

# OREWA BEACH SCHOOL

# NEWSLETTER



Kia ora koutou,

As we wrap up another busy term, I'm hopeful we're starting to see more settled weather after being battered by last week's wind and rain. Despite the challenging conditions, our students have shown resilience and dedication in all their activities.

Last Friday, we celebrated the students who participated in winter sports—basketball, netball, and hockey. I had the pleasure of watching some nail-biting basketball finals, and I was impressed by the level of sportsmanship on display. A huge thank you to Mrs. Martens, Mrs. Thornhill, and Mrs. Bryant for organising the pizza party and ensuring the day was a memorable one for all involved.

Our cross-country runners took on a challenging course at Shakespear Park last Thursday, racing not only along the beach but also battling steep hills. It was a tough test of endurance, but our students did us proud with fantastic results and, more importantly, their outstanding sportsmanship. It was heartwarming to see them cheering not only for their schoolmates but for runners from other schools as well.

The Weka team has been hard at work preparing for the annual dance competition, culminating in their formal dance evening this Wednesday. The enthusiasm and energy from the students as they've learned new dances have been a joy to witness. I can't wait to see their hard work come to life on the dance floor!

Last Wednesday's Wheels Day was a roaring success. Over 400 students took to the bike track with an impressive variety of wheels—from bikes to skates to remote-controlled cars. It was wonderful to see the excitement and joy in what can only be described as organised chaos!

Don't forget this Thursday is our fun Dress-Up Day, where students are encouraged to come dressed as something starting with the letter of their name. We're looking forward to another fantastic Orewa Beach School event that will showcase creativity and fun. Special thanks to our student council for coming up with this idea.

Last Friday's PTA Trivia Night was a huge success, with 8 teams taking part in some fierce (but fun) competition. We had some amazing costumes on display, and I know the PTA will be sharing more details soon.

A reminder that Friday, 25th October is a Teacher Only Day. Our staff will be participating in professional development sessions as we prepare for the rollout of the new curriculum documents in 2025.

As we come to the end of Term 3, I'd like to thank our staff, students, and whānau for their ongoing support. Our school motto, He waka eke noa—we are all in this together—continues to guide us as we navigate each term together.

Wishing everyone a safe and restful holiday.

Ngā mihi nui,

Wendy Naidu Tumuaki/Principal

## WHAT'S ON ?

### September

- Wed 25th Weka Comp Dance, Parents and Caregivers need to be seated by 9.30am
- Wed 25th Weka Formal Dance 6.30pm-7.30pm
- Thur 26th Dress Up Day -School Council Event, Come dressed up as something beginning with the first letter of your name.
- Fri 27th Last Day of Term 3

### October

- Mon 14th First Day of Term 4
- Tue 15th and every Tue until Tue 3rd Dec Years 0-3 Swimming Lessons
- Thur 17th and every Thur until Thur 5th Dec Years 4-6 Swimming Lessons
- Fri 18th Winter Sports Celebration (invitation only)
- Wed 23rd Interschool Softball
- Thur 24th Shake It Out Day
- Fri 25th Teacher Only Day
- Mon 28th Labour Day - No School Today

### November

- Fri 1st Gumboot Friday
- Wed 6th Class/Team Photos
- Fri 15th School Disco
- Mon 18th Individual Student Photos
- Tue 26th Year 5 Tramp
- Thur 28th Orewa Beach Has Talent

### December

- Wed 4th and Thur 5th Year 6 Camp
- Fri 6th PTA End of Year BBQ
- Tue 17th Last Day of Term 4 -12pm finish.

### **Absences**

Please ensure you inform the school of your child's absence due to illness or holidays. If you are unable to let us know through the Hero app, please call the Office on 09 426 4849.

## Silverdale Summer Touch (previously Sharks)

If you would like to register your child for touch this year, it can be done by jumping over to the Silverdale Rugby Club website. Alternatively, you can type the following link into your search bar.

