

# DPS Swimming Sports 2021



**Dargaville  
Primary School**  
Mō te katoa - Each for all

EMPOWERING learners through INNOVATIVE education in an INCLUSIVE environment

## Newsletter 10 March 2021

<i>These times are purely estimated, it will depend on how quickly each race is swum.</i>	
9.10	Assemble on the courts
9.40	Arrive at the swimming pool
10.00	Medley races
	Freestyle - 8 year old girls and boys
	Freestyle - 9 year old girls and boys
	Freestyle - 10 year old girls and boys
	Backstroke - 8 year old girls and boys
	Backstroke - 9 year old girls and boys
	Backstroke - 10 year old girls and boys
	Breaststroke - 8 year old girls and boys
	Breaststroke - 9 year old girls and boys
	Breaststroke - 10 year old girls and boys
	Butterfly Races
	Lunch Break Miss McGlasson's swimming group in the small pool
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	Relays - House & Class Parents & Champions & Teacher Relay Free swim for all participants.
	<b>Note: Time Keepers are needed. Please let the school office know prior to the event. Thanks.</b> Race times are recorded for entries into Northern Wairoa swimming sports. NW Swimming Sports is on the 26th of March. The PTA will have food for sale on the day.

### PRINCIPAL'S KORERO

Tēnā koutou, talofa, bula, kia orana, hallo, hola, namastē, kamusta ka yung lahat, mālō e lelei, konnichi wa and merhaba.

Welcome to all of our new learners and their whānau who joined us this week.

Our staff have been very busy organising a range of trips as part of our Turangawaewae -Our place unit. Our seniors have been out to the Matakoho museum, and our juniors will embark on their trip out to Tangiteroria school tomorrow. Our middle syndicate is planning on going up to the Dargaville Museum. A massive thank you to all of our parents and caregivers who have made themselves available to make these trips happen. Planning trips and camps is a huge logistical challenge, so I would also like to acknowledge the extra hours of planning and preparation that my team are putting in to make these experiences possible for our tamariki.

As you will now be aware, our Healthy School Lunches programme will begin next Monday. We are really grateful that our school was chosen to be part of the next roll out. It is vitally important that you contact our providers, Cornerstone Catering, if your child has any dietary requirements or allergies. We will also be cross referencing these with what we have on our files but it is best that you make direct contact if you need to - [admin@cornerstonechildren.co.nz](mailto:admin@cornerstonechildren.co.nz). If your children are anything like my 2 girls, then we suggest that you pack extra lunch for them

while they adjust to the new menu. My HOPE is that when my girls see their friends eating it, they will give it a go.

Swimming sports is next Friday. We hope to see you there.

It was great to see some new faces at our PTA hui yesterday. They donated another \$3000 towards our play spaces project - THANK YOU!!!

We have been notified by council that they have received complaints about people parking on the yellow lines on Portland street during the mornings and afternoons. I completely understand and empathise that we do not have anywhere near enough parking for a school our size, but unfortunately, it is what it is, so we need to abide by the rules. Please avoid parking on yellow lines. Your understanding is much appreciated!

Have a wonderful rest of the week.

Ngā mihi nui

Curtis Gaylor  
Principal / Tumuaiki

## EVENTS

JUNIOR SYNDICATE  
SCHOOL CAMP  
TANGITERORIA SCHOOL  
TOMORROW

Rooms 8, 9, 12 & 14 -Sleeping overnight  
Thursday 11 March returning to school on  
Friday 12 March at approx. 1.30pm

Rooms 10, 11, 13 & 15 day camp.

### FROM THE LIBRARY

Lucky Book orders close 22 March.



## SWIMMING SPORTS

Our school swimming sports will be held next  
Friday, March 19, at The Kauri Coast Commu-  
nity Pool, start time  
10.00am.

This event involves all seniors and competent  
8 year old swimmers.

A time table of the day's events is printed on  
the back page of this newsletter.

We urgently require more timekeepers, if you  
are able to, please contact the office.

The PTA will be selling the following food on  
the day;

Sausage sizzle

Cookies

Potato Chips

Juice

The Northern Wairoa Swimming Sports will be  
held on Friday 26 March.

A huge thanks to Mr C, Mr G and Mr L for giving up your Saturday,  
to work on the new sandpit for our juniors!



## COMMUNITY EVENTS



Family Fun Day at Baylys Beach  
to celebrate NZ Seaweek  
Saturday March 13  
From 2-5pm

There will be games, competitions, displays,  
prizes, BBQ, ice blocks, horse rides, limbo, tug'o war.

There will also be a museum display at the new Baylys Community  
Centre of Ripiro Beach shipwreck history. Tea and coffee will  
also be available.

We also have a colouring competition for children up to and in-  
cluding year 6. Great prizes to be won!  
You can pick these up from the school office (don't forget to  
write your name and phone number on the back.

ALL WELCOME !!!!  
(Hosted by the Baylys Beach Society)



### WANTED! CHILDREN'S RUGBY BOOTS IN GOOD CONDITION

These will be passed on to children who are unable to play rugby because they do not  
have boots. If you have any that you can donate, please drop them in the box at the  
school office. If anyone knows of any child that could use these boots please contact  
school. Thanks!

### 10 March 2021 NEWSLETTER RETURN

Students Name:

Room:

Parents signature:

I have read the DPS Newsletter.

House: