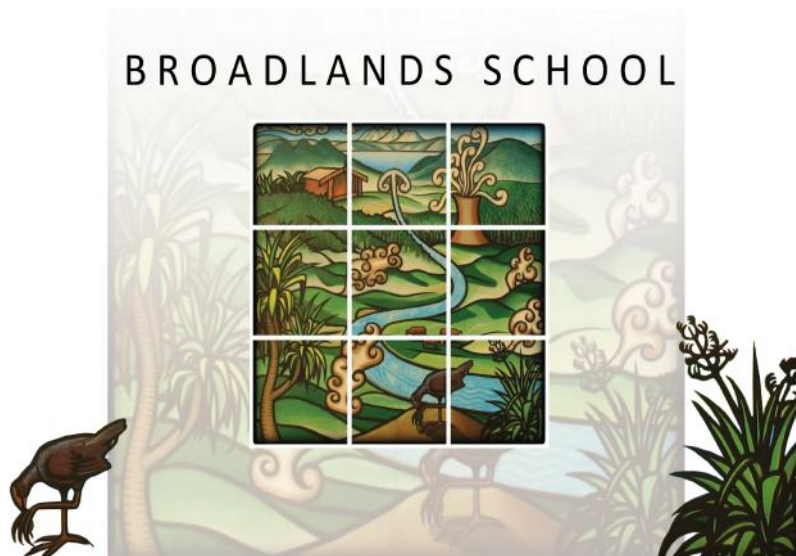


**Please...read the Bulletin! If you're reading this, then well done!
Remember... 'opting out' is not an option we offer at Broadlands
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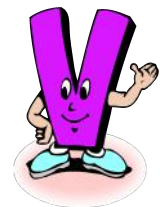
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'The Broadlands Bulletin'

Term 1

Week 8 - Thursday 29 March 2024



Awards from Week 8 - 25 March - 28 March 2024

Ruma Tahī

Jack Lee

For your awesome attitude at Tabloid Sports.

Solenn Bell

For your awesome attitude at Tabloid Sports.

Ruma Rua

Sophia Montero

For your effort and progress with reading. Keep up the great work!

Emma Snowdon

For your consistent effort in all areas of learning.

Lopini Tangitau

For your consistent effort in all areas of learning.

Ruma Toru

Fergus Lee

For participating in tabloids and giving every event his best go! Well done, Fergus.

Charlotte Manville

For always showing a positive attitude towards your learning in class. Keep it up!

Lucian McCormick

For always helping other people in and out of class. Well done.

Ruma Whā

Jordan Purvis

For the kindness you show towards our new five year olds in class.

Ollie Fell

For the positive determination to participate in our junior Kapa Haka group.

Ruma Rima

Estelle Bullock

For displaying responsibility by doing all of your morning jobs.

Audrey Axtens

For displaying responsibility by doing all of your morning jobs.



Key Dates - Term 1 2024

Friday 29 March - Good Friday

School closed

Monday 1 April - Tuesday 2 April - Easter Monday & Easter Tuesday

School closed

Wednesday 3 April to Friday 5 April - Year 5 / 6 MiCamp

Monday 8 April to Wednesday 10 April, Learners' Conferences (details provided ready to return)

Thursday 11 April - BOT Meeting in the Staffroom, 6.00pm

Friday 12 April - Book Character Day

Friday 12 April - Term 1 ends

Monday 29 April - Term 2 begins



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



Learner Conferences - Term 1 - FINAL ARRANGEMENTS'

Learner Conference confirmed times have been sent out today. Please get in touch with Kasey / Office if you would like to make any changes and we will try our best to adjust this for you. We look forward to seeing you all.

I / Graeme will also be available throughout the conferences if you would like to chat before or after your conference(s).

teacher
+
parent

a child's
STRONGEST
advocate



Cluster Tabloid Sports

As staff, we were delighted with the **99%** attendance at the Cluster Tabloid Sports yesterday! Most are wanting so much to achieve **100%** so that they can be awarded the 'Participating & Contributing' Medal at the end of the year!



CLASS FAMILY Seesaw Posts

Many of you actively take up the great opportunity to share in the joy of your child's learning online through Seesaw.

During the term, you will have received many posts of your child's learning in real-time...as it happens. But also, over the coming days, you will receive important information on where your child is at in the areas of:

Maths Strand - Measurement (length & area)
Literacy Reading - Reading level and comment about fluency
Health and PE - Water Skills and Swimming
Social Science - A Sense of Place
The Arts - Visual

Please take the time to read these, and comment, as this information will feed nicely into the Learner Conference discussions in Week 10.



It's Nitting Time!

Oh! Those dastardly creatures have made a come-back. A fact sheet is attached FYI.

Please check at home over Easter and treat if required. One effective preventative measure at school is that girl's hair must be tied back whisky at school.

