



# Cambridge East School Newsletter

Issue 2 – 25 February 2021 – Week 4, Term 1

## Principal's Report

Kia ora ngaa whaanau o Cambridge East kura

Thank you for your support during the uncertain time we have all experienced around the recent community cases of COVID-19. We are very grateful for the return to Alert Level 1 and the freedoms that this brings. As a community, let's continue to be vigilant around scanning the QR Code and sanitising in and out of our setting.

## Whole School Swimming Sports

A stunning day on Monday saw us hold our annual Whole School Swimming Sports at St Peter's School. A big thank you to Phil Quenby, Danille Loye and Kate Findlay for the organisation of the day. Organising a whole school event is never an easy task. Thank you also to our supportive community for helping during the day. This ranged from timing events, helping learners in the pool and even swimming in our Year 6/Teacher/Parent relay. One of our main focuses for the day was around the 6C of Character, and in particular, resilience. This was certainly on display in both the Junior and Senior events. Seeing learners push themselves even when it feels uncomfortable was a real highlight. This was highlighted by some of our demonstration swimmers, who chose to swim in the outdoor pool after experiencing success in the indoor pool.



learning experience, students will get to tour the lifeguard facilities and learn about keeping safe in the water and how to identify dangers such as rips. The students will then get to apply this knowledge by getting into the water to practice what they have learned over the course of the day. If you haven't done so already, please click on the following link for more information and to give permission for your child/ren to attend: [Beach Ed Trip - Permission Form](#)

We would also like to acknowledge and thank the PTA for providing a large donation to help subsidise the cost for our students to ensure everyone can attend.

To ensure every learner has a similar experience without barriers on the day we are seeking some donations of the following items:

- Girls and Boys Togs (range of sizes from 8 - 14)
- Rash shirts
- Beach towels
- Wetsuits for 7+ year olds.

If you are able to donate any of these items, new or used, please drop them into the school office before 8 March. Please be aware that these items won't be able to be returned. Much appreciated!

## Bed Wetting Parent Evening

Helen Smith our local Public Health Nurse is running a free evening on how to assist children with bed wetting. This will be held at 6pm on the 2nd of March at Cambridge Primary School and is open for the whole community to attend.

We look forward to seeing our community at Koru Wha's (Room 4's) assembly tomorrow.

Ngaa mihi

**Hamish Fenemor, Principal**  
**Philippa Burchett, Acting Principal**

UPCOMING EVENTS
<b>Friday, 26 February</b> 2pm – Assembly in the Hall
<b>Monday, 1 March</b> 7pm – New Entrant Parent Information Session (Room 11)
<b>Wednesday, 3 March</b> Lunchtime PTA Sausage Sizzle (order link will be sent by separate email) 9am – New Entrant Parent Information Session (Room 11)
<b>Monday, 8 March</b> Auaha – Beach Ed Trip
<b>Tuesday, 9 March</b> Koru – Beach Ed Trip
<b>Wednesday, 10 March</b> Te Puna (Yr 3-6 only) – Beach Ed Trip



## 2021 New Entrant Enrolments

We are at that stage of the year when we are planning our New Entrant classes for the remainder of 2021. To help us with this planning can you please get in touch with the office if you have a child starting school this year and you haven't yet completed an enrolment form. If you know of anyone planning to enrol their child at Cambridge East School but they haven't yet done so, could you please remind them to get in touch. Many thanks!

## Beach Education Trips

In Week 6 as part of our bi-annual water safety focus, each of our senior syndicate centres will be visiting Mount Maunganui to take part in our Beach/Water Safety programme. This will run over 3 days with Auaha going on the Monday 8<sup>th</sup> March, Koru on the Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> March and Te Puna on the Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> March. As part of their



# Learners of the Week



## TIMATANGA

### Room 10

**Frances Budd** - Frances you have such a positive attitude towards school life. You always demonstrate enthusiasm towards your learning and are a fabulous role model for Room 10. What a fantastic start to the year you have had Frances.

**Daniel Crawford** - You have had an awesome start to your time at Cambridge East School. You are always focused and ready for learning. You are a wonderful learner to have in Room 10.

### Room 11

**Zoe Hurst** - For being enthusiastic about your reading. Always willing to join your group and push yourself to try new tricks to help you with words you do not yet know. Kai pa to mahi.

**Baylee Peden-Cullinane** - Baylee you have a willingness to do what is right. You always demonstrate your sense of duty and encourage others to make good choices. You are an asset in Room 11!

### Room 12

**James Gordon** - James, you have such a positive attitude towards school life. You always try your best and consistently make the most of your time at school. Ka pai James!

**Martha Cornegé** - You listen carefully and take on board ideas for improving. I'm really impressed with how quickly you have learnt your pepeha and love your confidence in sharing it with us.

