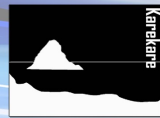




Glen Eden Intermediate School



Kia Ora and Greetings

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

This week we have had our tri-annual visit from the Education Review Office. Three ERO auditors have been working in the school observing classes and asking the question: "How effectively does this school's curriculum promote student learning, engagement, progress and achievement?"

On Monday morning the whole school welcomed the ERO team in the Gymnasium. The ERO team then worked with our Leadership Team, Staff and Board of Trustees over the week. We will feedback findings to the community later in the term.

Thankyou and congratulations to our Kapahaka Group who performed a great powhiri at the welcome assembly on Monday morning.

Congratulations to ...

Samuel Hill, Rm 30, who has been selected to play for the 2011 Auckland West Rollermills Representative Rugby team.

ICAS Spelling Exam Results

Congratulations to all the students who participated in the ICAS Spelling exam. Well done to the following students who received either a High Distinction (placed in the top 1% of all Year 7/8 NZ students who participated) or a Distinction

(placed in the top 5% of all Year 7/8 NZ students who participated):

High Distinction
Humphrey Yuan

Di Kun Ong

Distinction

Cullen Erson

Jack Hassell

Lara Middlebrook

Sue Ko

Estella Nelson

Katie Wilson

Kizzie Amoore

Rowan Hart

Josh Rundle

Paris Laverty

Chelsea Lopez

Jaynie Ng

Ashley McKenna

Zoe Allott

Ruben Mita

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Coming Events

School Social	Fri 16 Sept
BOT Meeting, 6.30pm	Wed 21 Sept
GEIS Has Got Talent	Wed 28 Sept
End of Term 3	Fri 7 Oct

NZAIMS COMPETITION 2011

This year five teams represented Glen Eden Intermediate at the Intermediate Schools National Sporting tournament held in Mt Maunganui and Taurangi.

The week long tournament started on Sunday 28th August with the opening ceremony at Bay of Plenty's brand new stadium, TECT Arena. Over 4,500 athletes and 900 coaches and managers represented 121 intermediate schools from around NZ. Olympic and World champion NZ rowing representative Rob Waddell opened the National tournament.

GEIS was represented in netball, boys basketball, boys foot-

ball, girls football and waterpolo. With a team of 55 athletes and a strong support team of parents, caregivers and teachers, GEIS was well prepared for the tough competition throughout the week.

Our GEIS teams felt success and defeat throughout the week. The Gladiators team pulled together for support and had to really pull through the tough games both physically and mentally. We are proud of all our students with their success with gaining medals and placing at a national tournament. Throughout the week, selectors chose individuals in each code to be named in a tournament team.

Special thanks to all our parents who supported GEIS throughout the week at NZAIMS. Your tireless work with washing our uniforms, driving the teams to their sporting venues, support on the sideline, first aid and physio, cooking meals, pastoral care and having a great sense of humour, we couldn't have done it without you. Thank you to our master chef Ingrid Conlon for taking control of our kitchen and feeding the hungry athletes and adults everyday.

TOURNAMENT TEAMS:

WATERPOLO

Theo Bailey, Troy Armstrong, Nick Stankovich

BOY'S FOOTBALL

Cory Dawson, Bradley Ward

GIRL'S FOOTBALL

Nicole Mettam, Leah Mettam

BOY'S BASKETBALL

Takiula Fahrensohn, Esau Luke

★ GEIS 2011 NZAIMS RESULTS

Waterpolo	1st place
Girls Football	3rd place
Boys Basketball	3rd place
Boys Football	4th place
Netball	31st place

Congratulations to all our students who competed to such a high level at the tournament and represented our school so well, and a huge thank you to all the coaches, managers, referees and support crews.

Ms Vai, Sports Coordinator



GEIS Has Got Talent

28 September, 7.00pm,
GEIS Auditorium

Tickets on sale now from the Finance Office for \$5 each. Buy 4 and get one free. Be in quick, this will be a sold out event. No door sales.

Letter of thanks from Konini School

to the 6 boys who helped them by refereeing at their annual inter-school tournament on 24 August.

