

2024 CALENDAR

Week 11 – Last week for Friday Ice Blocks

Friday 12th April – Last Day of Term 1

Monday 29th April – First day of Term 2

Term Dates 2024

Term 1	Tues 30 th Jan – Fri 12 th April, 2024
Term 2	29 th April, 2024 – 5 th July 2024
Term 3	22 nd July, 2024 – 27 th Sept, 2024
Term 4	14 th October, 2024 – 16 th Dec, 2024

Sunnyvale Cafe Menu

week 11

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Soup and rolls	Cheesy pasta	Spaghetti toast	Chicken rice	sandwiches

There are vegetarian options available every day

Dance: **Week 9&10**  **Ricky Martin - Livin La Vida Loca [Just Dance 4]**

Waiata: **Week 9&10** **Whakataka te Hau**

WHOLE SCHOOL HOLI CELEBRATION

Thank you to everyone who came down to support Gyan Deep with their Holi celebration. The day was colourful, bright and there were a lot of smiles.



TOUCH TOURNAMENT

In week 9 we sent a team of students to represent Sunnyvale to our touch tournament. They played very well and had a day full of fun. Well done!



MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Tēnā koutou, Talofa lava, Malo e lelei, Nihao, こんにちは, 안녕하세요, Zdravo, Fakaalofa lahi atu, Kia ora whānau, नमस्ते, As-Salam-u-Alaikum.

Kia ora whānau,

Welcome to Week 11 **Term 1.**

It is the final week of Term 1. We have a lot to be proud of this term. Our touch team had a fantastic day at the West Auckland tournament last week, despite the wet weather. Our Year 6 students have stepped up into many valuable leadership roles around the school, including the Buddy Bench, which is a safe place for children to go to if they don't have anyone to play with. Their Poutama Award presentations have been amazing and we are so proud of them for being confident and doing these. We have had our bike fleet serviced and have added some new, more advanced BMX bikes for the Seniors. Our new playspace looks great, and the children are enjoying some creative play. We have future plans to add new equipment to the space.

Our garden group are doing an amazing job of planting and growing some vegetables and herbs around the school.

Next term we will be learning all about inventors and inventions.

Over the holiday break we have some shade sails being installed and some painting inside the cloak bays happening.

School finishes for the term on Friday at the normal time.

We wish you a fantastic, safe holiday break!

Ngā mihi,
Whaea Katie

COLLECTING RUBBISH

This is Scarlett Taylor from Rm 2. Scarlett and her whānau collected a full bag of rubbish on their walk home from school. I wonder how many pieces of rubbish you and your whānau can find? Thanks for being a tidy kiwi Scarlett.



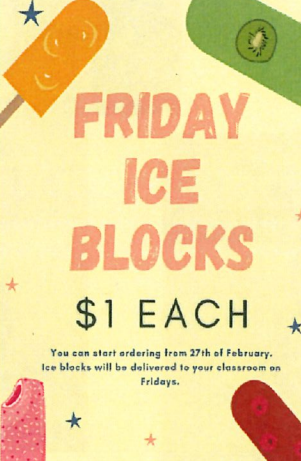
CAUGHT BEING GOOD



Visionwest's Foodtogether Fruit & Veggie Pop-Up
Every Friday, 12pm – 2pm
Visionwest's Food Together Fruit and Veggie Pop-up store is open to anyone. Purchase around \$30 worth of fruit and vegies for \$15. You must order in advance.
To pre-order go to: www.foodtogether.co.nz/products/vision-west-pop-up
Come along to 97 Glendale Road between noon and 2pm on your chosen Friday to collect your fruit and vegies.




FRIDAY ICE BLOCKS
\$1 EACH
You can start ordering from 27th of February. Ice blocks will be delivered to your classroom on Fridays.



APRIL SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAMMES
SECRETS UNDER THE SEA
Waikare Central Library

- Hokitika Workshop** Saturday 13 April 10:30am-12:30pm. Hokitika is an organisation run by university students who are passionate about STEAM - science, tech, art, engineering and maths. A Lapras or Charabond. Free activity that shows under the sea will be provided. Suitable for 8+.
- Learn what's under the wharf** with Holly Taylor's team Wednesday, 17th April 10:30 am - 11:30 am. Join us for a fun and interactive session with Holly Taylor's team to learn more about Takapu Māui. A Lapras or Charabond. Free activity that shows under the sea will be provided. Suitable for 8+.
- DSO: Secrets under the sea** Saturday, 20th April 10am - 12pm. Join us for an under the sea themed Engage and Discover session. Includes an interactive character sheets and dice provided. For new and experienced players. Suitable for ages 12+. Tickets are very limited. Buy come first serve.
- Movie: The Little Mermaid** Tuesday, 23rd April, 10:30am - 12pm. Join us with a free movie session. Suitable for ages 5+.
- 3D printing with Brian Play** Thursday, 18th April 10:30 am - 11:30 am. Join us for 3D printing to make Māui's prosthetic arms or make your own design. Suitable for ages 7+.
- Mini Connect's workshop & Tournament** Friday, 19th April 9am - 3pm. Come and join our first ever Connect & Tournament. You will learn HOW to win, followed by a tournament to find out who is the BEST Connect & player. Suitable for all ages.
- Learn in the Forest** Creative Workshop Monday, 22nd April 10am - 11:30am. Join Elizabeth about the author of 'Water in the Forest' for a storytelling session with drawing. Suitable for ages 7-12.