



CLYDE QUAY SCHOOL  
Te Kura O Matairangi



14 October 2020

Tēnā tātou katoa e te whānau

Dobar dahn, Nabad, Hola, Ciao, Ni hao, Namaste, Talofa, Bonjour, Χαίρετίσματα, Grüß Gott, Zdravím, Приветствия, Sawasdee, Konnichiwa, Pozdrowenia, Selamlar, Guten tag, Salaam, Salama Aleikum, Leikum Zdras-Tvuy-Te, Ahn-Young-Ha-Se-Yo, Marhaba, Nay Hoh, Ayubowan, Xin Chào, Kia Orana

There is so much happening it feels as if we've been back at school for a good part of the term already.

Staff hope some of you were able to take time for a bit of relaxation with your families. That said, I am reminded of one mother. I asked *"And what are you doing for the holidays?"* With hands on hips, and a stern look, her retort was, *"Don't you know Whaea, mothers don't have holidays."* There was an awkward few seconds until the silence was broken with laughter.



#### Reminder—Sunhats Term 4

In term 4 all children need to have a (named) sunhat in their school bag as its compulsory for everyone to be wearing a hat for outside play.



#### ShakeOut Thursday 15 October 9.30am

ShakeOut is held across the world to remind people of the right action to take during an earthquake — Drop, Cover and Hold — and to practise a tsunami hiko (evacuation) if in a coastal area.

**Chinese** classes have started again Monday and Friday after school till 5.00pm. Ma Lin strikes a balance between study and physical activity. Should you want your child in the class contact Ma Lin 021 265 6820 email malinmoala@gmail.com

**Code Camp** starts back tomorrow after school, should you want to enrol your child contact Peter Duncan +64 04 470 7880, +64 021 713714

**Assemblies if fine** will recommence each fortnight out on the astro. If you're available please join us. It will be great to see you all. Dates to be confirmed.

### ***The Tough Guy and Girl Challenge (TGGC)***

As I am sitting here writing, four girls return from *The Tough Guy and Girl Challenge*. Lucy, Eden, Immy, and Connie-Jean. Lucy was very animated and to no ones surprise they enjoyed the muddy terrain. The team banded together and helped each other through the course. The second team arrived a little later wearing medals and carrying a winning *Tough Guy and Girl Challenge AWARD*. Sofia, Oscar, Lily P and Archie were beaming. I am expecting another team in shortly. (Tessa, Nellie, William E, Tawini, Lily M and Ike).











**Clyde Quay School welcomes:** Armaan, Rosa, Asia, Levi, Grace, Rose and Mokshith to Harakeke.

## 2021 Term Dates

Term 1	Wednesday 3 February – Friday 16 April <i>(Waitangi Day observed 8 February; Good Friday 2 April; Easter Monday 5 April; Easter Tuesday 6 April)</i>
Term 2	Monday 3 May – Friday 9 July <i>(Queen's Birthday 7 June)</i>
Term 3	Monday 26 July – Friday 1 October
Term 4	Monday 18 October – Wednesday 15 December <i>(Labour Day 26 October)</i>

### Enrolment at Clyde Quay for 2021

Is your child due to start school next year?

If you live in Mt Victoria . . .

and you haven't yet completed an enrolment form, please do so as soon as possible and drop it off at the office.

If you live outside Mt Victoria . . .

your child is not automatically entitled to enrol at Clyde Quay. If you have not already submitted an enrolment form, please speak with the office staff as soon as possible as we are currently advertising for out of zone applications and they need to be lodged by 12 noon Thursday 29 October 2020.

There is a total of 8 places likely to be available for out of zone students next year at New Entrant and Year 7 levels only. If the number of applicants exceeds the number of places available, students will be selected by ballot. If a ballot is required, it will be held on 30<sup>th</sup> October 2020.

## **Fix & Fogg**

### ***Attention Parents/Caregivers***

Just an incentive for parents to pay for their student's voluntary donations.



If you pay prior to 30 October you will receive a free jar of Fix & Fogg "Lucky Dip" peanut butter.

The school can take cash, eftpos, Kindo (online school shop) or payment made direct to our bank account ASB 12 3141 0350817 00

## **Election Day is coming !!!!!!!**

### **BBQ Saturday 17 October**

**11am-2pm**

We are so pleased to be back at Level 1! We have a fantastic line up of performers and will have delicious food on offer.

Please join us in celebrating our wonderful school and community!

We are still needing help to fill the volunteer roster for the event so if you are able to spare a couple of hours, please get in touch.

See you there!

Clyde Quay School WAF

[waf@clydequay.school.nz](mailto:waf@clydequay.school.nz)

# Message from Villa Victoria organising committee:

We are so excited to be able to confirm a new date for Villa Victoria 2020!

