



Bathgate Park School

He kākano ahau i ruia mai i a Rakiātea - A seed born of greatness.

Term 3 Week 4

Kia ora koutou, Mālō e lelei, Talofa, Bula, Ola, Namaste, Kamusta, Bonjour, Ni hau, Ahlan, Salam, Greetings to you all.

We are half way through the term and as always a lot is still on the calendar. Our wonderful multicultural group have ramped up their practises getting ready for Polyfest, which is coming up in Week 8. Once we have our performance day and time, we will share this with you. We can't wait for you to see this great group perform.

Commissioner Hosting Online Information Sessions

We warmly invite all parents and whānau who are interested in learning more about the role of a parent trustee to an online **Board Information Session**, hosted by our Commissioner **Cleave Hay**.

This online event will be an opportunity to learn about what being on a school board involves. Cleave will guide us through important topics, including:

- ✓ The election process
- ✓ The role of a Board member
- ✓ Governance vs. management
- ✓ The partnership between the presiding member and principal

We are holding two different opportunities for you to join. The first one uses google teams and the evening one is using a zoom invite. If for any reason you are not able to attend using the designated type of zoom, please let Katrina or the office know and we can alter the type of invite

Tuesday 12.30pm Board Trustee Information Session#1

Google Meet joining info

Video call link: <https://meet.google.com/jwb-orgw-pem>

Tuesday 6.30pm-7.10pm Board of Trustees Information Session#2

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/73317420796?pwd=ULn446iQ5VY60iDmEgrHrmJZiQDAOR.1>

Meeting ID: 733 1742 0796

Passcode: 5H7ZsX

Join in to connect with others, ask questions, and feel confident about what's involved in helping lead your child's school. We look forward to seeing you there.

Governance Meeting

The next Governance meeting will be Thursday 21 August, 6.15 pm in the staffroom. We would love to have you attend.

New Students to BGP

A huge welcome to all of our new students to BGP. We are so happy to have you join our kura.



Special Principal Certificates



Active August



Active August is well under way, and even though the weather is cold, it is great to see so many students walking, biking or scooting to school. Scout, the Active August mascot, joined us on Friday morning. She was giving hot milos out to students as they arrived at school. During the month of August, every Friday lunchtime will be “wheels . Students are able to ride their bikes or scooters during lunchtime. Helmets must be worn.



Duffy Caught Being Good & AROHA Certificates

Congratulations to the following people for the wonderful learning and AROHA they have been showing.



PB4L Expectations in Action

We use the sports equipment correctly.



Āwhina
support,
guidance, caring



RESPECT
yourself, others,
property and the
environment



OWN
your actions



HAVE
a positive
attitude

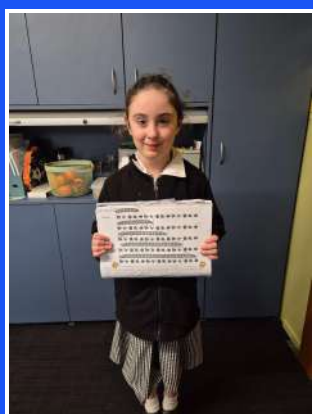


Angitu
Strive for
excellence, reach

Wonderful participants in the Outreach Rugby Programme



Tane Mahuta Mathematicians



Tidiest Classroom Term 3 Results

Week 1: Rūaumoko
Week 2: Rūaumoko
Week 3: Uenuku
Week 4: Rūaumoko



Week & Date	Event
TERM 3	
Week 6: Monday 18 August-Friday 22 August	Tongan Language Week
Week 6: Thursday 21 August	Governance Meeting 6.15pm
Week 8: Monday 1 September-Friday 5 September	NO SENIOR SWIMMING
Week 8: Monday 1 September-Friday 5 September	POLYFEST WEEK
Week 9: Wednesday 10 September	Wig Wednesday Fundraiser
Week 10: Monday 14 September-Friday 21 September	Māori Language Week
Friday 21 September	Last day of term

Year 8 High School Enrollments

Year 8's - Do you have your High School enrollment form into a High School?

Secondary schools are working to a cut off date of 28 August where ideally, they would like to have all enrolments in. This helps them with planning for 2026 for such things as staffing, coursing and the like.

Please make sure you have these in asap. If you need enrollment forms, you can ask for these from the High School's reception.



Community Notices

Thinkit Art

Kids Sunday Art Workshops



July 27th, August 3rd & 31st

10.30am - 12.30pm ages 7 - 12

September 14th - 1.30 - 3.30pm ages 9 - 14

Explore your inner Artist Kids Workshops

Kiri Scott 0211189882

* 136 Princes St Dunedin * Thinkit.fie@yahoo.com

\$38

Per workshop

Free!

SOUTHERN RESERVOIR

- 10am - noon
- For children aged up to 17
- Register now
- Spaces limited
- Spare rods available

BRING ▼

Fishing gear, snacks,
drinks, warm clothes

REGISTER ONLINE ▼

fishandgame.org.nz



(03) 477 9076



sdixon@fishandgame.org.nz



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2025 DUNEDIN

Take A Kid Fishing

SEPTEMBER 20, 21, 27, 28

SCAN HERE





By way of introduction, I am Jo Jago, a local artist and art teacher. I have set up The Imaginarium Studio, a small art school in Dunedin. I am running after school and evening classes from my studio in King Edward Court, Stuart Street, Dunedin City and I wanted to spread the word to anyone who was interested.

Full information is available at www.theimaginarium.studio

I have recently moved from Wanaka to Dunedin, and am excited to bring regular weekly watercolour classes to Dunedin as well as one off weekend workshops. My classes in Wanaka were very popular, and I hope that they will be well received in Dunedin too

I will be running both adults and children's classes:

WATERCOLOUR FUN • LESSONS AT THE IMAGINARIUM STUDIO • Dunedin's newest little art school
Wednesdays

4:15pm After School (Children & Teens)

7:00pm Evening Classes (Teens & Adults)

All materials supplied, just turn up & have fun!

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Contact: Jo Jago 021-234-8855 hello@theimaginarium.studio

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SANTA IS COMING TO TOWN & WE NEED KIDS

THE annual Santa Parade is on Sunday 30 November & we need 100+ kids of all ages to be on floats in the parade.

To take part you need to be ...

- 5 years old
- be available all afternoon
- have a parent who will accompany you & walk alongside the float

Interested? email dnsantakids@gmail.com



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Giggles Playgroup

**Whānau Āwhina Plunket lead, but EVERYONE
Welcome!**

**At the new Ōtepoti Dunedin Community Hub, 97 King Edward St,
South Dunedin.**

Every Monday – 10am to 12pm

- Connect with parents/caregivers in your community in a warm and welcoming space.
- We have active play, dress-ups, arts & crafts, music & more!
- Please bring a snack and drink for your child(ren).
- Hot drinks for adults provided – gold coin/koha appreciated.

For more info contact: Tina on 027 242 3729 or email
tina.mangos@plunket.org.nz, or just come along on Monday.

He huanui oranga mo ngā mokopuna whakatipuranga roto i ngā hapori heke iho, heke iho.

Setting the path of wellness in our communities for the early years, for generations to come.

