

KERI KŌRERO

25 NOVEMBER 2026

Kia ora, Talofa, Malo e leleli, Kia orana, Fakalofa lahi Atu, Taloha Ni, Ni sa bula, 你好, Namaste, 안녕하세요, Hola, Xin chao, السلام عليكم.

Happy Birthday

Happy birthday to Max Hastings, Jacob Laurie, Lucia Son, Zaiden Matthews, Alice Bowater, Huriwhenua Parata, Jaivyn Barnard, Zuri Barnard, Connor Louden, Soakai Vaea, Lucy Coyle, Jacob Breedt, Arthur Kelly, Ruby Murray, Xikai Duan, Kara Steynberg, Kion Steynberg, Jason Khiev, Mynhardt Diedericks and Grayson de Leeuw.

Sparkle Mufti Day for Starship

We will have a mufti day (no uniform day) for Starship on Friday 27 November. By bring in a gold coin donation you will help keep the Starship National Air Ambulance flying this Christmas. Your donation could help bring specialist paediatric care to critically ill and injured children across New Zealand, no matter how far they are from Starship. Come dressed in sparkles or bright coloured clothes.

Whānau Māori Hui

We would love for you and your wider whānau to join us for our last Whānau Māori Hui of the year. This is a great chance to connect, share a meal, and help to reflect on the year and shape the direction of our kura for the year to come.

When: Thursday 26 November

Time: 6:00pm

Where: Silverdale School Staffroom

For the Tamariki

Our tamariki are a central part of our school community, and they will be leading us in our tikanga to open the evening. We encourage you to bring them along! Once the formal proceedings and kai are finished, we will have a movie set up to keep them entertained while the adults kōrero.

Kai and Kōrero

To keep everyone fueled, we'll be providing hot chicken, fresh rolls and salad. While we eat, we'd love to hear your thoughts on:

- A year in review - how did we do this year?
- What could next year look like? What would you like to see happen?
- Groups and opportunities for tamariki Māori
- Whānau involvement.

Term 4 Finish Date and Time

Term 4 will finish on Friday 18 December at 12.00pm.

2027 Term Dates

Term 1 - Wednesday 3 February to Friday 9 April

Term 2 - Tuesday 27 April to Friday 2 July

Term 3 - Monday 19 July to Friday 24 September

Term 4- Monday 11 October to Friday 17 December (12.00pm)

Getting to and from School

If your child/ren are walking/biking/scootering to or from school can you please go over with them how to do this safely. Over the past few weeks we have had a number of reports of our children not being very safe when they are walking/biking/scootering to or from school.

For the safety of all our children and to comply with road safety law, **we request that parents and caregivers DO NOT cross Longmore Lane by walking between the waiting cars.**

If you are within 20 metres of a marked pedestrian crossing (or school patrol crossing), the law requires you to use that crossing point. Walk the short distance to the designated crossing point and use it correctly.

Your cooperation in modelling responsible road behaviour is crucial to keeping our whole school community safe.

How to stay safe when walking

- Use pedestrian crossings or cross at traffic signals.
- Stop and check at every driveway.
- Walk on the footpath, close to the houses and away from the road.
- Hold hands if walking with a young child near roads or in car parks.

Crossing the road, when there's no pedestrian crossing

1. Stop one step back from the kerb.
2. Look and listen for traffic coming from all directions.
3. If there is traffic coming, wait until it has passed and then look and listen for traffic again.
4. If there is no traffic coming, walk quickly straight across the road.
5. While crossing, look and listen for traffic, wherever it may come from.

When using a pedestrian crossing

- Use official crossings where possible – in fact, if you're within 20 metres of a pedestrian crossing, the law requires you to use it.
- Check that approaching vehicles have seen you and can stop before you step out.
- Cross as quickly as you are able.
- For crossings with signals, only cross when the green person or message shows.

