

MENPS News

Te Whare Akoranga o Maungawhau | 27 June, 2019



*Mt Eden Normal
Primary School*



“ Wide-eyed &
ENTHUSIASTIC
about
LEARNING ”

From The Principal

Kia ora koutou

The end of term is rapidly approaching, bringing with it our Term 2 Reports and Conferences. This is a time to take stock of successes and next steps for all of our learners, and an important opportunity for learning-focused dialogue between teachers, parents and students.

I would encourage you to bring your child along to the Conference for Years 4-6 if possible, as they are ultimately the subject of the meeting, so it makes sense for them to have a meaningful role in the discussion (I suspect few adults would be comfortable with their own performance appraisal meeting at work being held without them!). Please also note that conference bookings close tomorrow at 1pm.

The written report you will receive next week supports this conversation as a 'snapshot' overview of learning to date. This will, of course, look different for each child, depending on their emerging skills, interests, abilities and disposition.

Reading through these reports, the indicators for effort, motivation, positive interactions with others and progress are the areas that are always of particular note to me as I believe they should be the overwhelming focus. Achievement naturally varies according to each learner's respective strengths and rate of personal development. For this reason, it is essential to take a long-term view, and reinforce the message that hard work, resilience, initiative and cumulative progress are the essential keys to achieving potential.

Also on the subject of hard work and resilience, I am pleased to report that teacher union members have now voted to ratify a new, improved offer that will go a long way to improving conditions and addressing the current crisis most schools face in recruitment and retention of quality teachers.

This is a significant achievement and great news for NZ schools, so I would again like to pass on my sincere thanks for all the support we received from the community in this regard, making a meaningful resolution possible for the teachers who make such a positive difference every day for the children.

Unfortunately, Primary Principals, as you may have heard, *rejected* the new offer, as it proposed significantly less for Principals than for teacher colleagues. For some Principals, particularly in smaller schools, this would see their remuneration fall below that of experienced teachers and Deputy Principal colleagues, which is obviously something that Principals did not feel they could realistically vote for.

On a brighter note, today we celebrated great success on the sports field at our Junior Cross-country, and it was great to see so many supporters who were able to make it. Thanks go to our Sports Coordinator, Karen, Site Manager, Andrew, and the whole Y1-3 team for training, organisation and setting the children up for success. The children showed great attitudes and put in a performance to be proud of.

Ka kite anō au i a koutou

Alan Jackson
Principal



Notices and Reminders

- **School Conference Bookings close tomorrow. Please note school closes at 1pm for the conferences: Wednesday the 3rd and Thursday the 4th.** *Children who have just started school do not receive a written report or attend the Conferences, as a meeting with the teacher is scheduled after the first six week at school instead*
- **Ice-blocks on sale on the last day of term, Friday 5th July. Only \$1 each**
- **Sports assembly in the school hall on Monday 1st July at 2.30 pm**
- **No Assembly this week**

Important - Road Safety Reminders

We have had a few instances of children running (or biking/scootering) across roads around school, including one reported near-miss with a vehicle this week. If your child walks, bikes or scooters to/from school, please;



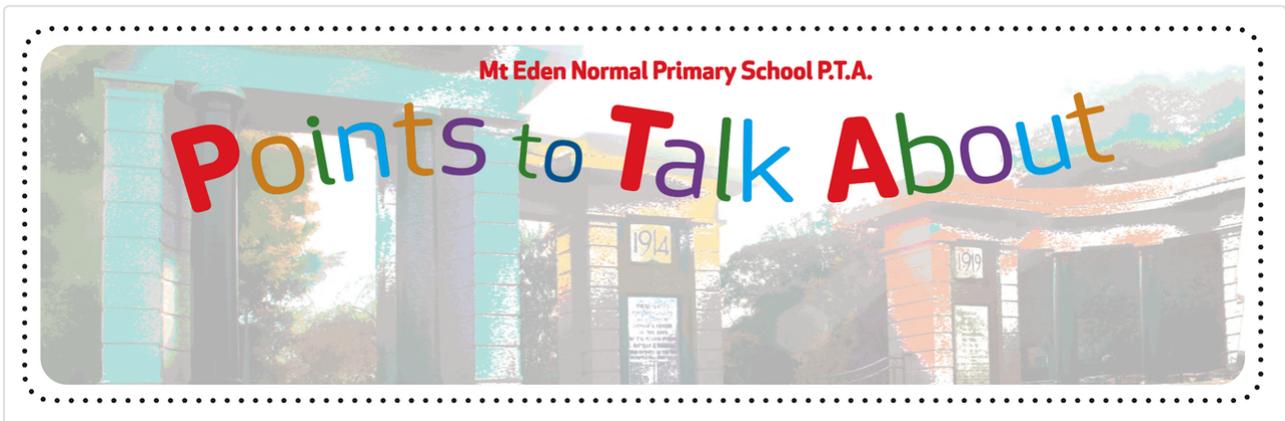
- Take some time to check in with them on the route that they are taking
- Remind them that they must always use a crossing, even if it makes the journey a little longer

