

The Rise UP Academy Newsletter

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Tena Koutou Katoa,

Welcome back to Rise UP Academy 2020. The new year brings a fresh start at our new site and we are as excited as you are about the new learning environment. The children are happy and are settling in well. Every time we walk into the school



gate may we all be reminded that God's Grace changes everything!

Thank you to those who attended the dawn service blessing of the new school, please continue to pray



for covering, wisdom, well-being and protection over our students as we build the partnership with Sir Douglas Bader Intermediate School. It is wonderful to see everyone following the new school guidelines and Health & Safety measures in place as we complete the property works. We appreciate your patience as we work towards having all communications up and running in the next few weeks.



Please continue to call the school mobile if you have any questions or concerns until the landline is installed. Enjoy the hot sunny days with your whanau.

To God be the glory, Sita Selupe









SCHOOL TIMES

8.15am- Gate is open for students

8.30am– 1st bell rings (get ready for learning e.g. pencils sharpened, bottles filled, toilet stop)

8.45am– 2nd bell, School Starts and its Focussed learning time

10.50-11.30 Morning Tea

1.00-1.40 Lunch time

3.00 School Ends

3.15-4.30 After School Programme (Mon—Wed)



WELCOME TO Term One, 2020

Curriculum Area Focus: Social Science



This term our Inquiry learning is about 'Everyone Belongs'.

The children will be exploring their new classroom/school environment spaces. They will also look at their new community and the facilities that are placed around Mangere. It will also entail that even though we have 2 schools on the one property, we can still belong as one whanau, one community where 'Everyone Belongs'.

'School Uniform, sun hats & drink bottles'

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Well done RUA Whanau - our children are looking

AMAZING in their correct school uniform. Let's continue this standard



of excellence especially in our new school grounds. We appreciate your support in this area. The sun is still blazing so please ensure your child brings a hat and drink bottle to school each day. We have taps around the school for your child to fill their bottles.

HEALTHY LUNCHES - SHARP MINDS, STRONG BODIES & GOOD HEARTS.



Thank you parents for providing healthy lunches in your child's school lunches. We have been seeing lots of fruits and healthy sandwiches in their lunch boxes these past two weeks. Well Done!!



HOUSE COLOURED T-SHIRTS

This year your child/ren are needing a change of P.E uniform when they are playing outside for sports and during the After School Programmes. Your child has been allocated a House Team (view list on newsletter) to what plain coloured t-shirt you would need to purchase from any local Kmart, Warehouse, or any local store. It is important that the children do have a change of clothing for hygiene purposes. Thank you



House Team List on the last page.



Parent Volunteers for EOTC to ASB Polyfest

We are seeking x2 parent helpers to help supervise groups of children to attend ASB Cultural Festival – Polyfest.

Please view the permission slip attached to the newsletter for more details and dates.









WHANAU NOTICES

HEARTS & MINDS:

Hearts & Minds -our parents programme starts Wednesday 26th February 6:15pm-8.30pm for six weeks... It is open to the community and it's FREE. Please let your families and friends know about the programme. Also if you would like to attend any of the sessions as a refresher you are more than welcome to please let the BLC (Building learning communities) team know.

Hearts & Minds Programme topics

26.02	21ST Century Learning
04.03	Learning styles
11.03	Love Languages
18.03	Personalities
25.03	Children Problem solving
01.04	Culture & Education



Active Families

Active Families is a (12 week) programme which aims to empower parents to be their child's Health & Well-being coach in Manukau. The programme includes 10 Wise Kai Nutrition tips, cooking demonstrations and physical activity. At the end of each term families also go on family fun excursions such as rock climbing etc.

VARIETY SPONSORSHIP FOR

FAMILIES: Variety charity offer sponsorship for children: If your whanau earn *no more than* (income from all sources after tax) per child per week:

> \$850 per week 1 children \$950 per week 2 children \$1050 per week 3 children \$1140 per week 4 children

Each child can receive an average of \$405 per child. Sponsorship is for basic essentials such as clothing, bedding, shoes, car seats, lunch boxes and drink bottles School related costs such as school fees, school camps or trips, stationery and uniforms Medical fees such as doctors' prescription fees, charges and optometry costs Extra-curricular costs such as swimming lessons, sports fees, sports uniforms.

You can apply online at https:// www.variety.org.nz/apply-forfunding/ or you can pick up a form from Cecily Taufelila.

GOOD TO GO VOLUNTEER ARM

A huge thank you to all our parent volunteers who helped supervise our children at the Otahuhu Pools after school on Tuesday. Your help was greatly appreciated as this particular Tuesday deemed to be a very busy one. We will endeavour to get there a little bit earlier so we are on time for our session start times. It was really good for our children to cool down over this heat wave.