Traffic Concern

There has been an increase in parents dropping their children off on Longmore Lane, by the roundabout. For your own safety, and the safety and convenience of other road users, there are certain areas where you must not park. You risk being fined, $60 and/or having your vehicle towed away if you park in these areas. You must not park or stop your vehicle:

- where it will be in the way of other people using the road (including pedestrians)
- on a marked bus stop or taxi stand
- in front of, or closer than 1 metre to, a vehicle entrance
- on 'no stopping' lines (broken yellow lines) marked within 1 metre of the edge of the road, which you may see near pedestrian crossings, intersections, driveways or narrow roads.

This also includes parking and waiting for children on Stella Maris Lane. Please do not park on broken yellow lines, it's for the safety of ours and your children. There is plenty of parking at Metro Park carpark, by the cricket nets and it is only a 400m walk to and from school. Children can walk there and they don't cross any roads. This is a safe option for children.

Term 3 Donation Refund Winner
Congratulations to the Wilson family for winning the term 3 donation refund.

New Play Area
The new play area is due to be finished next week. This play area (or quiet zone) is a designated space for calm, low-energy activities. As this new area will be popular when we open it we will have a time table for when each team can use the area during break times. Once the excitement has settled down then this area is open for all students. We have also set up a timetable for teachers to take their class to the new play area during learning time. Before the play area opens, please go over the rules with your class.

Rules

- No running or chasing games (walking only).
- No ball games (e.g., soccer, handball/four-square, or throwing balls).
- Quiet voices and respect for others' personal space.

Thank you to our wonderful PTA and community for their fundraising efforts, without their efforts we would not be able to have this fantastic new area for the school.



Principal Awards

Well done to the following children who received Principals awards at last week's assembly.



















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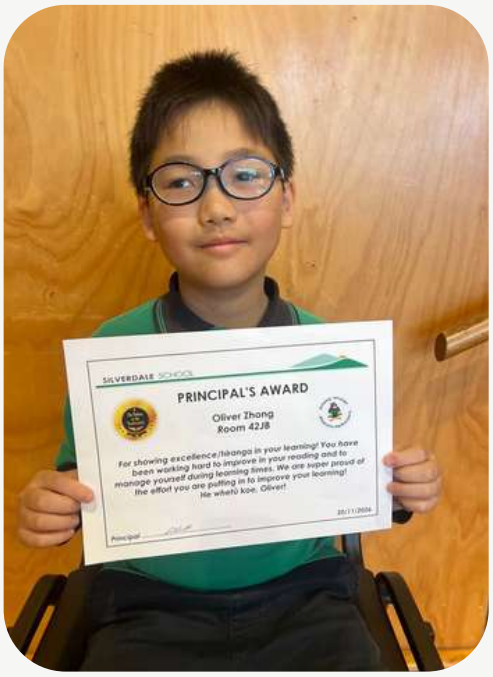
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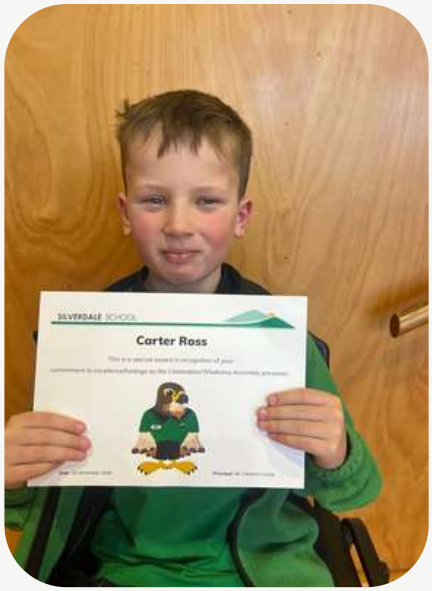
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Kindness Atawhai	Lockie	Lucy	Siheli	Billie
Excellence Hiranga	Fluer and Eden	Eden	Hannah-Belle	Archer
Respect Whakaute	Belle	Devin	Alice	Lyla
Integrity Ngākau pono	Marley	Nelson	Eva	Ashley



Assembly Presenters

Congratulations to our celebration/whakanui assembly presenters at last week's assembly.



