



BC PRIMARY NEWSLETTER



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Kia ora Parents/Caregivers,

Here we are midway through the first term with lots of great learning happening.

While we were in Level 2 we returned to recording our Friday assembly which I hope you were able to see via the link posted.

E2 and E4 shared a very good range of items, with skits, literacy items and dance.



TERM 1 KEY DATES

NORTH CLUSTER SWIMMING SPORTS (Y5-6)
Wednesday 17th March (Katikati)

HOUSE TABLOIDS
Friday 19th March 11am – 1.15pm

TENT DAY Y2
Thursday 25th March

MARAE TRIP (Y2&4)
Monday 29th March

MARAE TRIP (Y6)
Tuesday 30th March

EASTER SERVICE
Thursday 1 April 1.30pm – 2.30pm
BC Events Centre

Our Vision
To be a Christian learning community of excellence where lives are transformed.



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Mrs West introduced our 2021 student leaders. It has been very encouraging to see the number of students who have put themselves forward in numerous leadership roles, this is a wonderful example of demonstrating the servant hearted BCP Learner.



Servant Hearted:
I develop and use my
God given gifts to
serve and grow
others



Joel Black, Izayah Te Aotonga, Oliver Jackson, Ziaan Bonthuys,
Psalm Rolleston, Ellie Lewis, Keira O'Hanlon, Aria Kidd
Jessica Macfarlane, Hannah Watson, Demi Coombe

SWIMMING SPORTS

The annual swimming sports was a great day for our Year 5 & 6 students on Monday at the Greerton pool. It was wonderful to see so many courageous swimmers giving their best and in many cases challenging themselves - well done!

A big thanks to Mrs Jane Wilson - Fouracre and the Secondary students for helping make the day run smoothly and of course to the parents and grandparents who were able to come and cheer the children on.



Introducing more new students to our BCP whanau from Te Aka and Te Maunga

Big Space!
Jump Jam!
The classroom space!
Lots of Friends!



New Te Aka Students

Lots of do! Choir!
Jump Jam!
Long lunchtime!
Christian School!
Welcoming friends!



New Te Maunga Students

HIGHLIGHTING LEARNING - SO MUCH HAPPENING EVERYDAY!

Literacy time in E block



Learning through play in A block and Teddy Bears picnic



Teachers enjoy learning too!

Mrs Stef Hendra has been leading teachers in some great ways to share Science activities.



STUDENT ABSENCES

While our preference is to have your child in school for learning we do from time to time have families requesting extended absences from school for holidays. Please email me if you are intending to do this. Our practice is not for teachers to provide work while a child is absent on holiday, however we do encourage you to access Seesaw for updates, continue reading to and with your child and perhaps keeping a journal recording events while you are away. Thank you for your understanding.

Our students have all been involved in our Primary focus on how God has created us to be in community and what this means for us. The Bible verses your children are learning are chosen to support the children's learning about how God would have us live.

Ephesians 4:32 Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you. This verse has been learned by many children and as we look ahead to Easter is also a wonderful reminder of God's grace in forgiving us. We look forward to you joining us for our Easter service on April 1st.