"All the boys did a fantastic job refereeing games. They were reliable, conscientious, responsible and were great ambassadors for GEIS. They represented their school well"

Thanks to **Nick Stankovich R27; Todd Wannan R16; Cory Dawson R17; Nathan Ivory R9; Sam McAllister R9 and Liam Barnaby R7.**



Student Council News

Over the past few weeks, the Student Council have been talking about a lot of things that will happen during Term 3. We have been discussing Daffodil Day, Wheels Day, Mufti Day and lots more. We also discussed where the money that is raised from these activities will go. We donated \$800.00 from Mufti Day to the Raukatauri Music Therapy Centre. \$112.00 was raised from the Wheels Day and this will be donated to another charity. Thank you to everyone who participated in these fundraisers.

Kind regards

The GEIS Student Council

GEIS 50TH JUBILEE 4th & 5th November 2011
Register on line at www.geis.school.nz or contact the school office



Nurse's Corner

PRE-TEEN/ TEEN DEHYDRATION

This simply means your body isn't getting enough water for what it is doing which can lead to serious health problems and worsen the typical nasties like acne and obesity. The brain, heart and liver are the organs that get the water first and the skin is one of the last.

So what happens when you are dehydrated?

PROBLEMS WITH THINKING/
CONCENTRATION—Your brain can't function without lots of water

TIREDDNESS—Your body is shutting down

DIZZINESS

LIGHT-HEADEDNESS

DEVELOPMENT OR WORSENING OF ALLERGIES OR ASTHMA—there can be an over-production of histamines as the body tries to conserve water

WEIGHT GAIN—Over eating of salt/sugar and chemical loaded foods draws water away from certain functions in the body as the water is urgently needed to eliminate the salts/sugars and chemicals.

ACNE—Your skin is the largest organ in your body and needs lots of water to look good and to reduce the redness of acne and the concentration of the oil glands.

NO FOOD/FLUIDS =

DEHYDRATION = FEELING UNWELL

Principal's Honour Roll

Congratulations to the following students who are recent Principal's Honour Roll recipients:

Poppy John
Marissa Stewart
Yongmie Chansavang
Khatima Mohammadi
Lorenzo Dorian
Kage Te Hira
Charlotte Howard
Dylan Hunter
Deenya Cummings
Danyon Dvorak
Parsa Kanani-Khosroshahi
Dereece Mene-Burgess
Paris Lee Jordan Bolus
Jacob Moir
Aneeqa Jacobs
Jake England Jack Mitchell
Tim Proctor
Natasha Makene
Taylor Foster Ryan Johnson

Can you help...?

We are making pompoms in our Trash to Fashion Pace Group and would love any donations of wool. Please send to the Textiles Room or the front office. Thank you.

Cookbook Fundraiser

Party Food for Girls, \$27.99.

This beautiful book has been written by one of our students and her mother. Great as a present or for your own use. GEIS makes \$2 from every book sold through the school. Order forms coming home shortly.

Kind regards

Terry Hewetson
Principal

Community Notices

AUCKLAND COUNCIL—FREE THREE-HOUR COURSES ON "How to Make fantastic fertiliser and soil conditioner from food and garden waste using worm farming, conventional composting and Bokashi fermentation".

Bookings are essential:

Ph Kaipatiki, 09 482 1172

VENUES IN:

Titirangi: 25 Sept 10am—1pm

Avondale: Sat 1 Oct, 10am—1pm

New Lynn: Tue 11 Oct, 6pm—9pm

www.createyouroweden.org.nz

FANCY PLAYING SOFTBALL? Western Magpies are looking for new and experienced softball players aged 10-19 for the coming season. Interested? Call Chris, Ph: 814 9605 Email: chrislynn@xtra.co.nz.

NIPPERS REGISTRATION DAY, PIHA SURF LIFESAVING CLUB 2nd October @ 10am. For children aged 5-13 years. Contact Toni Walker, toni.walker@clear.net.nz or see the website www.pihalsc.com

GREEN BAY HIGH SCHOOL
Enrolling 4.00-6.00pm on Thurs 8th, Tues 12th & Thurs 15th September.

Appointments during these times are not necessary. If an appointment to enrol at another time is required, please contact the school office on 817-8173 ext. 201. For enrolment, please bring your child, a copy of their birth certificate or passport and their latest report.

"WIZARD OF OZ" —CIVIC THEATRE, 10-18 SEPTEMBER.

Tickets from buytickets.co.nz,

PH 0800BUYTICKETS

Presented by Peach Theatre Company

DIOCESAN SCHOOL FOR GIRLS

Open Day Thursday 29 September

9.30am-12.30pm



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