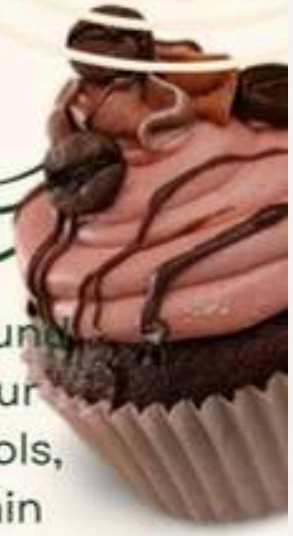




Garden To Table

Bake Sale Extravaganza!





"Help us grow! We are hosting a bake sale to fund our upcoming Garden to Table initiatives. Your support helps us purchase new gardening tools, upgrade our kitchen equipment, and maintain our sustainable projects.



Thursday November 26 | 11:00 AM to 12.30 PM

Outside the School Hall

Gold Coin Donation



"Treat yourself to some scrumptious delights for just a gold coin donation! Whether big or small, your contribution helps us grow and brings us one step closer to our Garden to Table goals."



Kelly Club

KELLY CLUB

TERM 4 2026

12 Oct - 18 Dec

Weekly Theme Planner
Kelly Club Silverdale

Wk 1 12 Oct	**Alice in Wonderland**		Let's take a dive down the rabbit hole! You'll never guess what we might find!
Wk 2 19 Oct	**European Adventure**		Pack your (imaginary) bags! We're off on a fun-filled adventure to explore Europe.
Wk 3 26 Oct	**Monster Mash**		Ghosts, ghouls, and lots of fun! Join us for spooky games, creepy crafts.
Wk 4 2 Nov	**Kids Choice**		This week you're the boss! What is your favourite activity?
Wk 5 9 Nov	**Diwali Delight**		Celebrate the Festival of Lights and brighten up the week with Diwali magic.
Wk 6 16 Nov	**Happy Hobbies**		Show off your favourite hobby! Let's share what we love and have fun doing it together.
Wk 7 23 Nov	**Dream Big**		Imagine, create, and play! This week we're turning your wildest dreams into fun activities and adventures.
Wk 8 30 Nov	**Time Travellers**		Come jump in our time machine. Let's explore the past and peep into the future.
Wk 9 7 Dec	**Christmas Cheer!**		Ho, Ho, Ho! Join us at Kelly Club for a week full of holiday magic and joy.
Wk 10 14 Dec	**Staff Choice**		This week the staff get to decide! You'll have to join us to find out what they choose.

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Kelly Club


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What's Up
KELLY CLUB SILVERDALE UPDATE
What's been happening...
What a fun week with our Happy Hobbies theme! We made air dry clay replicas, postcards and beautiful scrapbooks! The kids used the opportunity to start their wish lists to Santa. We all learned some new card games like dutch and rummy cup. It was also time to test out our new Badminton net and rackets!
DO YOU QUALIFY FOR CHILDCARE SUBSIDIES?
BOOK NOW www.kellyclub.co.nz
What's happening next week!
KELLY CLUB
THEME: Time Travellers!
Weekly Activities Plan
Kelly Club Silverdale
Monday
Tuesday
Wednesday
Thursday
Friday
CRAFT
Build a Time Machine
GAME
King Tess
DISCOVERY
DIY Hovercraft
SPORT
Hover Ball
COOKING
Old School Crackers
DISCOVERY
All About Me Time Capsule
SPORT
Hover Ball
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KELLY CLUB
A FUN PROGRAMME THAT KIDS LOVE!
Friday 18 December
EARLY FINISH PROGRAMME
OSCAR PROGRAMME SUBSIDIES AVAILABLE!
SILVERDALE SCHOOL
School is finishing early today so let's have a cool afternoon with some icy fun. There will be lots of exciting activities with games like freeze tag and statues, cool arts and crafts, and some icy treats.
Before School Care Full: $17.50
7:00am - 8:30am (Incl Breakfast)
School Day: $27
12:00pm - 3:00pm
4pm Pick-Up: $44
12:00pm - 4:00pm
5pm Pick-Up: $48.50
12:00pm - 5:00pm
6pm Pick-Up: $52
12:00pm - 6:00pm
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Kelly Club


