

Mission statement: "Iti rearea teitei kahikatea ka taea"
Even the small rearea bird can ascend to the great heights of the Kahikatea tree

OUR SCHOOL VISION: LEARNING TODAY FOR A BETTER TOMORROW

Tenei ra akomo te upopo pai

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Term 4, Week 6, 2022

Tēnā koutou katoa,

School pool:

Pools keys are available to those in our community. The costs of the keys are \$50 for those with akonga at our kura and \$75 for other community members.

Pool keys are available NOW!!

Please be aware that you will need to pay online or at the office before you receive your pool key. As a pool user you have certain obligations. These can be found on the "Pool users Obligations" form you will need to read and sign.

Please contact Krystal in our school office 033048629 to arrange for a key pick up!

Ministry of Education Transition funding:

Okains Bay School applied for and was successful in obtaining funding to support Year 8 akonga who have had their learning disrupted by Covid. D McDonald has been offered time on Monday, Wednesday and Friday to work with these lucky akonga until the end of this year.

Banks Peninsula Athletics:

On Friday 18 November the Banks Peninsula athletics were held at Little River School. Congratulations to everyone who competed.

Okains Bay School results were as follows:

<u>Year 8 Girls:</u>	High Jump –	Grace Mills 1 st
	Discuss-	Grace Mills 3 rd
	100m Sprints	Grace Mills 2 nd
	1200m	Grace Mills 3 rd
<u>Year 5 Boys:</u>	80m Sprints	Nikau Wilson 2 nd
	Shotput	Nikau Wilson 2 nd
	High Jump	Nikau Wilson 3 rd
	Long Jump	Nikau Wilson 2 nd

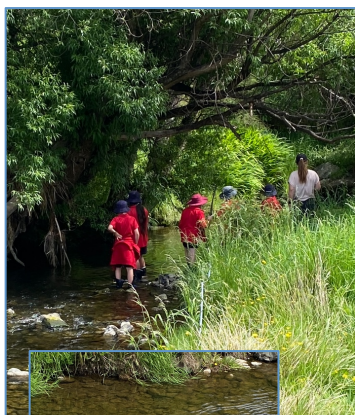
Congratulations to everyone from Okains Bay School who competed on this day.

Have a superb weekend, everyone.

Te rangimarie ki a koutou

Colin, Jade, Krystal and Jo

Last Wednesday we took part in a water/stream study. We tested the water for clarity and acidity. We took animal samples and identified the types of creatures found in our local waterway. Thank you to Toni from EnviroSchools for coming out and helping us.



Okains Bay Community news!



Project Wondergirl is Camp Wondergirl's (CWG) signature 5-day leadership programme. CWG inspires, empowers and educates girl's ages 8-12 to explore mindfulness, embrace uniqueness, and express their superpowers! The mission is to make sure every girl knows she is a Wondergirl - powerful, loving, and unique.

Date @ Time Monday 9th - Friday 13th January 9am - 4pm

Location: Steiner School, Christchurch

For more details: [click here](#)

The Akaroa and Bays Swimming 2023 Swimming Lessons.

Jan 9- 10-11-12- and 16-17-18-19
\$80 both weeks \$50 single week

Contact Carol O for enrolment or questions.

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Upcoming Events

Tues 29 Nov ERO Christine visiting
Thur 1 Dec School audit
Thur 1 Dec AAS Enviro mtg
Sat 3 Dec Board Staff function
Mon 5 Dec CRT day
Mon 5 Dec Year 8 leaving dinner
Tues 6 Dec BOT meeting 3:30
Thurs 8 Dec Reports completed
Mon 12 Dec Reports sent home
Tues 13 Dec Water check today
Thurs 15 Dec End of Year assembly / Afternoon tea
Fri 16 Dec Last Day –Funday - BBQ lunch