

OREWA BEACH SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER



Show Quest Success!

Last week, our talented team dazzled the judges at the Aotea Centre during Show Quest, a prestigious performing arts competition that celebrates the creativity and talent of students from across New Zealand. After months of dedicated rehearsals, our team took to the stage, impressing everyone with their outstanding performance. Their hard work paid off as they won the prize for Best Video and Lighting. We extend our heartfelt thanks to Grace Mills and Sami Wilson for their unwavering commitment and dedication in preparing the students for this stellar performance. Additionally, we are grateful to all the helpers on the day and night, as well as the families who came to support us. Your encouragement and assistance made a significant difference

Matariki Celebrations Friday 28 June

Next Friday, our school will be closed as the nation celebrates Matariki, the Māori New Year. Throughout next week, we will have various activities to honour this special occasion. Your child's teacher will be in touch with more details about the planned events.

Rugby Skills with North Harbour

We are thrilled to have North Harbour Rugby working with our students, providing them with valuable skills and drills sessions. This collaboration offers our students an excellent opportunity to engage in new experiences and enhance their rugby abilities.

Keep Your Pets Healthy and Fundraise for Our School

We've teamed up with the crew at My Rover to support our fundraising efforts through the Pets Of The School (POTS) program. Sign your pets up for regular flea and worm treatments at the same price you pay elsewhere, and up to \$5 from every box sent goes directly to our school. Prices start at \$26.99 per box (or \$2.07 per week), and you can choose from monthly, bi-monthly, or quarterly plans. ALL the profits are sent directly back to our school to help us fundraise, so get your friends and family from all over the country to join in.

For more information and to sign your pets up today, head to: <http://schools.bixxybox.com>

Thank you for your support!

Ngā mihi - Wendy Naidu Tumuaiki/Principal

Desks and Chairs

Due to an upgrade of senior classroom furniture, we now have many of these desks and chairs available for a small donation or for free. We will have a display of these desks and chairs outside the Kowhai room next to Areas 8 and 9 if you would like to have a look at any time that you might be passing. You are more than welcome to take more than one or you might have a contact who knows of a school here or overseas that might like the lot! We are very keen to see them all go. Please pop in to see us at the school office if you are interested.

Many thanks
Murray Barclay



Spare Clothes

Please ensure your child has a spare set of clothes in their bag. With lots of mud around due to rain there is an increasing amount of students slipping. Our supply of spare clothes is very limited. If you have any girls size 10/12/14 t-shirts or shorts or trackpants that you no longer require - please drop off to the office.

Lost Property

If you are missing any clothes, please have a look in the lost property bin located in the junior quad.

Orewa Beach School Term Dates 2025

TERM DATES 2025

- Term 1: Monday 03/2/25 to Friday 11/4/25
- Term 2: Monday 28/4/25 to Friday 27/06/25
- Term 3: Monday 14/7/25 to Friday 19/9/25
- Term 4: Monday 06/10/25 to Tuesday 16/12/25

WHAT'S ON ?

June

- Tue 4th - Thur 27
Dental Van Visit
- Fri 28th Matariki -
School closed

July

- Fri 5th last day of
Term 2
- Fri 5th Red Nose Day
- Mon 22nd First Day of
Term 3
- Mon 22nd
Parent/Teacher
conference
appointments open

August

- Thursday 1st Parent
Conferences 12.50 pm
to 7.30 pm. **Early pick-
up at 12 pm.**

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Great news! We are excited to let you know about Kindo as our new preferred online payment option across the whole school – opening soon. No more queuing at the office, no more searching for the school bank account, no more scrambling for cash! Flexible payment options, anytime, anywhere!

myKindo allows you to take care of all your school payments, permissions, registration forms, and purchase school items. As well as optional purchases, your personalised accounts will also be available via myKindo ! You will be able to see any outstanding payments on your account on the myKindo home page. Plus, for most items, you can choose to pay in full or make a part payment.

If you already have a myKindo or **ezlunch** account, you will be able to use the same account.

myKindo will be open 24/7 and you will be able to change any automatic payments currently going into the school bank account, to go into your myKindo account.

More information to come, so watch this space!

Save Time – Pay Online



New Student Information Evening - Tuesday 20 August

Orewa Arts and Events Centre, Orewa College

An information evening for all parents/caregivers of students enrolling for 2025, including information on academic programmes and co-curricular opportunities. Following the presentation, there will be an opportunity to speak with staff about digital devices, specialist classes, sports, uniforms and enrolment.

