



Sutton Park School Newsletter – 27 Nov. 2024

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Nga mihi, mālō e lelei, talofa lava, kia orana, bula, namaste, talofa ni, fakalofa lahi atu, sabiadee, ola, bonjour, ni hao, welcome, konichi wa, আবে

Term 4, Week 7 Wednesday 27 November 2024

Term 4 Theme: Relook, Reflect, Refresh

Term 4 Values: Excellence & Diversity

Cultural Extravaganza 2024 ‘Celebrating all of our cultures at Sutton Park School’

This Friday is our annual Cultural Extravaganza for 2024, and we are all excited and looking forward to showcasing the cultural talents we have here at Sutton Park School. At Sutton Park School, we want all of our tamariki/children to be proud of who they are and to be proud of where they come from. Our school ensures that no one is left out and that we are all part of a big family in our community.

I want to invite all our families to our Cultural Extravaganza evening to support all our children who have put in a lot of hard work. We have a selection of performances where you will be entertained. We have food stalls available so come and support our local families with their food stalls. (If you have booked a stall, please pay your \$20 at the office). Only a few reminders of our expectations at our school. Let's keep our school clean by using the rubbish bins around the school. There is **absolutely no vaping, smoking or alcohol on school grounds**. No bikes or scooters on school grounds and our carpark is only for staff parking.

I am looking forward to seeing you on Friday. Take care.

Prizegiving 2024

Prizegiving is an important part of any school life. We want to make all of our prizegiving events special to celebrate the successes of all our prize winners. Letters will be sent out soon for all the nominees in each of the categories in the different syndicates and whanau (bilingual) prizegivings. We would like to remind parents that we no longer have lolly necklaces as we are strictly a non-sugar school, so I would really appreciate it if there were other means of celebrating our nominees and winners. Flowers and flower necklaces are acceptable. Thank you for understanding.



Above left: Rm 3 excited to win best attendance last week.



Right: Some students went to the local park to collect rubbish yesterday.

Below: Support Staff receiving their affirmation awards at assembly last week.



Term 4 Dates -please add to your diary or calendar

Week 7:

Wed 27 Nov: 2025 Parents' Camp meeting 4.30pm staffroom

Friday 29 Nov: Cultural Extravaganza starting 4pm

Week 8:

Tues 3 Dec: Aorangi Fun Day (at school)

: Rumaki Whanau Hui 4.30pm

Friday 6 Dec: Mr Whippy on site for Week 7 and Week 8

Week 9: Prizegiving week

Mon 9 Dec: Sports Prizegiving 10am

Tues 10 Dec: Whenua Prizegiving 9.15am

: Moana Prizegiving 11.30am

Wed 11 Dec: Sia Ua Prizegiving 9.15am

: Masina Va'aia Prizegiving 11.30am

Thurs 12 Dec: Rumaki Reo Prizegiving 9.15am - Pool Trip

Friday 13 Dec: Aorangi Prizegiving 9.15am

: Atea Prizegiving 11.30am

: Whenua Trip to Chipmunks (\$10)

: Moana Fun Day (at school)

Week 10:

Mon 16 Dec: Atea Fun Day to Panmure Pools (\$10)

Tues 17 Dec: School Reports issued; Y8 Dine and Dance

Wed 18 Dec: Last day of the year finish at 12noon

Our major focus points in 2025

Attendance, Structured Literacy & Structured Maths will be the main focus points next year. Just to give you a heads up we will be focusing more on Structured Literacy and then slowly introduce Structured Maths. I do not want to overwhelm our teachers with the new Literacy and Maths programmes, so we are working to the pace of our teachers to ensure these programmes are well implemented next year. Attendance will be the focus right at the start of 2025. We need your support in ensuring your children are at school every day, for them to grasp onto new knowledge every day.

Out of zone families

This is only a friendly reminder for all our families in our community. If you are out of zone and you want to enrol your child/ren into our school, you can only go into the Rumaki Maori class, Tongan Bilingual unit or the Samoan Bilingual unit. You cannot request for your child/ren to be in the mainstream if you are out-of-zone. It is illegal if you are using any family address around Sutton Park School to enrol your child/ren if you do not stay at that place. It is a serious offence to falsify your address.

Y7&8 Camp 2025 Parent's Meeting 4.30pm today

If you have a Y6 or Y7 student this year, please come along to be informed about next year's camp, today at 4.30pm in the staffroom.

MOSA Athletics

Our Year 5-6 athletes will be competing at the Year 5-6 Athletics tomorrow 28th November in Papakura. All the best to our athletes. This will be the last sporting event for MOSA this year.

Vaitimu Togi Lemanu, Principal



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New Entrant Enrolments and Transitioning

If you have a child wanting to start school Term 1 2025, please enrol them now! Students turning 5 / new entrants **must** have a transition before starting school.

Birthdays this week and next...

Tomorrow: Setiana R20
Saturday: Tanush R13A
Monday: Mary-Anne R25
Tuesday: Pesalili R13B



Best Attendance for Term 4 Week 6:

Well done to these classes who will be receiving their Mr Whippy treat on Friday:
Whenua: R13A 90% and R4 89%
Moana: R6 92% and R17 91%
Aorangi: R7 91% and R16 90%
Atea: R8 88% and R9 88%



Success Stories from our Past Students

It is always great to hear the success stories from our past students who have achieved Excellence in Year 13. If you know any past students doing well, we would like to hear from you.

PE Shirts for Y7&8

We have sizes 8, XL, 2XL, 3XL and 4XL available for sale. \$22 each from the school office.

2025 confirmed dates:

Term 1 Wednesday 29th January 2025 - Friday 11th April
Term 2 Monday 28th April - Friday 27th June
Term 3 Monday 14th July - Friday 19th September
Term 4 Monday 6th October - Friday 12th December

Our school office will be open on Tuesday 28th January 2025 at 9:00am.

Camp Payments – Thank you to those who have paid.

A friendly reminder that if your child went to camp and you have not yet paid, please do so! Full cost is \$100 per student. This can be paid in smaller instalments. Payments can be made in the office by Eftpos or cash, or via bank transfer: ASB: 12 3079 0198868 00 Please use child's name and Camp24 as references.

Awhina group

Please contact our Awhina Team if you or your children need any support to attend school, (i.e. uniform, stationery). The contact email for this group is: awhimaiawhiatu@suttonpark.school.nz

SWiS - Social Worker In School

This is one of the services that really helps out our families. Our SWiS worker (Eunice) is able to help families who are struggling, she can also direct you to where you need to go for further assistance. Please connect with her via email: Eunice@mefsc.org.nz or Ph: 021 417 321

Mobile phones

Just a reminder to our parents that we have a mobile phone policy that has been mandated by the government. No student should be carrying around a mobile phone at school. **All mobile phones should be handed into the office in the morning and picked up after school.**

Contact details

If any of your contact details have changed, please let the office know (addresses, phone numbers etc.)



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