If you are free from 3pm-4.30pm on a Tuesday please come down. WE NEED YOUR EYES



Computers In Homes



COMPUTERS IN HOMES PROGRAMME 2020 **Google Docs** Chromebook

Monday 16 & Tues. 17th March	5pm-8.30pm	
Monday 23 rd & Tues. 24 th March	5pm-8.30pm	
Monday 30 th & 31 st March	5pm-8.30pm	
Monday 6th & Tues. 7th April	5pm-8.30pm	

Criteria for registration

Qualification -No higher than Level 2 NCEA, grandparents welcome

\$60 payment for Chromebook

100% attendance

Must have gmail account and a mobile phone to create gmail account

To register contact Andrew, Grace or Cecily

Kevin Pasene will be facilitating the 'Computer in

Programme' which starts on Monday 16th March 5.30pm -8.30pm. There will be 8 workshops over the course of four weeks. This is a great opportunity to learn about Chromebooks and Google Docs. Participants must complete the criteria before completing the course. Chromebook cost \$60. There will be a series of workshops throughout the year and in each workshop module there will be 10 people. If you would like to register please email Grace: after.s@riseuptrust.org.nz

Rise Up Academy Team Houses

2020	POHIVA	BANKS	SIŌ	NGARO
STAFF	Mrs Selupe	Mrs Viliamu	Mr Andrew	Ms Sifaheone
STAFF	Miss Taufelila	Whaea Nerina	Miss Kirinoa	Mrs Key
STAFF	Mrs Faga	Mrs Seni	Mrs Govender	Mrs Muller
STAFF	Mr Selupe	Mrs S	Miss Grace	Miss Laura
STAFF	Miss Mary-Ellen	Mrs Godinet	Whaea Maureen	Mr Kevin
.eaders	Leah Johnson	Grace Ng Shiu	Tehaina Popata-Strickland	Michael Fe'ao
eaders	Cyrus Holloway	Mark Angelo Mareko	Caleb Leulua'i-Alo	Prayer Suamasi
1.	Tre tevr	Ekamjeet Singh	Tee Popata	Petuliki Malelei
2.	Papa Teaurere	Caleb Foley	Zephiniah Toleafoa	Gideon Fe'ao
3.	Neil Yeng-Tung	Harjas Singh	Tyrell Talisa-Sosene	Toakase Malelei
4.	Usaia Teaurere	Jacob Lilo-Tua Akatea	Cairo Tapu	Eden Pasene
5.	David ⁱ sson Otto	Josiah Lilo-Tua Akatea	Hemowai Popata	Zorama Matamaki
6.	Jeronyy Otto	Jordyn Herringer-Tomuli	Nevaeh Letiu	Ema Langi
7.	RJ Apolo	Loimata Lilo-Tua Akatea	Rettomae Martin	Leilani Langi
8.	Uikelotu Loumoli	Jasmine Kaur	Izrael Talisa-Søsene	Onosa'i Titimanu
9.	Arthur Ikihele	Pedro Seniloli	Aaliyah Martin	Lynell Matamaki
10.	Micah Waites	Ayaan Samy	Mereana Papata	Akapei Titimanu
11.	Bentley Peauafi	Sinai Mareko	Hadassah Peauafi	Isabelle MacGregor
12.	Norton Karaitiana	Genesis Peato	Ulaiași Peauați	Fisi-Anne Sifaheone
13.	Cassius Strickland-Parekura	Tyler Henry	Nissi Letiu	Skye Suamasi
14.	Katalya Strickland-Paerkura	Shayla-Kay Ngatoko	Denzell Tapu	
15.		Brianna Herringer-Tomuli	Viliami Talisa Sosene	

Whanau Devotions

Devotion topic: Everyone Belongs

Scripture for the term:

1 Corinthians 13:4-7

Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It does not dishonor others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres.

Scripture for the week:

Proverbs 22:6 Train up a child to know how to live his or her life and when they are old, grown up, they will know how to live well.

<u>Learning Intention</u>: We are learning about the role our parents have in our life. (To train us up for life as a big person).

Success criteria:

I can listen and follow my parent or parents instructions at home (respect)

I can show appreciation to my parents (thanking them)

<u>Prayer requests:</u>

- Thanks and praise be to God for His blessings of our new property.
- Property transition: All milestones to be completed. Partnership with Sir Douglas Bader Intermediate board, staff and children.
- Continued partnership with our parents.
- Staff & whanau well-being
- Healing for sicknesses & illness in our children, parents & staff.
- Teaching & learning programmes for our focus students.
- Health & Safety: Protection for our students during the property building work that has continued.

Praise be to our God for answered prayer!