Tour Days - Tuesday 27 and Wednesday 28 August 2024

Orewa College is pleased to invite all our new students for 2025, and their caregivers, to register their interest in one of our Tour Days in August. These guided tours will take you through our grounds and give you an opportunity to see students learning and ask any questions you or your students may have. Please complete the form available on our website to register your interest and choose a preferred tour date and time. This form will close at 11.59pm Thursday 22 August

Enrolment - apply now


Visit our website under Information/Enrol to complete an online application. Enrolment interviews will start in September.

Should you have any queries, please contact enrolments@orewacollege.nz

JULY SCHOOL HOLIDAY WORKSHOPS

TUESDAY 9	WEDNESDAY 10	THURSDAY 11	TUESDAY 16	WEDNESDAY 17	THURSDAY 18
TINY DRIFTWOOD VILLAGE  9.30 am to 12.00 pm	AMAZING 3D ANIMAL PORTRAITS  9.30 am to 12.00 pm	LIGHT-UP STARRY NIGHT CANVAS  9.30 am to 12.00 pm	PIXEL ART SCULPTURE  9.30 am to 12.00 pm	SHIMMERING MATARIKI STARS  9.30 am to 12.00 pm	STARRY LANDSCAPE WITH OIL PASTELS  9.30 am to 12.00 pm
COLOURFUL WOOL STARS  9.30 am to 12.00 pm	AMAZING MOSAIC CREATIONS  9.30 am to 12.00 pm		CERAMIC HEART PAINTING MUMS & BUSS - Free entry  9.30 am to 12.00 pm	FELT WOODLAND FRIENDS  9.30 am to 12.00 pm	
LUNCH BREAK from 12.00 to 12.30pm			LUNCH BREAK from 12.00 to 12.30pm		
GLOW-IN-THE-DARK STARRY NIGHT  12.30 to 3.00 pm	DESIGN YOUR UNIQUE PINS  12.30 to 3.00 pm	LIGHT-UP FIREWORKS CANVAS ART  12.30 to 3.00 pm	STARRY NIGHT MEMORIES JAR  12.30 to 3.00 pm	STAINED GLASS FRAMED ART  12.30 to 3.00 pm	ORIGAMI STARS FRAMED ART  12.30 to 3.00 pm
STARS AND MOON WALL MOBILE  12.30 to 3.00 pm	DESIGN YOUR OWN SKETCHBOOK  12.30 to 3.00 pm		DESIGN YOUR OWN TRAVEL GAMES  12.30 to 3.00 pm	PAPER CRAFT & MOBILE MAGIC  12.30 to 3.00 pm	

Estuary Arts Centre - 214B Hibiscus Coast Highway KIDS 5 to 10 y.o. BOOK NOW! at www.estuaryarts.org




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THEME: Kids Choice!

Term 2 Week 8, 17th June 2024

Weekly Activities Plan
Kelly Club Orewa Beach

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
7:00 - 8:15 am	Loom Bands & Structured Free Time	Origami & Structured Free Time	Colouring Comp & Structured Free Time	Bubble Painting & Structured Free Time	Baking & Structured Free Time
8:15 - 8:30 am	Game: Sleeping Lions	Game: Beep Test	Game: Red Light Green Light	Game: Octopus	Game: Non Stop Tag
2:45 - 3:00 pm	Sign In & Structured Free Time	Sign In & Structured Free Time	Sign In & Structured Free Time	Sign In & Structured Free Time	Sign In & Structured Free Time
3:00 - 3:30 pm	Intro & Afternoon Tea Sausage Rolls & Fruit	Intro & Afternoon Tea Sandwiches & Fruit	Intro & Afternoon Tea Noodles & Fruit	Intro & Afternoon Tea Sandwiches & Fruit	Intro & Afternoon Tea Homemade Muffins
3:30 - 3:45 pm	Game: Duck Duck Goose	Game: Pie Eater Tag	Game: Try Not To Laugh	Game: Ring Toss	Game: Simon Says
3:45 - 4:30 pm	DISCOVERY Ghost Slime 	CRAFT Farmyard Animals 	SPORT Space Jam Basketball 	COOKING Party Fudge 	GAME Saturn Ring Toss 
4:30 - 4:35 pm	Tidy Up	Tidy Up	Tidy Up	Tidy Up	Tidy Up
4:35 - 4:50 pm	Snack Time Popcorn	Snack Time Biscuits	Snack Time Shapes	Snack Time Cooking	Snack Time Vege Chips
4:50 - 5:15 pm	Homework & Quiet Time	Homework & Quiet Time	Homework & Quiet Time	Homework & Quiet Time	Homework & Quiet Time
5:15 - 6:00 pm	Game: Jenga & Projects	Game: Charades & Projects	Game: Pacman Tag & Projects	Game: Noodle Tag & Projects	Game: Dodgeball & Projects

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