Head lice

What are head lice?

Head lice are small, flat insects that live and lay eggs on the human scalp. They are sometimes called nits, kutis, kutu bugs, utu or riha. They live on the hair and feed by sucking blood from the scalp. They are pale grey (before feeding) and reddish brown (after feeding). They can look like grains of sand or dandruff. Head lice do not carry or pass on disease.

Who can get head lice?

Anyone can get head lice. They are a common problem and cause concern and frustration for parents and children. Catching head lice has nothing to do with poor hygiene.

How do people get head lice?

People get head lice from head to head contact with someone who already has head lice. This can easily happen when children play or sleep together and their heads touch. Head lice can only crawl from hair to hair. They can't fly or jump from head to head. Head lice only survive on humans. They die quickly when they are not on the head, usually within 24 hours.

How do I check for and treat head lice?

Head lice can live all over the head but particularly like warm places behind the ears, around the bottom of the hair line, and on top of the head. Treatment of head lice is usually by physical methods (wet combing) or chemical/herbal treatments. You don't need to buy expensive products to get rid of head lice. You can buy a fine-tooth head lice comb from your pharmacy. See instructions on the following page. If you choose to use a chemical or herbal treatment, speak to your pharmacist, doctor or nurse for advice about what treatment to use and how to use it. Never use fly spray, kerosene or treatments intended for animals – these may harm children and adults.

If you find live head lice or eggs on your child's scalp, use the wet comb method to get rid of as many nits as soon as you can. Remember to check everyone in the house for nits as well. Use the wet comb method every day on everyone who has nits. You can stop once you find no lice or eggs for 3 days in a row. Check the hair of everyone in the house twice a week for the next 2 weeks to make sure everyone stays clear.

Check for lice and eggs whenever you are brushing your child's hair or any time they are scratching their head.

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Head lice - checking and treating with wet comb & conditioner

Wet combing with conditioner and a fine tooth nit comb (without using chemicals) is an effective way to find and remove head lice, if done properly.

It can take up to an hour to remove all live lice and eggs. It depends how thick and long the hair is.



- Make your child comfortable and let them read their favourite book or watch their favourite programme or movie.
- Comb or brush out knots with an ordinary comb. Put lots of conditioner through wet or dry hair.
- Start at the scalp and go all the way down to the hair ends.



- Comb conditioner through hair, using an ordinary comb.



- Change to a fine-tooth head lice comb and comb sections of your child's hair.



- Comb from the roots to the ends of the hair.



- After each comb, wipe the conditioner on to a paper towel or tissue.
- Check the tissue or paper towel for lice and eggs. They're small so look closely!



- Comb every part of the head, section by section. Comb each section at least 4 or 5 times before moving on to the next section.
- Rinse out conditioner.
- If you find lice or eggs, repeat these steps every day until you find no lice for 3 days in a row.
- Check the hair of everyone in the house twice a week for the next 2 weeks to make sure everyone stays clear.

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School Sores

School sores (impetigo) are about at the moment! **Please read the link fact sheet below.**

Should they arise, please keep your child home from school until one day after the start of treatment. Make sure the dressings completely cover their sores.

<https://www.health.govt.nz/your-health/conditions-and-treatments/diseases-and-illnesses/impetigo-school-sores>



Board of Trustees Secretary ??LAST CHANCE??

The Broadlands School Board of Trustees requires the services of a Board Secretary for 2024. If you believe you possess the necessary qualities of being a quick learner, a great listener, incredibly confidential and an accurate Minute taker, then come and have a chat with Graeme ASAP to discuss the role in more detail.

We have eight meetings a year / two per term, usually on a Thursday evening. A payment of **\$55.00**/meeting is payable. Our next meeting is at **6.00pm** on **Thursday 11 April**.

BOOK CHARACTER DAY



On **Friday 12 April**, our last day of Term 1, we are again going to celebrate well-known characters in literature with a **BOOK CHARACTER DAY**.

We would like everyone to be involved in some way...big or small. There is no judgement. Here are a few pics for some ideas, but you can easily Google for more.

Ngā manaakitanga ki a koutou

Graeme

Do you have an unwanted, old shirt that you could donate to school?

We are **NEEDING** 20 x shirts for students to wear when they are doing art.

WANTED



Broadlands healthy, active students participating at Reporoa Cluster Tabloid Sports.





House to Rent

Do you know of a house up for rent in the area or Taupo?
We have a family who are looking for a house to call home.
If you do or know of someone who does please give Kasey a call at the office.