<https://silverdale.spawtz.com/registration/leagues>

Registration and payments are made directly to the club.

You can also check on HERO for weekly updates.

### TERM 2024 - DETAILS

Dates: Term 4 - 2024 - Starts Wed 23rd October - Finishes December 11th 2024

Venue: Silverdale Rugby Club

Grades and times: Yr 1/2 4 pm - 4.30 pm Yr 3/4 4 pm - 5.05 pm Yr 5/6 Boys & Girls 4.30 - 5.40 pm

Deadline for ENTRY: As organisers we like to have TEAMS entered by FRIDAY 18th OCTOBER.

Cost: \$50 Per child (payment is required upon registration - please do not pay school)

Duration: 8 full playing weeks. (We do not extend the season and seldom cancel a week)

ENTRY PROCESS: Our draw system and online payment is fully enabled.

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### Change of Clothes






Please ensure your child has a spare change of clothes packed in their bags.

The fields are very wet and muddy and we have a limited supply of spare clothes.

## Wheels Day!

Thank you Orewa Beach School Community very much for your support of The Muscular Dystrophy Association Wheels Day. We raised \$375.40!!



	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
7:00 - 8:15 am	Lego Masters/Lego Towers & Structured Free Time	Target Practice & Structured Free Time	Finger Painting & Structured Free Time	Eiffel Towers & Structured Free Time	Homemade Pikelets & Structured Free Time
8:15 - 8:30 am	Game: Kiwis & Kangaroos	Game: Kids Yoga	Game: Balloon Tag	Game: Limbo	Game: Angry Birds
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 Rice Bubble Cakes & Fruit	Intro & Afternoon Tea Sammies & Fruit	Intro & Afternoon Tea Yoghurt & Fruit	Intro & Afternoon Tea Sammies & Fruit	Intro & Afternoon Tea Pikelets & Fruit
3:30 - 3:45 pm	Game: Human Paper, Scissors, Rock	Game: Duck, Duck, Goose	Game: Toilet Tag	Game: Follow the Sergeant	Game: Cat & Mouse Tag
3:45 - 4:30 pm	<b>DISCOVERY</b> Dominoes World Record 	<b>SPORT</b> Igloo Builders 	<b>COOKING</b> Sandwich Towers 	<b>CRAFT</b> Bucket Tower Challenge 	<b>GAME</b> Balloon Tower Challenge 
4:30 - 4:35 pm	Tidy Up	Tidy Up	Tidy Up	Tidy Up	Tidy Up
4:35 - 4:50 pm	Snack Time Potato Sticks	Snack Time Corn Thins	Snack Time Baking	Snack Time Raisins	Snack Time Muesli Bars
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: Concentration & Projects	Game: Dance Comp & Projects	Game: Doggy Doggy & Projects	Game: Flee Chase & Projects	Game: Foot Volleyball & Projects





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# OCTOBER 2024 HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

OREWA PRIMARY SCHOOL

**General Information:** We believe in giving children opportunities to do the things they love and enjoy in a supportive and encouraging environment. We provide quality childcare in safe and fun surroundings for children out of school. Our holiday programme is focused around sports, games, and outings to local attractions. Our friendly staff are passionate about working with children. They are provided with training on behaviour management techniques, first aid and activity planning/delivery.

**Who can attend:** Children aged 5-13 yrs

**What do you need to bring:** Shoes and appropriate clothing, jacket or sweatshirt, hat, drink bottle and food.

**Food:** Please bring plenty of packed food and drink for morning tea/lunch/afternoon tea. Lunch will be from approximately 12:30pm to 1:00pm each day.

**Programme activities:** Programme activities are adapted to suit children of all ages and children may be grouped by age depending on numbers. Programme activities may vary without notice dependent on weather conditions and programme numbers.

**Payment details:** Payment is required before the holiday programme begins. An invoice will be issued when a completed booking is received. All payment details will be included on the invoice.

