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Newsletter

Greetings - Kia ora ra ki te whanau
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Wednesday, 15 December 2021



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Port Nelson BBQ for APS

Last Friday we had a very special lunch treat. A team from Port Nelson came with their gigantic barbecue and once it was fired up they cooked sausages and burgers for us. We had the best lunch sitting outside under the trees. It was a lovely sunny day and we enjoyed eating al fresco. Big thanks to Daryl Werner and his team for coming and giving us an end of year surprise lunch. We loved it!



PORT NELSON

The Region's Gateway to the World

Principals' Pen

Tena koutou katoa,

The end of the school year has arrived and we have been celebrating ākonga achievements in many ways, through awards presentations, special trips out and fun activities that acknowledge the hard mahi and commitment to achieving in all areas of school life. I am proud of the achievements this year both in academic work and in sports and cultural areas of our school curriculum. I hope you enjoyed reading about your tamariki's achievements in their final report for the year. This report reflects all of the learning in school and we value the Key Competencies and school values that we aspire for our ākonga to know, be and do every day of their school life. Our final assembly for the year yesterday, was a special celebration of our whole year at APS and it was wonderful to have some of our whanau come and share in it too.

The end of the school year brings some additional staff changes and tomorrow we will farewell Rachel Fitches from her teaching position here. She is moving 'up' to a teaching Deputy Principal position at Tasman Bay Christian School. She goes with our best wishes and thanks for all she has given to our tamariki and team. Next year we will welcome Ms Ashleigh McDonald to teach in Trafalgar Class. We have one vacancy to fill for Nile Tahī class for Term 1, 2022 and that appointment is still in process.

This is our final newsletter and with it comes my thanks for your support throughout this year. It has yet again been disrupted by covid and I have appreciated your support in all we needed to do to keep our tamariki learning and achieving in all ways both in school and at home.

I wish you all a happy Christmas and a great start to 2022. Rest, revive and enjoy some freedom from the usual rigours of life over the festive season and summer!

Best wishes to our whanau whose journey with us has come to a close. Thank you for your support over the years; you will be missed. For those returning, we look forward to welcoming you back on 2 February 2022.

Meri Kirihimete.

Kia kaha, Ngā mihi nui,

Sonya



Life Education Classroom

Last week we had Ingrid and Harold in school. We had interesting and dynamic learning all about Health and Wellbeing in the Life Education classroom with Ingrid.

Things to Remember

Assemblies are on Mondays & Fridays at 9.10am in the hall.

School phone: 03 548 7970 Absentees mobile: 027 548 7970

Term 4 2021 & Term 1 2022 Dates:

Thursday, 16 December 2021 @ 12.30pm - Last Day of School for 2021

Wednesday, 26 January 2022

- APS Office open for 2022

Wednesday, 2 February 2022

- APS First Day 2022 School Year

Thursday, 14 April 2022

- Last Day of Term 1 2022

Friday, 13 April 2022

- GOOD FRIDAY

Sunday, 15 April 2022

- EASTER SUNDAY

Thank you from the Auckland Point School Board of Trustees

The Board would like to take a moment to acknowledge our community for their resilience and trust over the last two years. It has not been easy for anyone to work through the challenges of at times having to help your children to learn at home while supporting them to feel safe, nor has it been easy to entrust them back into the care of school while covid protection measures are in place. We thank you for doing the best that you can and being open with the school in how we can support you.

We have an amazing and unique little school. A wee gem of a boutique school in the city centre with so many opportunities. We owe this to the work of a wonderful, hardworking team and an exceptional principal who we cannot thank enough. As a board we are often blown away by the opportunities the children are offered and are proud of the achievements that each individual makes. We are proud to be part of a school that celebrates the child as a whole.

Please accept this as the hugest thanks to yourselves whanau. You are raising amazing children.

Whangaia ka tupu, ka puaawai

That which is nurtured, blossoms and grows

Nga mihi,

Amie-Jo Trayes

Presiding Member APS Board of Trustees

We are honoured to provide guidance and support in the school direction and invite all people interested in joining the board to get in touch via office@aps.school.nz. 2022 is an election year and this is your chance to help shape the growth of this important place of learning.

Term Dates 2022

Term 1: Wednesday, 2 February 2022 - Thursday, 14 April 2022

Term 2: Monday, 2 May 2022 - Friday, 8 July 2022

Term 3: Monday, 25 July 2022 - Friday, 30 September 2022

Term 4: Monday, 17 October - Thursday, 15 December 2022

2021 Supersonic Award Winners outing to the Movies

Last Thursday, 9 December 2021 our lucky Supersonic Award winners from this year were rewarded for their amazing efforts throughout the entire school year, by being treated as a group, to the movie theatre by Mrs Hockley. The 'Supersonic' winners are determined by being the top 2 dojo point earners in each year level. Well done to all 'Supersonics' for their hard work and for making Mrs Hockley very proud, using your best behaviour and manners while watching the Disney movie 'Encanto'.



Term 4 Principals Challenge Award Winners Breakfast with Mrs Hockley

This morning Mrs Hockley took our Term 4 Principal's Challenge award winners for a celebration Breakfast to McDonalds. This was to reward the following students for their efforts this term in demonstrating 'Whakatōmene- stepping outside their comfort zones to explore / try new experiences' inside and outside of their classrooms. Well done to you all and thank you for sharing an enjoyable breakfast.

