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TERM 2— 22nd June—2009



Keep collecting those Yummy Stickers and get them into your teachers! The more stickers we collect, the more free sports gear we receive for our school!  
**YUMMY STICKERS = FREE SPORTS GEAR!**

## WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

### Message from the Principal

Dear Parents and School friends,

What a magnificent assembly last Friday. The Cousteau community creatively shared their learning. The latest blue screening in movie maker shared by room 8 and room 6 was very impressive. Fancy seeing our students on screen standing amongst sharks and jelly fish! We heard wonderful explanations about air, how it's everywhere and how it moves around objects. Room 7 have been doing some wonderful wondering about air. We saw them all sitting on balloons, bags of air and air beds! Room 9 have been busy being artists and presented their masterpieces. Learning at Red Beach School is certainly alive and well.

### SCHOOL UNIFORM

What a change in one week. The school uniform standards have lifted incredibly. We have had lots of questions about what students are allowed to wear and what is not acceptable. I hope you find the following list helpful

Girls		Boys	
Bottoms	Tops	Bottoms	Tops
Skort Shorts ¾ pants Bootleg pants Navy long socks or stockings	White or red polo T shirt Sweatshirt round or zip V neck Navy Vest Wind/Rain navy Jacket	Shorts ¾ pants Track pants - RBS	White or red polo T shirt Sweatshirt round or zip V neck Navy Vest Wind/Rain navy Jacket
Shoes - white, black or navy    Socks – white or navy		Earrings – studs or small sleepers	

If you are still a bit confused about what uniform is acceptable please ask your child. We shared with the children on Friday after assembly what was and wasn't part of the school uniform code.

**KAPAHAKA** Our kapahaka students had a powhiri on Friday to welcome guests from Te Wananga o Aotearoa. The guests donated a model of a marae that they created at their Te Ara Reo Maori language course. Our student performed with pride and certainly gave our visitors a special welcome. Many thanks to Jane Finlayson and Mary Ellis who helped to create the marae. It will be put in the library for students to be able to have a look.



### CONFERENCES

The children have been working hard with their teachers to prepare a celebration of their learning.

#### Special note about Students Led Conferences – Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> June

School will be closing at 2.00pm for Rooms 1,4,11,13 and 26 on Tuesday. If you would like your children to remain at school until 3.00pm please complete the attached slip and return to your child's teacher. Children will be supervised in the school library until 3.00pm. School will not finish early on Wednesday and Thursday for these students. (If you are involved in 3 Way conferences for another sibling please talk/write to your child's teacher if you would like to collect your child at 2.00pm)

We would really appreciate you taking a couple of minutes to complete an online survey about the student led conference experience. There will be computers available on the day for you to add your comments, your feedback is appreciated.

#### Special note about 3 Way Conferences Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup> June

School will finish at 2.00pm on Wednesday and Thursday for students involved in the 15 minute 3 Way conference structure. If you would like your children to remain at school until 3.00pm please complete the attached slip and return to your child's teacher. Children will be supervised in the school library until 3.00pm.

Just a reminder: Room 12 and 5 conferences are being held next term.

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Room \_\_\_\_\_ I would like my child to be supervised at school until 3.00pm  
 (Please circle relevant day/days)

Signed (Parent/Caregiver) \_\_\_\_\_

Student Led (Rm 1,4,11,13,26 only)	3 Way conferences All other Classes	
Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday

### HOMESTAY FAMILIES NEEDED FOR TERM 3

Next Term we will be hosting students from our Sister School in Korea. If you are interested in hosting a student please email [leanne@redbeach.school.nz](mailto:leanne@redbeach.school.nz) for an application form.

*(We are especially in need of host families for boys).*

**Re-threads - Second Hand Uniform Shop** The shop will be shut this week as school is closed from 2 pm for the 3-way conferences If you have any queries contact **Emma 427 4393.**



Sarah Martin  
Acting Principal

### SHOES! SHOES! SHOES!

If you have lost your shoes at school this year, please come and claim them before the end of term.



All shoes will be disposed of at the end of this term. The lost property room is outside, under the stairwell for the upstairs classrooms, open during school hours.

## SPORTS TALK & Team Results

Red Beach 3 won against Gulf Harbour 6 24-1 **POD: Sophie Duncan** wonderful moving & shooting

RBS Team 4 played SGH5 Shooting Stars and lost 17-3 **POD: Roisin Morris**

RBS Asteroids beat KW Warriors. **POD: the whole team!** For a great win with great sportsmanship!

RBS1 beat Whanga' 2. **POD: Amber Couper**, for awesome defense and controlled foot-work!

RBS Astronauts beat SGH Marlins 4 - 0. Great defense. **POD: Levi Manukia.**

RBS Flames beat WGP Orcas 5 - 0. Great passing. **POD: Adelle Harte.**

RB Boys Y5/6 Hockey team DREW 1-1 with Murrays Bay. **POD Jimmy Prentice** – Most Solid Player – **Caleb Wedgewood**

RB6 played SGH10 and won 8 - 2. **POD: Ariana Henare.** The year 3 girl's hockey team

If your child has had success in the sporting field either Regionally or Nationally, please forward their results to [sport@redbeach.school.nz](mailto:sport@redbeach.school.nz) for our upcoming Celebration Assembly in Term 3.