Ngā mihi
Karen

COMING UP



Join us for House Tabloids Day

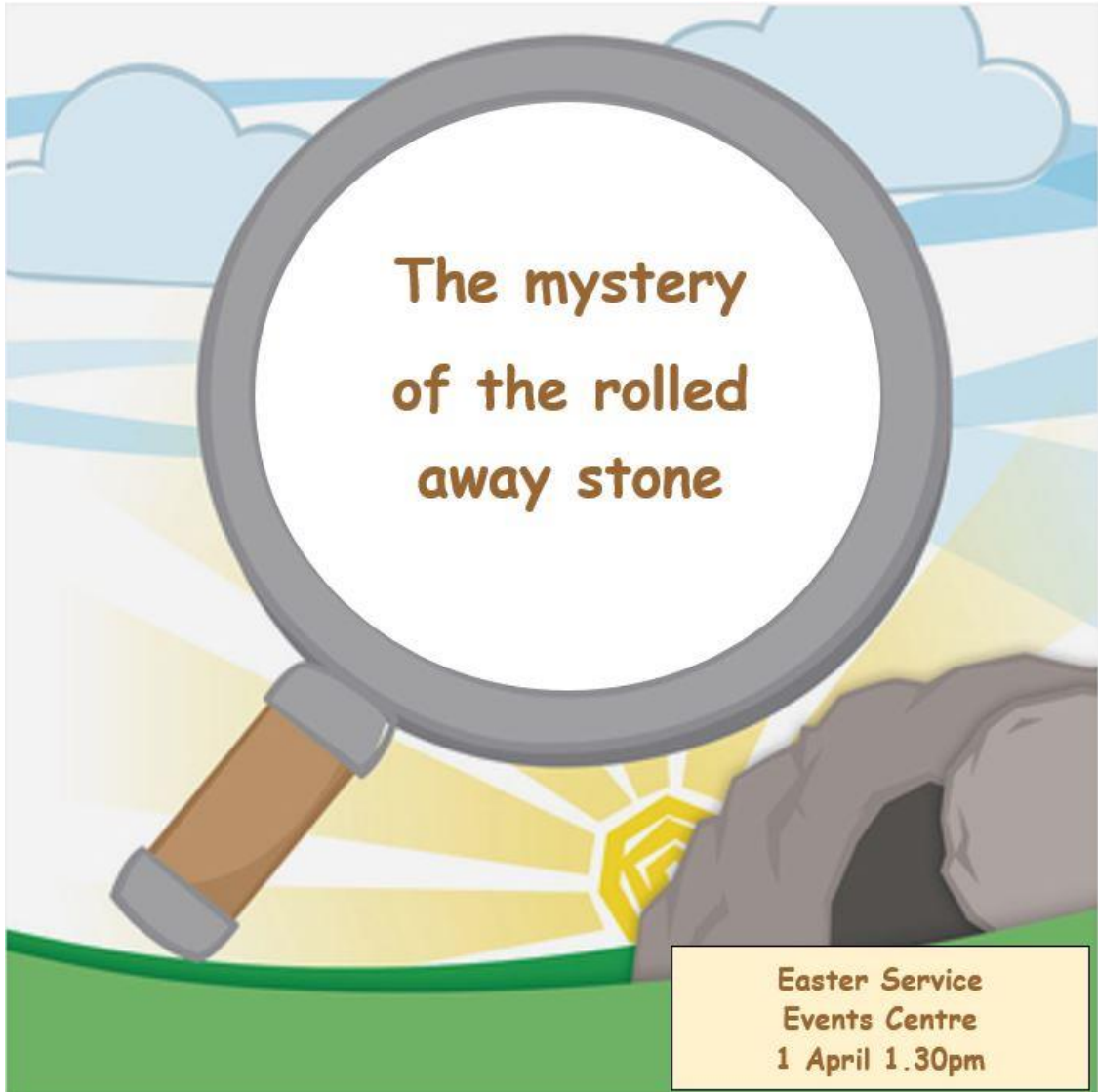
Friday 19th March 11am-1.15pm

Pre-ordered BBQ sausages will be available on the day, they will be cooked to order (orders taken on Friday only must have appropriate cash, further details to come on cost) or bring your own picnic lunch. A coffee cart will also be available for parents.



Easter Service

Thursday 1 April 1:30 pm – Events Centre
A warm invitation is extended to all families to attend!



PhotoLife

Our school has chosen to use the Online Ordering system for photographs this year.

This system means parents can access, view and order their child's photos online.

The Online system works off each Students name, giving them an individual Photo Access Key to view and order their photographs.

Your online Photo Access Key slips are to be handed out to Students next week, our schools **FREE DELIVERY** period expires at **Midnight on Sunday 4th April 2021**

Any queries please contact Photolife direct - Ph: 0800 501 040 or Email enquiries@photolife.co.nz

PRAYER-WALKING THE HEART OF OUR CITY.

Prayer Walking the Inner City Precinct, Sunday 21st March to Friday 26th



March from 7:00pm to 8:00pm.

Meet at Tauranga Library entrance each evening – guitars would be helpful
Graham Preston & James Muir will meet you there.

PRAYER FOR THE WELFARE OF THE WHOLE CITY.

Tauranga Church & Ministry Leaders – Prayer Gathering, for the welfare of Tauranga City. Jeremiah 29:7. Thursday 25th March - From 7:15am to 8:30am @ St Luke's Church, Devonport Rd, Tauranga, Upstairs Opposite the new Farmer's Building,

Led by Ps David Dishroon in a time of targeted prayer.

PRAISE, WORSHIP AND PRAYER IN THE HEART OF OUR CITY. Saturday, 27th March @ Edgewater Fan on The Strand from 6pm – 7.30pm - Praying for the Heart of our City.

We invite the Church in Tauranga to gather for Worship and Prayer for our City Council & Commissioners, to be led by several Church leaders.

For more information contact: James Muir - Ph 021-400874 or Graham Preston Ph 021-638510