**Work and Income OSCAR Subsidy:** Parents / caregivers that meet certain criteria will be able to access a WINZ subsidy to help cover the cost of our programme. For more information visit [www.workandincome.govt.nz](http://www.workandincome.govt.nz)

**Please note:** Every care will be taken to ensure the safety of your child/ren and their property. However, organisers of Kelly Club accept no liability for any injury sustained to your child/ren or any loss or damage to his/her property whilst at a programme. If your child/ren are collected late after the conclusion of the programme you will be charged \$20 per 15 minutes or part thereof.

WEEK 1	<b>Mon 30 September</b>  <b>WILD WILD WEST</b> Howdy partner! Come on down for a good old-fashioned barn dance. There's something for every cowgirl and cowboy!	<b>Tues 1 October</b>  <b>SECRET GARDEN</b> Today we embark on a leisurely stroll through the secret garden, taking in the beauty of the natural surroundings and discovering hidden treasures along the way.	<b>Wed 2 October</b>  <b>AUCKLAND ZOO</b> Join us for an awesome trip day to the Auckland Zoo. Please remember a big lunch, drink bottle, shoes and a hat. \$20 extra for the day.	<b>Thurs 3 October</b>  <b>DIY DAY</b> Turning someone's junk into someone else's treasure. Design it. Construct it. And then test it!	<b>Fri 4 October</b>  <b>GALAXY DEFENDERS</b> Time to save the world against the Empire! Transport yourself to a galaxy far, far away to see if you have what it takes!
	<b>Mon 7 October</b>  <b>ROARING SAFARI!</b> Keep your eyes peeled as we embark on a wild Safari. Triage through the mud, climb over the trees, we wonder what you'll see! Don't worry, there'll be plenty of time for monkeying around.	<b>Tues 8 October</b>  <b>MAKEOVER VS MUDDY</b> Sit back, relax, and pamper yourself with hair, make-up, and nails or get your hands dirty in a muddy adventure. The choice is all yours!	<b>Wed 9 October</b>  <b>DISCO PARTY</b> Who doesn't love a good boogie? Come ready to compete in a dance off as we dance the day away. \$20 extra for the day.	<b>Thurs 10 October</b>  <b>VILLAINS &amp; SIDEKICKS</b> Calling all kids! Let's work together to stop the villains.	<b>Fri 11 October</b>  <b>FREAKY FRIDAY</b> It's going to be a freaky kind of day with challenges that put your bravery to the test!
	<b>FULL WEEK: \$290</b> <b>FULL DAY: \$57</b> <b>SCHOOL DAY: \$47</b> <b>HALF DAY: \$37</b> <b>EVENT DAY: Extra \$20</b> 7am-6pm   7am-6pm   8:30am-3pm   7am-12:30pm or 12:30pm-6pm   (Included in Full Week)				



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## SILVERDALE JUNIOR TOUCH

**TERM 4 TOUCH FOR SCHOOLS**  
**WED 23RD OCT - 11TH DEC**

**COSTS & DETAILS**  
 Grades: Yr 1&2, Yr 3&4, Yr 5&6 Boys, Yr 5&6 Girls, Yr 7&8 Boys, Yr 7&8 Girls  
 Cost: Team \$300 or \$50 per player  
 Times: - yr 1&2s 4pm, yrs 3&4 4pm & 4:30pm, yr 5&6 4:30 & 5:05pm, yr 7&8, 5:05pm & 5:40pm  
 Entries Close: 18th October

**RULES VARIATIONS**  
 Yr1-4: Haff Field & Coach allowed on Field  
 Yr 5-8 - Regular NZ Touch Rules  
 Squad Size - Try for 8 (more touches)  
 Ethos: FUN - Graded divisions so we can have "meaningful" competition.