Waipa isite Easter Egg Hunt
10am - 2pm
Saturday 30 March

- Easter Egg Hunt
- Colouring in Competition
- Delicious Food and Drinks
- Balloon Animals
- Live Music
- Face Painting
- Arts and Crafts for sale
- Outdoor Games
- Awesome Prizes



Community Oral Health

Please see the attached list of schools our dental teams are located. Whānau, please call our 0800 number if your child requires an appointment. We are also open during the school holidays and are usually based at Rotorua Intermediate and Selwyn School dental clinics. We are open Monday to Friday 8am to 4pm.

If you want to book in your high school student (Years 9-13), please see the list of private dentists below.



DENTISTS PROVIDING FREE DENTAL TREATMENT FOR ADOLESCENTS

Below is a list of dentists who provide free dental services to adolescents up to 18 years of age under the Oral Health Agreement contract.

You will need to phone and check whether the dentist has vacancies for new patients. Please note, some dentists may only enrol adolescents whose parents are enrolled with them.

Rotorua Dentists	Address	Phone
Absolute Dental	164 Old Taupo Road, Rotorua	07 348 3882
Absolute Dental	284 Main Road, Ngongotaha, Rotorua	07 357 2280
Complete Dental	Caudwell Bldg, 1203 Tutanekai St, Rotorua	07 348 4288
Lakes Care Dental	1172 Arawa St, Rotorua	07 348 8888
Lumino Rotorua	1206 Ranolf Street, Rotorua	07 348 4787
Lumino Haupapa	1178 Haupapa St, Rotorua	07 348 8286
Lynmore Junction Dental	PU 6, 356 Te Ngae Road, Rotorua	07 215 9889
Manaaki Ora (Tipu Ora)	Houkotuku Street, Ohinemutu, Rotorua	07 348 9613
Modern Dental	1172 Arawa Street, Rotorua	07 348 3895
Team Dental Rotorua	5 Tarawera Road, Rotorua	07 222 5053
The Dentists - Pukaki	1125 Pukaki Street, Rotorua	07 348 5385
Taupo Dentists	Address	Phone
A&K Ventures –Kelsi ANder	127 Spa Road, PO Box 263, Taupo	07 378 9069
Berry, Rhonda Anne	129 Heuheu St, Taupo	07 378 4637
Chapman, Dr Kathryn	100 Tuwharetoa St, Taupo	07 377 0800
Chilukuri Dental	Cnr Heuheu and Fletcher Street	07 378 7540
Mathai Dental	118 Tuwharetoa St, Taupo	07 377 2547
O'Brien, Dr David	100 Tuwharetoa St, Taupo	07 377 0800
Rojido de Pazzelli, Dr Laura	Koru Dental – 7 Robinson Terrace, Taupo	TBA
Stutz, Dr Bruno	108 Tuwharetoa St, Taupo	07 378 0024
The Dentists - Taupo	7 Motutaiko St, Taupo	07 378 8112
Wilcox, Dr Nick	127 Spa Rd, PO Box 1423, Taupo	07 378 8005
Absolute Mobiles	Taupo-nui-a-Tia College and Tauhara College	021 243 8522
Turangi Dentists	Address	Phone
Jayaweera, Dr Yathendra	69 Tamamutu House, Turangi	07 386 8966

Please note: Orthodontic treatment or straightening of teeth IS NOT included under the Oral Health Agreement for Adolescents (Age 13-18)

COMMUNITY ORAL HEALTH SERVICE

Te Whatu ora Lakes

COHS Clinic Status and Location of Mobile Dental Unit.

	2024 – Term 1
Rotorua Fixed Dental Clinic	
Rotorua Intermediate Dental Clinic	Open
Selwyn School Dental Clinic	Closed
Westbrook Dental Clinic	Open
Western Heights Dental Clinic	Open
Mokoia Intermediate Dental Clinic	Open
Rotorua Mobile Dental Unit	
Moerangi Mobile Dental Unit	St Marys Primary School
Rangitoto Mobile Dental Unit	Kaitao Intermediate School (moving soon tbc)
Horopito Mobile Dental Unit	Closed
Kawakawa Mobile Dental Unit	Ruamata
Taupō Fixed Dental Clinic	
Taupō Hospital Campus Dental Clinic	Open
Taupō Primary School Dental Clinic	Closed
Taupo Mobile Dental Clinic	
Taupō Moana Mobile Dental Unit	Mountview Primary School
Tūrangi Fixed Dental Clinic	
Tongariro School	Open

**Closed Clinic (temporary) staff supporting mobile dental units or dental programs.

If tamariki require a dental check-up or parents have questions, please encourage them to contact the community oral health service and arrange a suitable time for them to be seen.

Ph: 0800 Lakes Teeth number (0800 525 378)

Email: teeth@lakesdhb.govt.nz

Community Oral Health Service

Te Whatu ora Lakes

Ka kite ano

Graeme, Debra, Traleenah, Jess, Felicity, Kylie, Lucy, Karla, Halei, Maureen, Paulette & Kasey

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