We really appreciate all the messages of support over the last few months and our wonderful homeowners, sponsors and current ticket holders who have hung in there with us!

Villa Victoria will be held on **Sunday 8 November 2020**.

The start and end times remain unchanged, 10:30am-2:30pm.

We will re-commence ticket sales - please purchase from  
<https://www.trybooking.co.nz/DUF>

Pop the date in your diaries and spread the word! The Facebook event will be back up very soon, please share it with your friends.

Fingers crossed we will be in Level 1 come 8 November, however in the event we are at Level 2 or higher - we will unfortunately have to cancel the event and will arrange refunds at that stage.

Please support these local businesses who continue to support our school and this event:

- Just Paterson Real Estate
- Armstrong Prestige Wellington
- The Axe
- Stacks Furniture
- a.k.a. Architecture
- Bicycle Junction
- Style Gorgeous
- Fix & Fogg
- Havana Coffee

Please contact us if you have any questions.

Kind regards  
CQS Whanau & Friends  
[waf@clydequay.school.nz](mailto:waf@clydequay.school.nz)



# SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTIONS



## CLYDE QUAY SCHOOL

### Board Election

Nominations are open for the election of **3** parent representatives to the school board.

All eligible voters will receive a nomination form and a notice calling for nominations – you can use this form to nominate yourself or someone in your community.

If you need more nomination forms, contact the school office.

Nominations close at noon on **Friday 30 October 2020**. You may provide a signed candidate statement and photograph with your nomination.

The electoral roll is held at the school and can be viewed during normal school hours.

As nominations are received, there will be a list of candidates' names kept at the school up until election day, which you can view.

Voting closes at **4pm on Wednesday 2 December 2020**.

Signed Catherine Dunn  
Returning Officer

## REMINDER

### **PARENT INFORMATION EVENING for parents of Year 5-8 students.**

**Thursday 15th October**

**6:30 - 7:30pm**

**In Rimu**

**Please RSVP so that we can ensure we have the room set up for the right number of people.**

[mel.sutton@clydequay.school.nz](mailto:mel.sutton@clydequay.school.nz)

Relationships and Sexuality Education is part of the New Zealand Curriculum, and it is a required part of the Health and Physical Education learning area from Years 1 – 10.

The purpose of Relationships and Sexuality Education is to provide students with the knowledge, understanding and skills to develop resilience and positive attitudes, demonstrate empathy, practise responsibility, to take care of their health, and to enhance their interpersonal relationships, now and in the future.

Your child will be taught using a programme called Navigating the Journey, developed by Family Planning. Learning opportunities are explored within five themes:

1. Establishing a positive learning environment: Te whakarite i tētahi ao ako huapai
2. Who am I? Ko wai au?
3. Relationships: Ngā whanaungatanga
4. Growing and changing: Te tipu me te huri o te tangata
5. Staying safe: Te noho haumaruru

You are welcome to contact your child's class teacher to discuss the programme or to view any of the teaching materials used. These can also be viewed online, via the [www.familyplanning.org.nz](http://www.familyplanning.org.nz). As advertised in last term's newsletter we are having an information evening for parents of Year 5 - 8 students so you can hear about aspects of the programme and how things are addressed.

The evening is for parents only. If you do need to bring your child with you, we can provide supervision in the library, but we will need to know in advance to ensure staffing.

Relationships and Sexuality Education is a valuable part of a child's learning, so we hope all children in the class will be present for this programme. However, if you do not wish your child to participate in an aspect of the programme please let the Principal know in writing before the programme starts. Class teachers will begin the programme next week.

We look forward to working with the students through this exciting programme and hope you are able to take the opportunity to have many interesting discussions with your child regarding the content of the programme.

Ngā mihi,  
Rimu and Karaka teachers



## Senior Camp

Camp Monday 19 October, arrive at school 7.30am onwards, for 7.40am roll call!

Pick up 3pm Wednesday 21st October.

IMPORTANT DATES	WHATS HAPPENING
15 October 2020	Family Planning Parent Evening 6.30pm Yr 5-8 Puberty Programme
17 October 2020	NZ Elections (Karaka) Election Day BBQ & Entertainment 11.00am-2.00pm
19-21 October 2020	Senior Camp
23 October 2020	School Photos (Tararua Tramping Hall)
26 October 2020	Labour Day (Public Holiday)
3 November 2020	Central Zone Athletics Board of Trustees Meeting
8 November 2020	Villa Victoria House Tour
13 November 2020	Nacho Lunch (tbc)
17 November 2020	Inter Zone Athletics
23 November 2020	Teacher's Professional Development Day No School
1 December 2020	Regional Athletics Board of Trustees Meeting
15 December 2020	Last day of school for the year

Please check your child's schoolbag as this week they would have received an advice form with regards to school photos happening next Friday 23 October.