### Room 13

**Ricky Cook** - Ricky you consistently demonstrate our school motto 'Always My Best' in your learning. Keep up the hard work!

**Nayda Jamieson** - You are a fantastic role model, Nayda. You consistently show your sense of duty both in class and in our school community.

### Room 14

**Imogen Nicholl** - The progress you have made in reading and phonics so far this year is amazing! Keep working hard to achieve your goals.

**Taira Maselino-Turama** - Taira, you have come back to school with an amazingly positive attitude towards learning. Keep it up!

### Room 17

**Kolton Harrison** - Kolton, you are an absolute star at school. You are already so eager to learn and help others, and know the school's expectations.

**Bowie Bryant** - You are a wonderful learner to have in Room 17, Bowie. You follow expectations and always give things your best. Keep it up!

## KORU

### Koru 1

**Harri Williams** - Harri you are rising to challenges and trying new things with your learning. This is stretching your comfort zone and will help your learning flourish. Keep it up!

**Harpreet Kour** - For persevering at swimming sports to try new things and accept challenges. Keep this up Harpreet.

### Koru 2

**Taleigha Belling** - You are such an enthusiastic learner Taleigha! You choose independent learning activities and manage your time carefully. Ka pai!

**William Ma** - Congratulations on being such a focused learner in Koru Rua! We will miss you at Cambridge East School and wish you all the best for your new school.

### Koru 3

**Tej Patel** - For persevering at swimming sports and giving everything your all! You are a student who constantly models 'Always My Best!'

**Lucy Gascoigne** - Lucy, you are a kind and caring member of our classroom. Thank you for supporting anyone who needs it and making sure everyone feels welcome. We are lucky to have you!

### Koru 4

**Dylan Tregurtha** - For demonstrating the school motto of 'Always My Best' during Swimming Sports - in particular your efforts in backstroke - ka pai!

**Micah Brown** - You have learnt to independently plan your day, to stay focused on your learning activities and to ask questions when unsure - well done Micah, a great start in Koru Wha!

## AUAHA

### Auaha M

**Tina Huang** - Tina, you show so much courage to try new things, especially in swimming lately. Keep up the fantastic work, we love having you in Auaha M. Ka pai Tina!

**Ben Abbott** - Ben you have made a fantastic start in Auaha M. It's great to see that you are always focused on the task at hand. Keep up the hard work, ka pai!

**Quinn Dempster** - We appreciate the determination you showed at swimming sports. It was wonderful to see you taking part, getting in the water and having fun. Tino Pai!

**Finn James** - You are fast becoming a strong leader in Auaha M; confident enough to show our new class members how Auaha M runs. Kia ora for stepping up and helping out.

## AUAHA S

**Olly Scott** - For your amazing attitude at swimming sports. Your enthusiasm and positivity were infectious - it was awesome to see you cheering on your classmates. Ka Pai!

**Ellis Williams** - You are showing great focus during independent learning times and making choices that put your learning first. Great stuff, Ellis.

**Alexia Gurney** - For the critical thinking skills you utilise during inquiry learning times. You are making connections that will help move your inquiry forward.

**Alexys Wrightson** - For the superb effort you put into library sessions with Kirsty. We are all impressed by your level of thinking and how you dig deeper when thinking of questions. Tino pai Alexys.

## TE PUNA

### Te Puna 19

**Heaven Cecil-Edmonds** - I am so impressed with the progress you have made in reading. You read fluently and with beautiful expression. Keep it up, Heaven!

**James Cumming** - You put your hand up every time there is an opportunity to be a leader. You are a brilliant role model and I look forward to watching you grow your leadership skills this year. Ka pai James!

### Te Puna 20

**Spencer Moore** - You have made a great start at Cambridge East School. You are an enthusiastic learner that puts 100% effort in to your learning tasks. Well done, Spencer!

**Karlie Sefuentes** - Karlie, you are a kind and caring student in Te Puna. You always do your best to complete your work to a high standard, keep it up!

### Te Puna 21

**Hunter Doelman** - You are focusing on your learning and working on completing your non-negotiables to a level you can be proud of. What a great start to your time at Cambridge East.

**Boh Butterworth** - The way you have displayed resilience when completing learning tasks has set an outstanding example for others to follow in Te Puna. Tino pai Boh!

### Te Puna 22

**Sara Karabata** - Sara, you have settled back into school life like you never had a holiday! You are consistently showing your sense of duty and are always willing to help others. You are awesome!

**Georgie Wilson** - You demonstrated our school motto 'Always My Best' at Swimming Sports. You should be proud of your swimming results. Ka pai!

Learner of the Week Certificates will be presented at tomorrow's 2pm assembly.