KELLY CLUB
HOLIDAY PROGRAMME
Mon 21 – Thurs 24 Dec & Tues 5 Jan – Tues 2 Feb
Join us for a fun-filled Summer Holiday Programme with daily themed activities! Enjoy water fun on our H20 Let's Go Day as well as craft, cooking activities, awesome games & MUCH MORE!
Some activities may need to be swapped for other exciting ones! Go online to check out a full, up-to-date timetable for your school.
OSCAR PROGRAMME SUBSIDIES AVAILABLE!
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SUMMER HOLIDAY PROGRAMME
SILVERDALE SCHOOL
A timetable and full programme information is available online or at the programme venue.
Who can attend: Children aged 5-13 yrs
General Information: We believe in giving children opportunities to do the things they love and enjoy in a supportive and encouraging environment. Our friendly staff are passionate about working with children. They are provided with training on behaviour management techniques, first aid and activity planning/delivery.
What do you need to bring: Shoes and appropriate clothing, jacket or sweatshirt, hat, drink bottle and food for morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea.
Payment details: Payment is required before the holiday programme begins. An invoice will be issued when a completed booking is received. All payment details will be included on the invoice.
Work and Income OSCAR Subsidy: Parents / caregivers that meet certain criteria will be able to access a WINZ subsidy to help cover the cost of our programme. For more information visit www.workandincome.govt.nz.
Please note: Every care will be taken to ensure the safety of your child/ren and their property. However, organisers of Kelly Club accept no liability for any injury sustained to your child/ren or any loss or damage to his/her property whilst at a programme. If your child/ren are collected late after the conclusion of the programme you will be charged $20 per 15 minutes or part thereof.
Prices & Session Times:
Full Week: $285 7:00am – 6:00pm
Full Day: $60 7:00am – 6:00pm
Event Day: Extra $20 (Not Included in Full Week)
School Day: $50 8:30am – 3:00pm
Half Day: $41 7:00am – 12:30pm or 12:30pm – 6:00pm
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KELLY CLUB
DECEMBER 2026 HOLIDAY PROGRAMME
SILVERDALE SCHOOL
OSCAR PROGRAMME SUBSIDIES AVAILABLE!
WEEK 1
Mon 21 December
SUPER SUMMER DAY
Have fun in the sun with your friends! Don't forget, when the sun comes out so does the water so prepare to get wet!
Tues 22 December
SANTA'S LITTLE HELPERS
Join us for a day of giving back. Bring a food donation for those in need and prepare special cards so you can put a smile on someone's face.
Wed 23 December
CIRCUS SPECTACULAR
Step right up! We are going to have fun at the circus with some juggling, clown races and a whole lot of clowning around!
Thurs 24 December
XMAS EXTRAVAGANZA
Join us for all things Christmas. Games, baking, crafts and an awesome end of year Christmas party!
Fri 25 December
PUBLIC HOLIDAY
CHRISTMAS DAY
Merry Christmas from Kelly Club!
HOPE YOU ARE ENJOYING THE HOLIDAYS WITH US!
JOIN US IN JANUARY FOR MORE HOLIDAY FUN!
Pricing:
FULL DAY: $60 7:00am – 6:00pm
SCHOOL DAY: $50 8:30am – 3:00pm
HALF DAY: $41 7:00am – 12:30pm or 12:30pm – 6:00pm
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Community Notices

Reading and Writing Tuition

Building Strong Academic Skills

Online after-school lessons for students in Years 4-8

I welcome new students from Years 4–8, with ongoing tuition available through to Year 13 for enrolled students who wish to continue developing their skills.

Term 1, 2027

A waitlist is already in operation.
Please enquire early to register your interest.

- One-hour online sessions
- One-to-one personalised lessons
- Reduced group rate available for two siblings or friends of similar age and ability learning together in a shared session.
- Existing student enrolments are prioritised, with any new places offered subject to availability.

