

Dear Parents, Whanau and Caregivers
Kia Ora Koutou.

14 April 2021

Thank you for the way you have supported your children this term. Working together means better outcomes for children and we certainly have evidence in our classrooms of creative learning and positive progress. The children are extremely proud to share their work with me and I would like to acknowledge the children and the teachers for all their efforts to achieve learning goals.

This Friday is the last day for both the Kelly Club and the St Aubyn's Church After School Care programmes. We thank them both for the service they have given to the school community over many years.

Below is information about the new After School programme operating in the hall from Monday May 3 (first day of term).



After School Care

Introducing After School Care at Bankwood school starting term 2 2021. The YMCA programme is run in our School Hall.

The YMCA is a fully accredited Ministry of Social Development provider who meets all legal requirements and provides our "out of school services"

The fees for "out of school care" can be subsidised by WINZ and students can have a regular or casual booking.

For more information on times, pricing, bookings and what our programme has to offer click the link

<https://www.ymcauckland.org.nz/find-your-local/hamilton-recreation-centre/out-of-school-care/>

Upcoming Events

Friday	16 April	Last day of Term School finishes at 3pm
Monday	3 May	Term 2 Starts
Friday	4 June	Teacher Only Day - no school for children

Positive Behaviour for Learning (PB4L)



Regards, Kay Cleaver, Principal.

Enjoy Room 8's Writing!

What we learnt when Ruben the Road Safety Bear Came to school....



Ruben and me walk on the zebra crossing holding hands. We are being safe.

By Kesaia

I am wearing bright clothes because it helps the cars to see me.

By Legend

At the zebra crossing we stop, look and listen before we cross the road.

By Khalesha

Ruben stops and waits for the cars.

By Leia

Stop, listen and look up sneaky driveways.

By Hyrum

I am holding hands with Mum and dad to cross the road.

By Leah

Other Writing Gems...

I want my tooth to come out so I can get money!

By Jack

My Dad gets hot when he boxes.

By Amelia

In my whanau, Dad likes to cook pasta.

By Sophie

This is my new bunny but his parents are in the wild.

By Aizen

My Dad builds robots because he likes them.

By Willem

Me and Hope found the same colour egg!

By Sapphire