## Clyde Quay School on Friday 23rd October, 2020

We will photograph portraits of all students as well as class photos.

**You do not order/pay for your child's portraits or class photos until AFTER PHOTODAY.**

You will receive an order form featuring a photo of your child after photoday. (Packs available below)

### Pack A \$40.00



### Pack B \$35.00



#### Packs include:

- Pack A: 10x8, 2x 5x7, Postcards, Wallets, Calendar and Class
- Pack B: 2x 5x7, Postcards, Wallets, and Class
- Pack C: 1x 5x7 and Class
- Pack D: 2x 5x7, Postcards, Wallets, but no Class
- Pack E: Class only

#### Complimentary

Packs A-D include portrait file voucher. Email the code on the included voucher to us, and we send the file by return.  
A,B & D include complimentary B&W 5x7's.

### Pack C \$30.00



### Pack D (Portraits) \$20.00



### Pack E (Class) \$16.00



### Pack prices (do not pay now)

- A = 40.00
- B = 35.00
- C = 30.00
- D = 20.00
- E = 16.00

Family/Sibling Photos: Order form is on reverse of advice note which your child will bring home. Order form **MUST** be returned to school office before photoday for photo to be taken.

## Community Notices

### Next Chapter Parenting

[www.nextchapterparenting.co.nz](http://www.nextchapterparenting.co.nz) is offering a free parenting course to parents who might be having a struggle in managing their children, or just need some tips and advice. This course does work and has the potential to be very helpful. All it requires is for parents to look, read, watch and hopefully gain out of the process. The course is offered on the website and is set out in video, and in written format.

Based on filial therapy principles, it is child centred and most definitely works for those that put in the time. Have a look! And happy parenting:)

Should you require further information please do not hesitate to contact [nextchapterparenting@gmail.com](mailto:nextchapterparenting@gmail.com)

### BIGAIR GYMSPORTS TAWA

Is your child wanting to learn how to handstand, cartwheel or flip? Do you want them to feel strong and confident, and learn in a safe and encouraging environment? Come to Bigair! Our experienced coaches run classes such as **Gymnastics, Tumbling, Trampolining, Parkour and Cheerleading!** Our classes support children of all skill levels to learn and develop new skills and abilities, improving their fitness and co-ordination, and boosting self-esteem! BOOK NOW for TERM 4!

Bigair Gym Tawa: 04 2323508 or [office@bigairgym.co.nz](mailto:office@bigairgym.co.nz)

### Wellington Spring Clean - Down to earth kiwis DTEK

**Sunday, 25 October 2020 from 9:30am -1.00pm**

Evans Bay Yacht & Motor Boat Club

Hosted by Daniel Anderton, Iselde De Boam and Down To Earth Kiwis NZ Group - DTEK NZ

Meet at 9.30am at Evans bay yacht club car park (by the wind needle) for our safety brief at roughly 10am. Beach and dive clean ups to follow and then we make our way to the finish point at Island bay park for a BBQ & spot prizes at 1pm.

The dive clean-up will be for experienced, pre-registered divers only and the beach clean ups will be family friendly and we'd love to see everyone there!

We will bring rubbish sacs, disposable gloves and sunscreen and have sharps and sanitary disposal as well as first-aiders in each crew but of course if you have your own gear that is fantastic.

### Singing Lessons

Experienced singing/performance teacher available for individual lessons. 35min \$35 60min \$50. Casual for fun or competitive training, great for confidence/self esteem/personality development. Based in Te Aro in a lovely comfortable space. Weekdays or Weekend slots avail. Jazz/pop/musical theatre. All ages but specialises in youth. Check out vocal and performance lessons with Jacquie Fee on Facebook for further info and videos! Free consultation - whanau welcome to observe. Open to have a korero about payment options. 0220976101-jacquiefree@gmail.com <https://www.facebook.com/Jacquiefeesinging>

### PARENTING COURSE INITIATING INDEPENDENCE – Parenting 6 to 12-year olds

The Course starts from 28 October. 2 hours per week for 6 weeks. Wednesday 7 pm – 9 pm. Small group classes (max. 12 people) in Parent Help offices: Level 4, 175 Victoria Street, Wellington.

Learn skills to communicate with and support your child. Understand your child's behavior. Feel empowered to solve behavioural issues. Register here [www.parenthelp.org.nz/ii](http://www.parenthelp.org.nz/ii)