



GLEN OROUA SCHOOL

Kaitiaki for our Community

3 April, 2024

Kia ora Glen Oroua whānau,

In this newsletter we welcome Luke Stanbra to our kura, and our Kākanō class, as a new entrant. Luke joins his siblings Charlotte and Ben, and of course, his mum, Mrs S!

We are a Bronze EnviroSchool!

We did it! We are now officially a bronze EnviroSchool. We were so proud of the way our students represented our school in so many different ways on our reflection day - showing people around, talking about their projects, public speaking, or singing their hearts out - and it was great to get the certificate that recognised lots of work in the same direction by lots of folk in and involved in our kura. Now onto the silver...



Doughboys Pies...

Students heading away on camp to Resolution Bay in the Marlborough Sounds NEXT year (early in 2025) are selling tasty Doughboys pies to fundraise for this. There are sweet or savoury pies, all for \$9 each. See one of our current Year 5, 6 or 7 students to put in an order before the end of term. They are a great quick dinner after a busy day in the winter months!!

GO Ride & Run X Country ...

We'd appreciate lots of chat about and shares on social media in the lead up to this inaugural event this Sunday. Thanks so much to our Friends of the School, and those in organising and helping make this event a success - our tamariki certainly enjoy reaping the benefits of your mahi!!!



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Wheels' Day ...

The last day of term (Friday 12 April) will be a Wheels' Day for our Kākano, Tupu & Māhuri classes. Students can bring along bikes, scooters, skates, and skateboards, and have a wheelie good time. Please bring a helmet (compulsory for bikers, and recommended for everyone else) and covered shoes.

Te Kawau Cluster Triathlon...

This event had a modified course this year, but still held the same degree of challenge and complexity as our tamariki navigated the always tricky transitions and competing in a multisport event. I heard many reports of our students demonstrating our GRIT values as they managed themselves throughout the day.

Special congratulations to:

- Liam H & Rose B (both placed first in the 8 & Under races), Christian W, Bella P, Lily H & Dan T (2nd placings), Tanner W & Gemma P (3rd placings)
- And to our two 7&8yo teams who came 1st & 3rd

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Glen Oroua Ride, Run or Walk

Organised by Glen Oroua Friends of the School

7th April 2024

9am

Explore costal farmland right at
your backdoor

2.5km, 7km, 10km or 13km loop tracks

Walk, run or bike

Free lunch with every entry

Register online



Coming Up...

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| Thursday 4 April | Year 7&8 to Tech |
| Friday 5 April | TK Junior Tabloids |
| 8-12 April | Rākau Sixtus Lodge Camp |
| Friday 12 April | Wheels' Day at school |
| 15-26 April | Autumn Holidays |
| Thursday 2 May | Year 7-8 to Tech |
| Thursday 9 May | Year 7-8 to Tech |
| Friday 10 May | Hui-a-kura 2.15pm |
| Thursday 16 May | Year 7-8 to Tech |
| Weds 15 May | National Young Leaders' Day Y8 |
| Thurs 16 May | Year 7-8 to Tech |
| | School Board Meeting |
| Friday 17 May | Cluster Rippa Rugby |

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