- Remind them to dismount from a bike/scooter when crossing

Thank for your support

MENPS Community Calendar

[Click to view, download or subscribe and keep up to date with what's happening at MENPS](#)



Save the Date for the Parent Event

SAVE THE DATE! 7TH SEPTEMBER

**MENPS
QUIZ
NIGHT**

Mark you Calendar,
line up the babysitter,
the MENPS parent event
is coming soon!
More details to follow
next term, watch this space...

**7TH SEPTEMBER 7PM
BALMORAL
BOWLING CLUB**

A stylized pink brain graphic with white outlines, located in the bottom right corner of the event poster.

Ice-blocks on Sale Next Friday



Ice-blocks will on sale on the upper courts after school on the last day of term, Friday 5th July. Only \$1 each.

Yummy Apple Stickers

Don't forget to collect your yummy apple stickers and earn cool sports equipment for our school

A copy of the collection sheet can be downloaded from the Yummy Apple Website www.yummyfruit.co.nz or collected from the office.



<p>100% Natural, Carbon Free Jute</p>  <p>My Eden Home Primary School</p> <p>Takeaways CarbonZero</p>	 <p>Bakers Delight</p>	 <p>FLIGHT CENTRE</p>
<p>Bag your MENPS Jute Bag only \$5</p> <p>Purchase from the school office or second hand uniform shop. Cash or Cheque only.</p>	<p>Earn 10% for the school</p> <p>Mention MENPS when you shop at Bakers Delight Eden Quarter and they'll donate 10% of the purchase to us</p>	<p>Flight Centre Mt Eden will generously give MENPS \$25 for every \$1000 spent by MENPS families booking holidays with them. So remember to mention us when booking!</p>

Uniform Shop

Kids growing too fast? Donate your child's pre-loved uniform so we can give it a second lease of life through our Secondhand School Uniform Shop. We sell only **good quality** second hand uniforms so please make sure your donations are too. Uniforms can be handed into the office any time.



Second Hand Uniform Shop

Friday, June 28th
School Hall Kitchen,
8.30 - 9.00am, Cash only

Donations of clean and tidy items are greatly appreciated. Please drop off to the office.

Mark your Diaries

Term 3 Dates
Friday's 26th July
9th, 23rd August
6th, 20th September



Supporting Our School Through Fundraising & Fun Events

 Facebook

Follow us on Facebook

Keep up to date with the PTA on Mt Eden Normal Primary School PTA page

 menpspta@gmail.com

 mteden.school.nz/pta

COMMUNITY NOTICES

We're fundraising with
 **entertainment.**

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and get
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**Shaping up...
never tasted so good!**

Final year student naturopath

Nicky Swallow

Initial appointment \$40 (90mins)

All follow-ups are free! (45-60mins)

Children 6+ and students have a reduced fee of \$20.

Free consultations for under 6's and over 65's.

Advice and support offered for:

Managing stress

Boosting your energy levels

Supporting your immune system

Enhancing overall health & wellbeing

Acute or chronic conditions

We can provide support for a whole range of issues by identifying the underlying causes and contributing factors and creating a health and wellness plan that is realistic and individualized to suit your needs.

Contact South Pacific College of Natural Medicine (09) 526 9277

Nicky is available Tuesdays and Wednesdays 2pm-7pm

or book online at <https://www.ezybook.co.nz/pages/southpacificcollegeofnaturalmedicine/>



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**Mt Eden Normal Primary School
Year 6 Students' Invitation**

OPEN MORNING:
Wednesday 7 August - Visitors meet in the Kowhai Intermediate School hall at 9:30 am.

PARENT INFORMATION EVENING:
Wednesday 7 August 7:00 - 8:00 pm in the school hall

If you would like a meeting with the Principal, Associate Principal or Deputy Principal please phone 846 7534 or email:
Louise Broad - principal@kowhai.school.nz
Barbara Cloonan - ap@kowhai.school.nz
Tom Mackintosh - dp@kowhai.school.nz

**KŌWHAI
INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL
2020 ENROLMENT
INFORMATION**

Out of Zone enrolments close on Wednesday 4 September 2019

HOLIDAY PROGRAMMES AND EXTRA ACTIVITIES



SWIM CLUB

July 2019
Swimming Holiday Program

5 Consecutive Days
Lessons between 1:00pm - 5:00pm

Week 1: Monday 8th - Friday 12th
Week 2: Monday 15th - Friday 19th

DID YOU KNOW?
Club members get a 10% discount!!



