# LEABANK PRIMARY SCHOOL



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## Newsletter for 31<sup>st</sup> May 2024

7 Dr Pickering Avenue, Manurewa, Auckland School Telephone: (09) 267 6939 www.leabank.school.nz Greetings, Tena koutou, Kia Orana, Talofa Lava, Malo'e Lelei, Bula Vinaka, Fakalofa lahi atu, Namaste, Ni Hao, Pagbati.

Dear Parents/Caregiver

Week 5

KINGS BIRTHDAY - SCHOOL CLOSED Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June is the King's Birthday Public Holiday. SCHOOL WILL BE CLOSED

School will commence as usual on Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> June.

#### STAFF ONLY DAY - SCHOOL CLOSED

On Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> June, school will be closed for staff training and professional development meetings. We apologise for any inconvenience this may cause and for the short notice. It is important for all staff to receive the same message from training providers, which is why we need to have a staff-only day. School will resume as usual on Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> June.

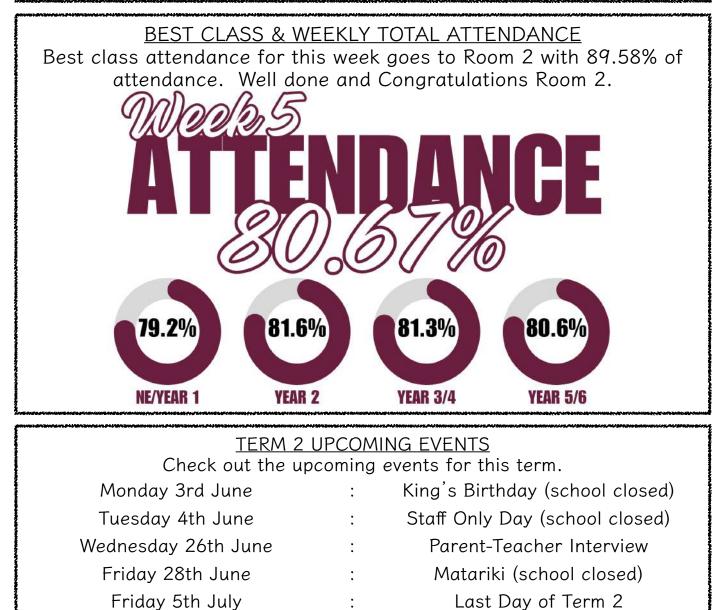
#### SAMOA LANGUAGE WEEK 2024

'Tautua i le alofa, manuia le lumana'i' means 'Serve in love for a blessed future'. This year's theme aims to clearly express the significance of service that is founded on love. Tautua can only be achieved through consistent development. Similarly, the maintenance of language is also achieved through service - through our values of love, respect, and especially in the vā fealoa'i (respectful relationships) that protect Samoan people. Students and staff wore their lovely Pasifika outfits to school in honor of Samoa Language Week.



SENIOR SCHOOL CAMP

This year our Senior School students are scheduled to go on a school camp trip to Mangawhai Heads in Term 4 from 13<sup>th</sup> to 15<sup>th</sup> November. We will only be taking 110 students. No parent help is needed as we have enough staff members. Actearoa Surf Camp will provide experienced staff to supervise activities. The cost is \$350.00 per student, covering accommodation, catering, equipment, and activities. Payment is due by the end of Term 3. If the cost is a concern for families, we can provide assistance through Children's Variety Charity.



Yours sincerely,

R W Maddren Principal



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