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# Greenmeadows School

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### New arrivals at GMS

#### Four new arrivals this week.

Welcome to Sithumi Ellegala, Paulina Feagai-Kingi, Connor Wereta and Tatianna Hussey. It is great to have you as part of our Greenmeadows School community.

#### Message from Mr Gibbs:

Please return all outstanding sports uniforms as soon as possible. (Some are still missing from last year's sports teams)

## **Forthcoming Events**

## Reports

Reports will go home on 27 June.

On line bookings from Monday 16 June on our website.

## **Parent Interviews**

30 June, 1 July



### Dear Parents & Caregivers – Tena koutou katoa

We have survived a long, wet week and the students have managed really well being stuck inside. The muddy field is an attraction for lots of students and some of their uniforms are taking a hammering. Please send a change of clothes for break times if your child loves playing on the grass. A plastic bag to put them in would be great too.

With this wet weather there are more cars dropping students off which creates some problems for the road patrol. Father Peter from St Mary's church has asked that cars don't park on the grass. As the car park is a private one, parents may be denied access to it if we don't respect this request. Thank you for your support in this matter.

Allyson Ross Acting Principal

## Kowhai Visit to MTG

We went to the museum.

The lady let us get dressed up in olden day clothes and we stayed in them.

We made butter and we had it on

sandwiches at morning tea time.

We saw pictures on the wall about the earthquake and there was a dinosaur that was a bird but it had no wings.

There were seatbelts on the bus. We sang songs on the bus and it was very noisy. On the way back we chatted about what our favourite part of the museum was.

Olivia Meynell



I went to see the World Cup Trophy. We got to take our photo with it and the trophy was really big. It was gold and the soccer ball at the top had different colours on it.

We went on the bus to Park Island. We sorted out all the rules so we would keep safe and then we were allowed to play on the inflatable stuff. There were soccer goals, a blow up soccer field and a little thing where you had to shoot a soccer ball at some people. There was another soccer ball that you had to kick in the holes. I didn't do it because it looked too hard but the big kids did. After that, all the kids were allowed to have a shot at goal against an old All White goal keeper called James. I enjoyed it a lot.

Rylan O'Shea







#### **Perseverance**



Joseph McGovern

## Values Medals

## **Excellence**



Tayla David

## Respect



Ella Parnell

Congratulations to our Values Medal Winners. We are proud of you.



# **GMS Principal Awards**

Congratulations to these children who were presented with certificates at assembly last week.



Room 1	Taneesha Driver	Room 2	Ashton Plapp	Room 3	Jack Parker
Room 4	Lily McDonald	Room 5	Kyle Leitch	Room 6	Ayla Pain
Room 7	Carlos Bell	Room 8	Caleb Carlisle	Room 9	<b>Hunter Harris</b>
Room 10	Jessie Taylor	Room 11	Mikaela McSkimming	Room 12	Belle Taylor
Room 13	<b>Abbey Pascoe</b>	Room 14	Holly Lawrence	Room 15	Amber Single-Owen
Room 16	Porche Potgieter	Room 17	Holly Ireland		

## **Parent Interviews**

School will close at 2pm on 30 June and 1 July for parent interviews. Please fill in the form below if you wish your child to be supervised in the hall until 3pm.



\_\_\_\_\_\_ will need to be supervised until 3pm on:

(Please circle) 30 June 1 July

## **Community Notices**

**Easyread:** Worried about your child's reading and spelling? See a massive improvement from 15 minute daily lessons. Call for a free trial today. Guaranteed results or your money back. 0800 777 225 <a href="https://hello@easyread.co.nz">hello@easyread.co.nz</a> or www.easyread.co.nz

## Greendale Swim Student Fitness Squads

For ages 10 – 14 years – intermediate level of swimming ability.

Targeting Surf, Triathlon, General fitness.

Tuesday and Thursday evenings – 7.15 – 8.15pm, Saturday 9 – 10.30am

More days and sessions available in the summer terms.

Programme and coaching available - \$40 per month

For further information please contact Louise Gray – djgray@xtra.co.nz

## **Basketball Hawkes Bay**

7-11 July 2014

Basketball Camp open to all players of all abilities between the ages of 5 – 18. Fun games, awards, free t.shirt, competitions and great coaches.

www.basketballhawkesbay.co.nz admin@basketballhawkesbay.co.nz Ph 833 6215

Rodney Green Centennial Event Centre, Latham Street, Napier

# Message from our road patrollers: Please:

- Indicate early so we know you're turning
- Use the school crossing to help reinforce road safety
- Don't park on the yellow lines
- Don't double park
- Don't park in the disabled car park unless you have a permit.
- Be patient

On wet days it can be chaos outside school. Please help keep our students safe!

