



Three Kings School

Term 1 2022 - News Bulletin - Week 10, 5 April 2022



Bombardment Battle

Teachers verses Students

It was all action on the Tiger Turf last Friday, 1 April, between Toki students and teachers for a friendly (but slightly competitive) Bombardment match.

The aim of the game is to roll a giant Swiss ball over the opposite line using only rugby balls, basketballs and netballs, while ball collectors return the balls as quickly as they roll off the court.

The Toki teachers, aided by Principal Moira Blair and Deputy Principal John Waller, teamed up to play against a rolling team of Year 5 and 6 students, some rather energetic ball collectors and a very efficient student referee. It was a tough game and, after an initial lead by the students, the teachers dug in deep to bring the final score to 6:5! Well done to both students and teachers – it was a lot of fun and fantastic to be able to bring the syndicate together after a weeklong Toki Bombardment tournament.

Reed McLean, Year 6: I was the referee and it was a very competitive and loud match with a little bit of cheating! But overall it was a really cool and exciting match.

Dianne Rivera, Year 6: I was on the student team and it was hard, especially when the teachers were throwing much further than the students. I tried to copy how Mr Waller did it by throwing the ball downwards but it didn't work. It was a lot of fun!

Griffin Clement, Year 5: I was a ball collector for a little bit and thought it was really fun going out and collecting, then watching the game afterwards was also fun. I was 50/50 who was going to win.

Willow Funnell, Year 6: I was a ball collector and thought it was good. The teachers kept asking me to throw the ball to them but I didn't do that. It was such a good idea and it was really fun although there were a few feet going over the line!

Kingston Isaako, Year 6: I was on the student team and it was pretty tough playing against the teachers because we seemed to end up with the soft balls and they got the hard balls. It was a really cool game to play, especially with Mr Waller and Miss Blair joining in.

Aria Carson, Year 5: I was a collector and thought it was really fun because I was running and throwing the balls as fast as I could. Then I switched with someone else and was watching the game, which was really funny because the students kept throwing the balls and missing.

Next up is the Toki Orienteering competition to round off Term 1.

[Bombardment Battle Video](#)

Unite
against
COVID-19

Red level - Orange level

You will have seen yesterday that the country remains at Red level with the next review of the traffic light setting on April 14th.

As this decision will be made on the final day of term please keep an eye on the app, your email or the school website for any updates. We will wait for guidance from the Ministry of

Education as well as the Ministry of Health and will then identify what any changes mean for our school setting. This will come out before we return to school for Term 2.



School fences

After a period of consultation with the Ministry and council we have installed latches that are more easily accessible for students, whānau and the wider community.

From the outside you push the key lock button (signs are being made to highlight this), while the inside has an easily identified latch, at a lower height than the original latches. See videos of how these work.

[Push Open Gate Video](#)

[Inside Gate has an Easily Identified Latch Video](#)



2022 House Leaders, Class Representatives and IT Crowd

We are very excited to announce that our new leaders have been selected for this year. We are looking forward to working with them all on a number of exciting projects.

Congratulations to our IT Crowd: Finley Carter, George Stoddart, Marlo Walsh, Harry Anderson, Eden Green, Isabel

Davies, Amalia Bycroft-Divett and Zoe Black who along with the support of Mrs Leong will continue to bring us the highly entertaining TKS News.

Our Class Representatives for Term 1 and 2 who will be working alongside our House Leaders to plan events for our school are:

Room 15

Elsa Davies, Kura Gournac, Elliot Crowe, Matthew Li

Room 16

Julia Aho, Quinn Hallas, Benjamin Crawford, Andre He

Room 17

Ryan Maclucas, Heidi Hsieh, Yumi Hirano, Griffin Clement

Room 18

Zoe Walsh, Eden Brettell, Cullen Miller, Daniel Colmenarez-Caro

Room 19

Alisha Malupo, Amaia Duncan-Sutherland, Sammy Youdan, Jacob Taranaki

Room 20

Emily Berry, Vivienne Kronfeld-Tobin, Dallas Howie, Marcus Zhang

Finally, congratulations to our House Leaders who we know will successfully guide and support their houses through a variety of activities throughout the year.

Amy Leong and Katrina Smith

Student Leadership Co-ordinators



Whale Tales Farewell Weekend

Whale Tales 2022 has been a public art trail around Tāmaki Makaurau. Three Kings School's trail is currently in Auckland Museum, displaying the work of many of our year 3 students. The art trail is nearing completion and below are the details on how you can book yourselves in for the free farewell event.

All the Tails will be together at Silo park from Friday 29th of April through to Sunday 1st May. To join the fun you need to register for a 1.5 hour session at [eventfinder](#). You can also find more information [here](#).



Term One Finishes

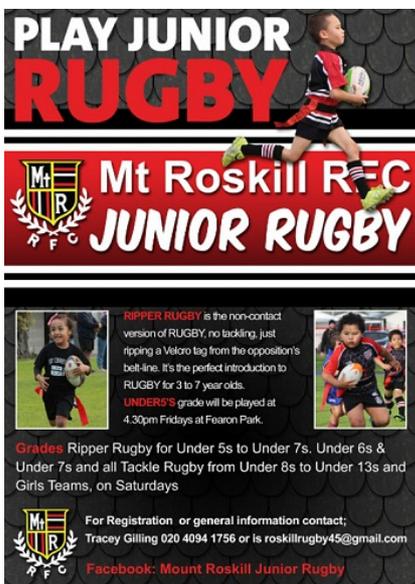
Thursday 14th April, 3pm finish

We will be back ready for Term 2 Monday 2nd May, 8:50am start.



Auckland Kindergarten Association

Epsom South Kindergarten



Mt Roskill Junior Rugby