruma Rua

Owen Waller

For your excellence and ability to explain your maths thinking and the strategies you use.

Rico Riddle

For your focus and progress in maths learning about money.

Jade Hirst

For the continued improvement with reading, especially answering the comprehension questions.

Ruma Toru

Mason Hutton

For your resilience and creativity working with words that rhyme.

Jadyn Young

For your perseverance and excellence in all areas of your Maths. Ka pai!

Ruma Wha

Cheyne Te Moni

For the positive determination you have with your Maths knowledge.

Flynn Reid

For the perseverance you have in your Maths strategy when solving a number problem.



Forthcoming Events - Term 4:

Wednesday 16 November - School Athletics Sports & Book Fair starts this week

Friday 18 November - Grandparents' & Friends' Day (am) & Market Day (pm only)

Tuesday 22 November - Cluster Athletics Sports (details to follow)

Monday 28 November - Spelling Bee (whole school) - 11.00am / Room 2

Tuesday 29 November - PTA Meeting 6pm

Thursday 1 December - Flower Show (details below)

Thursday 1 December - *BOT* meeting #8, 6.00pm

Friday 9 December - PTA Disco (details below)

Tuesday 13 December - *Awards Assembly* - Broadlands Hall, 1.45pm
(Awards for progress, achievement, leadership & service to Broadlands School)

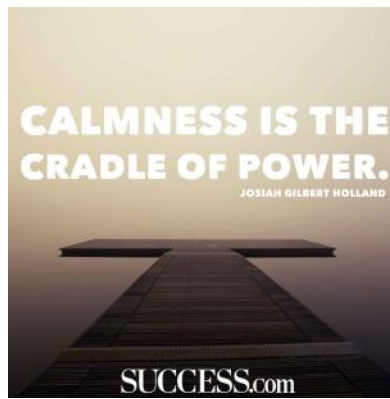
Wednesday 14 December - *Prize Giving* - Reporoa Hall, 6.00pm

Thursday 15 December - Last day of Term 4 / 2022

The complete list at this time



From the Desk of the Tumuaki - *Ngā mihi nui, ki a koutou*



Athletics Update

We now have new sand in our long jump pit.

Thank you to **Roger Stoddart** for your time and for organising the equipment for last weekend; to **CTL** for use of their loader and to **Josh Carston** for the use of his tip trailer.

We look forward to seeing many of you at next week's **Athletics Sports** on **Wednesday 16 November**.



Footwear

Crocs are fast becoming a bit of a fashion item! That's great, but if crocs are to be worn to school, they need to be **black!**



Spelling Bee

'Essential List' words to learn at the appropriate age levels are now being provided to those students who have been selected by their teachers as being capable and resilient enough to be able to face the challenge of a spelling bee competition.

FYI, this involves standing up in front of others and spelling words called out by the 'judge' aka Mr Taylor one-by-one to see who can go as far as possible!

Your encouragement and support from home will be appreciated.



Trophies

Can we please have ALL trophies returned for the Prize Giving from 2021 ASAP



Term Dates 2023

At the Board of Trustees' meeting on **Wednesday 2 November**, the following term dates for 2023 were formally approved:

- **Term 1:** Thursday 2 February - Thursday 6 April (90 half-days)
- **Term 2:** Monday 24 April - Friday 30 June (96)
- **Term 3:** Monday 17 July - Friday 22 September (100)
- **Term 4:** Monday 9 October - Friday 15 December (100)

These dates meet the Ministry of Education's requirement for NZ primary schools to be open for 386 half-days of instruction.

Please diary these now for your future planning.

Prior to opening, the teaching staff begin 2023 with three Teacher Only Days including two full days on storytelling and the new Aotearoa NZ Histories Curriculum.



School Athletics Sports - **NEXT WEEK!**

We look forward to seeing you on **Wednesday 16 November**.

As next week is very busy, we will be holding our annual House tug-o-war competition during the following week from Tuesday, at lunch-times around 1.00pm; both with Junior (Year 1-3) and Senior (Year 4-6) teams.



Grandparents' & Friends' Day - **NEXT WEEK!**

Although disappointingly not held over the last two years, we look forward to hosting our guests to Broadlands School on **Friday 18 November**.

Invitations and a programme will be sent out over the coming weeks (possibly for you to pass on). If there are no grandparents, then a special friend can be invited.

Respectfully, this is a morning for grandparents and friends, and not our parents/caregivers. It is THEIR special day, so we ask that you respect this requirement. BUT, you are welcome to come in for the Market Day in the afternoon from say 1.30pm.

Morning Tea

As is customary when hosting, we would appreciate offers of morning tea provided and hosted by the students of Broadlands School.

Items can be delivered to the staffroom before 9.30am Friday.



Scholastic Book Fair **NEXT WEEK!**

Our annual **Book Fair** is being held in **Room 5** between **Wednesday 16 November** and **Friday 2 December**. All classes will have an opportunity to look through the fair once it is all set up and if they wish, write a 'Wish List'.

A percentage of all books sold are used to buy the school new library books.



Flower Show **HEADS UP #3!**

Junior Students Year 1,2,3		Senior Students Year 4,5,6
Button-hole		Button-hole
Cut Flower – one bloom		Cut Flower – one bloom
Decorated Sand Saucer		Aqua Flower
Floating Arrangement		Floating Arrangement
Miniature Arrangement		Miniature Garden/Park/Farm
Unusual Container		Unusual Container
Vegetable Creation		Vegetable Creation
Wild or Garden Flower Collection		Floral Arrangement
		Wild Flower Collection

This year's **Flower Show** in the Broadlands Hall will be held on **Wednesday 30 November**.

Each child will be encouraged to make several of the above items. All displays **MUST** be made at school rather than at home. Children are responsible for providing all flowers and equipment.

Sand for the sand saucers will be provided at school.

Parents may drop the children's flowers, etc to the Hall before 9.00am – but (because all items are being judged) the children will be expected to work on their arrangements without parent assistance.

It is appreciated that many parents encourage their children to practise their arrangements at home before the event – however, in the interests of fairness to all concerned, prepared exhibits brought to School on the day **will not** be accepted for judging.

Each child will need to bring the following materials to complete his/her exhibits to school on Wednesday morning and all the leftover materials and dishes taken home with them after school

Please make sure that any containers are unbreakable and named.

REPOROA COMMUNITY ATHLETIC CLUB

FRIDAY NIGHTS

18th & 25th NOVEMBER

2nd & 9th DECEMBER

START UP AGAIN END OF JANUARY 2023

6pm to 6.45pm	5 to 12years	Primary Age
6.45pm to 7.30pm	13 and above	College Age

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Broadlands students only
Children must be signed in & out
Purchase funny money at the door
Parents welcome to stay and help

Ka kite ano

Graeme, Debra, Traleenah, Jess, Emma, Sophie, Lucy, Karla, Halei, Maureen, Kate & Kasey

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