Strengthen, Extend & Enrich Reading and Writing Skills

Building confidence and academic ability through:

- Accurate grammar, punctuation and spelling.
- Rich academic and descriptive vocabulary.
- Sophisticated sentence construction using complex sentences.
- Writing for different purposes and audiences.
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- Effective paragraph, essay and text structure.
- Developing arguments, explanations and descriptive detail.
- Critical thinking, reading comprehension and inference.

Teacher: Allie Rankine

BEd, DipTchg, CELTA, NCALNE

Qualified & Registered New Zealand Teacher with over 30 years of experience.



Please email to join the waiting list or to make further enquiries:

EnglishWithAllie.teacher@gmail.com

Travelling overseas in the school holidays?

You must do a **New Zealand Traveller Declaration** when you come back

TravellerDeclaration.govt.nz

Te Kāwanatanga o Aotearoa
New Zealand Government

New Zealand Traveller Declaration | Whakapuakanga Tangata Haere ki Aotearoa

AFS Intercultural Programmes is looking for Host Families for 2027

Welcome the World into Your Home



AFS is an international, not-for-profit organisation with over 75 years of experience in intercultural student exchange.

Thousands of families have loved hosting an AFS high school exchange student, and here's why they think you will, too:

- The whole family will benefit - you don't need to have a teenager of the same age.
- You'll experience a new culture - give your kids the world without leaving home.
- Relationships that last a lifetime - your student isn't a paying guest, they're family.

NOTE: AFS Host Families are volunteers, not paid homestay placements.

Open Your Home

to a World of Adventure!

Contact the AFS New Zealand Hosting Team:
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BAYLEYS

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SATURDAY 5 DECEMBER

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Community Notices

This week: LET'S FILL THE LEGO® BUS!
This Saturday we're asking Blues fans to help us collect 50,000 non-perishable food items for families in need across our region. If you've been meaning to get involved, now's the time to start filling a bag.
LEGO® Fill the Bus Community Day
Saturday 28 November · 11am–2pm
Eden Park, Gate E (corner of Cricket Ave and Reimers Ave)
Parking: P5, Reimers Ave
Bring a food donation and the whole whānau for a fantastic event: bouncy castles, inflatable jousters, food trucks, real fruit ice-cream, Blues merch and spot prizes.
PLUS: be among the first to meet players from the 2027 Blues & nib Blues squads, and grab a selfie or autograph.

What to bring: non-perishable food items to donate, like canned goods, pasta, rice, cereal and spreads.
Can't bring a food donation? You're welcome to make a monetary donation at the Blues Merchandise Store.
Every donation goes to our four charity partners: Whakaora Kai, The Village Community Services Trust, Love Soup and SouthSeas Healthcare.
A big thank you to Eden Park for supporting this year's LEGO® Fill the Bus Community Day.



Black Friday week is almost here! To celebrate we're treating your school families a little something: $2 off their next Ezlunch order.

HOW IT WORKS

Parents can get $2 off any Ezlunch order placed for delivery between Monday 23 and Friday 27 November.

Simply enter code BF2OFF at checkout.

Get in quick! Limited to the first 4,000 orders nationwide, with one use per Kindo account.

Community Notices

Raumati Reads summer reading challenge: Back for 2026/27!

Raumati Reads is a free, fun summer reading challenge for primary school aged children that will help them maintain their reading levels over the summer break. It's a must-do for the school holidays offering free events and activities at local libraries across Tāmaki Makaurau, with fantastic prizes to be won, including One NZ Warriors game passes and merch.
Tamariki and their whānau can register from Saturday 5 December 2026 at their local Auckland Council Libraries branch to begin the challenge, which runs until Sunday 31 January 2027. Stay tuned to https://www.aucklandlibraries.govt.nz/ for all you need to know!





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Your Christmas shopping just got a whole lot sweeter!
For a limited time, enjoy 30% OFF Entertainment Memberships and give the gift of savings while supporting our kura.
From 23 November – 1 December, grab an Entertainment Membership for just $52.50 (usually $75) and unlock 12 months of incredible savings on dining, activities, shopping and travel across Australia, New Zealand and Bali.
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