**HOW TO ENTER!**  
 ONLINE - Follow links [www.silverdalerugby.co.nz](http://www.silverdalerugby.co.nz)  
 SCHOOL - Via your School Sports Co-ordinator

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OREWA SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB

# JUNIOR SURF NEW SEASON ORIENTATION

- Find out about our Sunday program for 3-13 year olds
- Tour the club, meet the team, and ask your questions
- Try on sizes and purchase uniform

**Junior Membership ON SALE until 1 October**  
 Front Entrance Orewa College

**EVENT DATE**  
**29 SEPT 2024**  
 10AM-12PM

Got Questions: [admin@orewasurfclub.co.nz](mailto:admin@orewasurfclub.co.nz)  
[www.orewasurfclub.org.nz](http://www.orewasurfclub.org.nz)

**SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAMME**

Come join us for the October School Holidays!

Ages: 5 - 12 Years old  
 9am- 3pm

**Week 1:**  
 Monday 30th September  
 Tuesday 1st October  
 Wednesday 2nd October  
 Thursday 3rd October  
 Friday 4th October

**Week 2:**  
 Tuesday 8th October  
 Wednesday 9th October  
 Thursday 10th October

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Register via our website: [www.hbcafc.org.nz](http://www.hbcafc.org.nz)

HBC Clubroom: 162 Brightside Rd, Stanmore Bay

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[www.silverdalerugby.co.nz](http://www.silverdalerugby.co.nz)

# OCTOBER SCHOOL HOLIDAY WORKSHOPS

**MONDAY**  
30 SEPTEMBER

**TUESDAY**  
01 OCTOBER

**WEDNESDAY**  
02 OCTOBER

**THURSDAY**  
03 OCTOBER

**MONDAY**  
07 OCTOBER

**TUESDAY**  
08 OCTOBER

**WEDNESDAY**  
09 OCTOBER

**THURSDAY**  
10 OCTOBER

Morning Workshops 9.30 am to 12.00 pm

LIGHT-UP HALLOWEEN CASTLE ART



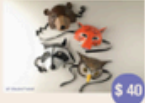
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CUPCAKE BOXES WITH AIR-DRY-CLAY



\$ 40

MAKE YOUR OWN ANIMAL MASK



\$ 40

MAKE YOUR OWN FELT FLOWER POT



\$ 40

HALLOWEEN INSPIRED POP-UP CARDS



\$ 40

MAD HATTER ATELIER



\$ 40

MAKE YOUR OWN MONSTER PENCILCASE



\$ 40

GHOSTS TEALIGHTS WITH AIR-DRY-CLAY



\$ 40

PRINTING IN PLASTER BIRDS AND FRIENDS



\$ 40

HALLOWEEN PUMPKINS WITH AIR-DRY-CLAY



\$ 40

LITTLE MECHANIC MACHINES ART



\$ 40

AMAZING ANIMALS COLLAGE ART



\$ 40

12.00 to 12.30 pm - Supervised lunch break for kids enrolled in both morning and afternoon sessions! NO charges.

Afternoon Workshops 12.30 to 3.00 pm

LIGHT-UP ENCHANTED FAIRY FOREST ART



\$ 40

MAKE YOUR OWN MOSAIC POTS



\$ 40

STORYTELLING WITH DIORAMAS



\$ 40

MAKE YOUR OWN PLUSHIE MONSTER



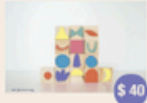
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FAIRY HOUSES WITH AIR-DRY-CLAY



\$ 40

MAKE YOUR OWN CRAZY FACES STAMPS



\$ 40

CREATIVE DRAWING ON PHOTOGRAPHS



\$ 40

HALLOWEEN WOODBLOCK VILLAGE



\$ 40

HOT-AIR BALOON DECORATION



\$ 40

ANIMAL POTS WITH AIR-DRY-CLAY



\$ 40

ABSOLUTELY CRAZY MASKS



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SHADOW THEATRE PUPPETS ART



\$ 40



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KIDS 5 to 10 y.o.



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