**BASKETBALL
HOLIDAY
PROGRAM**

Basic foundation basketball program, individual skills, unit and team play. A fun way to spend your holidays!

EPSOM GIRLS GRAMMAR SCHOOL
9:00 - 3:00
MONDAY 8TH JULY
TUESDAY 9TH JULY

\$100
For both days!

Ages

To register head to www.baycityslick.com



playball

**MT EDEN NORMAL
SCHOOL**

Mondays 8:00-8:45

- small class sizes
- 7 different sports
- life skills
- self confidence
- gross motor development
- improved co-ordination
- steering skills
- teamwork

**New term starts
Mon 22nd July
\$130 per term
Open to all 5-9 yo's**

Visit our new website to enrol your child today!
www.playball.co.nz
<http://www.playball.co.nz/find-a-class/mengs>

Would your child like a free trial lesson?
Just select the "free trial" option online

For more information, contact:
Karen Gaskin
karen@playball.co.nz

HEALTH &
SPORT HOLIDAY
PROGRAMME

BAYCITY SLICK
HOLIDAY
PROGRAMME

PLAYBALL TERM
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Greyfriars
Holiday
Programme

The FLASH BANG Science Club
INSPIRING SCIENCE FOR CURIOUS KIDS!
Bringing science to life with fun-filled, action-packed science and technology sessions after school and holidays for children aged 7 years plus.

ELECTRIFYING SCIENCE

DATE:	Tuesday 9 th July 2019
WHERE:	ELLERSLIE MEMORIAL HALL, 134/138 Main Hwy, Ellerslie
TIME:	9:30am-12:30pm (7 years)
WORKSHOP:	Electrifying Science
COST:	\$80.00

For bookings, joining our mailing list or for any other further information please email us on: admin@flashbangscienceclub.co.nz / www.flashbangscienceclub.co.nz / 0100 021 141 4412

Flash Bang
Science Club

Perform in a Show!

EARLY BIRD
rate applies
10th June

Aladdin's Magical Lamp

July Holidays

- Auckland Grammar School
- Epsom Girls Grammar School

We give Kids Confidence
Ages 5 to 13 years 9:00am to 3:00pm
Before and After Care from
9:30am to 3:30pm

kids

Kids Up Front

Acting for TV Films Musical Theatre Audition Technique

GO YA

**Kids & Teens
Acting Holiday Programme**

For ages 5 - 18, July School Holidays

Preschool Community Centre
Monday 8th July - Friday 12th July \$350

Book now: greyholiday@gmail.com

KIDS AND TEENS
ACTING
HOLIDAY
PROGRAMME

Mt Eden Tennis Club
GREAT COURT & GREAT COURTS

JULY HOLIDAY PROGRAMMES

Holiday Programme 1
Mon 8th July - Fri 12th July 2019
Club member cost for 5 days \$135 or \$30 per day
Non member cost for 5 days \$150 or \$30 per day
9:00am - 12:00pm

Holiday Programme 2
Mon 15th July - Fri 19th July 2019
Club member cost for 5 days \$135 or \$30 per day
Non member cost for 5 days \$150 or \$30 per day
9:00am - 12:00pm

Our programme combines technical coaching with fun and games for children 5 to 17 years old in small groups or no more than 25. Beginners to advanced players welcome.

Resports may be borrowed or purchased. Bookings are essential as numbers are limited. For more information or to register go to www.tenniscoaching.co.nz julie@tenniscoaching.co.nz 022 639 0015

22 Poronui Street

MT EDEN
TENNIS CLUB

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GREAT COURT & GREAT COURTS

22 Poronui Street

Term 3 Tennis Coaching

During each school term we provide coaching in small groups of no more than 7, for children 5 - 17 years. Beginners to advanced.

Coaching Dates 2nd 2019

Club Members: \$100 for 10 weeks
Non Members: \$150 for 10 weeks

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday or Friday
3:45 - 4:30pm
4:30 - 5:15pm

Resports may be borrowed or purchased. Bookings are essential as there are limited numbers.

Our goal is to combine technical coaching with fun through each club to enjoy watching & playing tennis.

To register:
www.tenniscoaching.co.nz
email: julie@tenniscoaching.co.nz

Coaching is always on. If raining sessions will not include full court ball work and games.

MT EDEN
TENNIS CLUB
TERM 3

Parnell Trust
School Holiday Programmes

Winter Fun

Fun activities every day
for 5-14 year olds



Dinosaur Day
Birkenhead Rock Wall
Marshmallow Madness
Sensory Maze and Arcade
Pikulet Party
Gymnastic Acrobatics
All Tied Up
Flippin' Fun
LEGO EV3 Challenge
...and lots more fun!