Kara Calder - Trafalgar
Ben Hadfield - St Vincent Tahī
Tahlia Fuller - St Vincent Rua
Tahiri Samuela - Nile Tahī
Ike-Mari Breet - Nile Rua



Juniors Natureland Trip

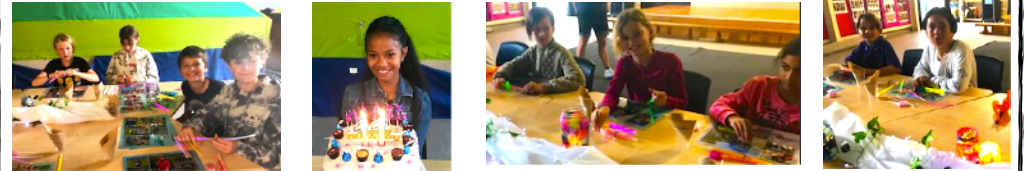
On Wednesday, 1 December 2021 our junior classes, their teachers and parents helpers took the bus to Tahanuanui for a morning of fun learning at Natureland. Our tamariki participated in 3 rotations which included finding facts and feeding animals, creating enrichment toys for the birds and feeding the Kea in its enclosure. So much fun was had by all.



Year 6 Leavers Dinner

On Monday evening Miss Harris and her team of teacher helpers organised a special dinner in our school hall to farewell our Year 6 leavers and Mrs Couling. There was a delicious meal, beautiful decorations, great company (with APS staff) and lots of laughs and special memories shared by all.

Many of our Year 6 students have been with us throughout their entire school journey and we have been so lucky to have been able to watch them grow. We will miss having them as part of our APS family but at the same time very excited for them moving onto bigger, future things.



Final Assembly Award Winners for 2021

Yesterday we had our final APS Assembly for the year. This was a special occasion to acknowledge the hard work of our tamariki, staff and whanau throughout 2021. We also farewelled our Year 6 leavers and those staff members who are moving on from APS. Awards were presented to the following students for their outstanding achievements throughout the year.

Academic - Arek Uciurkiewicz (Trafalgar), Eve Cumming (St Vincent Tahī), Jimmy Johnson (St Vincent Rua), Connor Suttie (Nile Tahī), Addisyn Heberd & Oakley Hart-Brown (Nile Rua).

Citizenship - Cleo Costelloe-Baptista (Trafalgar), Muaimalae Laban (St Vincent Tahī), Delia Goodfellow & Poppy Brady (St Vincent Rua), Kyle Lumsden (Nile Tahī), Lania Lefale & Etelisa Laban (Nile Rua).

Sports Award - Aurelie Abran
The Arts Award - Eva O'Donnell
Spirit of APS - Toto'a Vitaoa Toalima



Treasure Island Performance



Some of our aspiring young performers were lucky enough to go along to see Whaea Mickey perform in 'Treasure Island' at the Nelson Musical Theatre. This was a special invitation for our APS tamariki for the dress rehearsal performance of the show. This was such a treat for the students who attended. An evening out to a show on a school night. Whaea Mickey was awesome! We loved seeing real live performers.

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Term 4 Week 7



Trafalgar Room

Jason Qu: For showing resilience and independence at phonics time. Ka rawe Jason.

Kara Calder: For showing kindness, care and respect on our trip to Natureland.
Kei runga noa atu koe Kara!

St. Vincent Tahi Room

Alyssa-May Maddock: For showing respect and responsibility on our Natureland trip.
Haere tonu Alyssa!

Zoe Murphy: For following instructions and showing 'The APS Way,' in the playground.
Kei whētū koe Zoe.

St. Vincent Rua Room

Chloe Conmee: For your positivity in the classroom and using strong collaboration skills.

Indigo McMahon: For supporting other students and communicating great ideas.

Nile Tahi Room

Olivia Lawrie: For working hard to demonstrate 'The APS Way' and being such an amazing helper to her class whānau. Ngā mihi nui ki a koe Olivia! Huge thanks to you!

Ray Roach: For always lighting up Nile Tahi with his positive attitude and enthusiasm.
Koia kei a koe Ray! You're awesome!

Nile Rua Room

Lania Lefale: For always showing 'The APS Way' and embracing all learning opportunities!

Isabella Francis: For demonstrating 'whanaungatanga' towards other members of our class.

Fair Play:

Aaliyah Young-Collins: For displaying a positive attitude in the playground, and being a great friend to others.

Leading Light:

Harley Mcleod: For stepping out of your comfort zone and being more resilient in challenging situations.



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Term 4 Week 8



Trafalgar Room

Mila Maas-Lane: For showing kindness towards others in the classroom. Ka rawe Mila!

Te Koha Paul-Mendoza: For taking pride in his writing work. Kei runga noa atu koe Te Koha!

St. Vincent Rua Room

Peyton Knuden: For your outstanding commitment and leadership at Kapa Haka.

Milliana Browne: For being a kind and caring student who always helps others in the classroom.

Nile Tahi Room

Cassidy Patterson - Cossgrove: For giving it your all in Reading by applying new strategies. Kia mau tonu te mahi! Keep up the hard work!

Prakruti Korrapati: For consistently being such an extraordinary helper to her kaiako and peers by taking on extra responsibilities wherever possible. He mea whakamiharo! You are amazing!

Nile Rua Room

Awahi Crawford: For your dedication and hard mahi, especially your writing tasks.

Mika Osman: For using all feedback/feedforward to extend your thinking when completing your work!

Fair Play:

Ashlyn Cocksedge: For displaying a positive attitude in the playground and being a great friend to others.

Leading Light:

Ember van Boxel: For bouncing back like a ball and putting new skills into practice in the classroom.