### Dates to Remember:

Interschool Netball Tournament :  
**Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> July**  
Interschool Rugby Tournament  
Round 2: **Thursday 6 August**  
Senior Cross Country (yrs 3-6)  
**Wednesday :19<sup>th</sup> August**

## Interschool Rugby Tournament

Last Tuesday 13 boys represented RBS at the Interschool Rugby tournament. They played with speed, skill and commitment taking some big hits from much bigger players. They won their 1st game against Orewa North 2 with Rowan Gjaltema scoring 2 tries, drew against Dairy Flat with Rowan scoring 1 and Brodie Campbell scoring 1 try, and lost against Orewa North 1 with Rowan scoring 1 Try (again!!) Well done to the whole team for playing with pride and making us proud! Thanks to the parents who helped with transport and who came to support us. Also to Tavita for all the time he has put in for trainings and coaching us on the day.

**A HUGE THANKYOU to all who supported the netball New World docket collection. Our entry measured 55m 37.5cm, so looking good! We will let you know if we get a result!**

Anyone wishing to play Miniball on a Thursday (Yr 1 - 4) or Basketball on a Tuesday ( Yr 5 & 6) Please contact Sandy Grant on 4247926 or collect an invoice from the school office.  
**These must be back at school by 3pm July 2nd.**

## COMMUNITY NOTICES:

### COMMUNITY EVENT

Creative Dance will be holding a holiday workshop for anyone wanting to learn the "Hoedown Throwdown" dance routine from the new Hannah Montana Movie. This will be followed by a group performance that will be videoed and posted on You Tube.

**All proceeds from the performance will go to Riding for the Disabled!**

Monday July 6<sup>th</sup> @ Orewa Community Hall 10.00am 1 Hour Workshop - \$8 per person or \$12 per family 11.15am Rehearsal and video shoot - \$2 per person. You must register for this Event and in doing so agree to the video being posted on YouTube. This is an all age's event! For Registration Email: [creativedance@xtra.co.nz](mailto:creativedance@xtra.co.nz) Phone (09) 426 1519

## HIBISCUS COAST COMMUNITY HOUSE

### FURNITURE NEEDED

We need furniture items/bric a brac/clothing etc for our Community Shop at the Hibiscus Coast Community House, 2 Centreway Road Orewa.

We can collect your items. Please phone Belinda on 4263596

Phone: 426 3598 Fax 426 3618

email: [hbccommunityhouse@xtra.co.nz](mailto:hbccommunityhouse@xtra.co.nz)



Free organic gardening classes, one day a week either Tues 21 or Wed July 22 in Wainui and Silverdale.

Class to cover soil preparation, raised bed gardening, organic pest and disease control, growing herbs, container gardens, companion planting and permaculture.

For more information please call Betsy Kettle 426-4909



## GIVE ME 5

### A Whiz with a Sewing Machine? Budding Event Planner?

You know the old saying "the more you put in the more you get out". The *Give Me 5* program offers families the opportunity to take an active part in the school by nominating areas that they would like to volunteer their time or skills in. With a Ball coming up and the Gala just around the corner we are looking to update our records. If you are a new parent/caregiver at school or perhaps have not signed up already we invite you to join our team of volunteers who work behind the scenes in all sorts of ways to make a difference for our kids. Thank you to those of you who have already signed up we appreciate your time and involvement. To sign up go to [www.giveme5.school.nz](http://www.giveme5.school.nz) or pick up an application form from the school office.

### **The Destitute Gourmet**

**Sophie Gray**

**This Thursday!! Don't miss out on this great event.**



Ph: Sue 426 4352 or Tess 426 1092

Email: [roysuesmith@xtra.co.nz](mailto:roysuesmith@xtra.co.nz)  
or [rtajl@hotmail.com](mailto:rtajl@hotmail.com)

**Thursday 25th June @ 7pm**

**Red Beach School**

**Staffroom**

**Only 90 seats**

**\$25 per person**

Tickets must be purchased in advance.

Sue Smith, Red Beach School & ChildFund Global Schools Programme. Raising \$15,000 to provide professional development and resources for schools in Zambia. [www.zambiachildfund.blogspot.com](http://www.zambiachildfund.blogspot.com)

### **Hobbs Wharf Markets Every Sunday 9am to 1pm**

Fresh Produce, Live Music, Free Bouncy Castle, Great Food, Free Face Painting, Great Atmosphere! Located at The Anchorage, off Pinecrest Drive, Gulf Harbour. Enquiries 021 335 940.



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#### **1. Get Ready For School Programme**

- Tuesday & Thursday mornings
- Early Maths & Language skills
- 4 year olds

#### **2. Maths Tutoring Programme**

- Monday – Thursday
- 4–5pm & 5–6pm
- Year 3 – Year 8 students