July 8 - 19, 2019 At Parnell & Epsom from 7.30am - 6pm

Enrol online today at
www.parnell.org.nz/SHP

Albert Eden Local Board and Epsom Community Centre are hosting a holiday clay program. Kids will use Air Dried clay to model and shape the products. No need to bake or paint. A great creative activity for kids to experience! Only **PRITAL CHARGED**. Welcome to make a booking epsoncommunitycentre@gmail.com

Epsom Community Crèche - 200 Gillies Avenue
8th of July to 12th of July / morning session or afternoon session
Booking via email epsoncommunitycentre@gmail.com

Session 1 Clay crafting 10:00-12:00 / Ages 5 and above

4 th Monday Mushroom house \$18	6 th Tuesday Inchworm \$15	10 th Wednesday Museum tent \$18
11 th Thursday Ocean paper dip \$18	12 th Friday Poldman soap \$15	

Session 2 Decorative painting and clay crafting 13:00-15:30 / Ages 7 and above

Available **parents & carers**



SCHOOL HOLIDAY TENNIS CLINIC

AT PARNELL LAWN TENNIS CLUB (Auckland Domain - next to Museum)
FOR MORE DETAILED PROGRAM INFORMATION PLEASE VISIT <http://www.parnelltennisclub.co.nz/tennis-programme/>

Come and join us for some great tennis and fun at Parnell TC, NZ's premier club. We endeavor to structure groups according to player ability from beginner to advanced standards. **FLEXIBLE ENROLMENTS CHOOSE WHICH DAYS SUIT YOUR CHILD THE BEST.**

FIRST WEEK: (1, 2, 3, 4, 8 July 2019)
SECOND WEEK: (8, 9, 10, 11, 12 July 2019)
THIRD WEEK: (15, 16, 17, 18, 19 July 2019)
FOURTH WEEK: (22, 23, 24, 25, 26 July 2019)

TIME & COST:
9:00 am to 12 noon (Morning Clinic) \$180 or \$45 per day
12:00 noon to 3:00 pm (Afternoon Clinic) \$180 or \$45 per day
9:00 am to 3:00 pm (FULL DAY CLINIC) \$340 or \$80 per day

A NEW 8 WEEK COURSE AT PARNELL LAWN TENNIS CLUB

DATES: Saturdays: August (2019) 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, September 7, 14, 21.
Sundays: August 4, 11, 18, 25, September 1, 8, 15, 22.
TIME: 9:00 - 10:00 am for 4-16 years old

TENNIS FOR ADULTS!!! (BEGINNERS ONLY). If you want to have fun and learn tennis come on **Saturdays:** August 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, September 7, 14, 21.
TIME: 9am - 9am
COST: \$180.00 for 8 weeks or \$25 for one week.

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ART CLASSES
AT SCHOOLS, AFTER SCHOOL
Term 3 2019 @ Mt Eden Normal Primary School

Fine Young Artists is an inspirational **fine arts programme** designed for children who are **passionate about art.**

Every term, children take part in an exciting new programme based on the works of well-know local and international artists. Our 8-week course is the perfect way to develop your child's artistic potential.

Term 3, 2019: WILD WIGGLES & SQUIGGLES
(Mixed Media on mdf Tiles)

This is an extremely fun and tactile mixed media program. We experiment with indian ink, modelling paste, paint, pastels, pencils, splattering, dribbling, marbling and more. No less than 15 separate artworks come together to form this dynamic, textured masterpiece.

Thursday 1st August to 19th September 19 3:15pm-5:15pm in Art Room with HANNAH

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ARROWS School Holiday Programme "Superheroes"
July 15 - 19

Another popular ARROWS Holiday Programme with the theme "Superheroes" is running at Valley Road Church, Mt Eden Village, (corner of Valley Rd & Mt Eden Rd) in the **second week** of the school holidays - **Monday July 15th - Friday July 19th** - for children aged 5 - 10 years. The fun-packed programmes include crafts, music, art, games, movies, team competitions and the teaching of Bible values, all linked by the "Superheroes" theme. The not-for-profit programmes cost \$35 for 4-5 mornings or \$90 for 4-5 full days. Children can also attend for individual mornings or full days. The roll is filling up fast, so please phone Nora at Valley Road Church on. 630-4171 to register, or pick up a brochure (which includes a registration form) from the school office.

Little Scientists
SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAMMES

Bookings **NOW OPEN**
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Energy
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...and more!

At *Little Scientists* we **LOVE** all things science!
Spectacular **explosions!** space, bug hunts, action-reaction ...
So much to investigate and **explore!**



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