

Vauxhall School Newsletter 22 Mar 2023

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Term 1, Week 8, Wed 22 Mar 2023.

Dear parents,

Parent Interviews

Parent interviews have been scheduled for Tuesday 4 April and Wednesday 5 April.

- Please write 'Google Meet' beside your name if you would like a google meet rather than an in—person meeting at school. Your child's teacher will send you a link prior to the meeting if you choose this option.
- If you don't have a google account, the teacher will call you at the time and conduct a phone interview.
- If you don't write anything beside your name, we will assume you will be coming into school for an in—person meeting (in your child's classroom).

You can book online [here](#).

AED (Automated External Defibrillator)



Vauxhall School now has an AED outside the main office available 24/7 to our community. A huge thank you to the Delaney family who have fundraised enough money to provide 6 AED's in our community.

An AED is a lightweight, portable device that analyses the heart's rhythm and, if necessary, delivers an electric shock, known as defibrillation, to help restore the heart's natural rhythm. Modern AEDs are designed to be used by someone with little or no training.

Some of the beautiful art produced in Totara so far this term ...



Ngā Mihi,
Gary

INTERSCHOOL SWIMMING SPORTS RESULTS

Congratulations to all the students who attended the recent Peninsula Interschool Swimming Sports day, you all represented Vauxhall School well.

66m Freestyle Girls - Yr 6 - Indigo Burrow 3rd

Freestyle Girls - Yr 4 - Augie Scovell 3rd, Yr 5 - Jessica Yan 2nd, Yr 6 Farrah Gibbs

Breastroke Girls - Yr 6 - Ruby Stewart 1st, Zoe Smith 3rd

Breastroke Boys - Yr 6 - Finn Lazzari 3rd

Backstroke Girls - Yr 5 - Jessica Yan 3rd, Yr 6 - Indigo Burrows 1st and Clementine Powles 3rd

Backstroke Boys - Yr 5 - Miller Jewell 2nd

Butterfly Girls - Yr 6 - Ruby Stewart 3rd

Butterfly Boys - Yr 6 - Zephyr Lane 3rd

Boys Relay - 2nd place - William Kingsley, George McDonald and Zephyr Lane

WATERWISE



TRAIN OF THOUGHT IS BACK IN TERM 2 AT VAUXHALL SCHOOL



Train of Thought is coming back to Vauxhall in 2023

What is Train of Thought?

Train of Thought is a unique course developed especially for kids by The Kids Coach. This exciting 8-week adventure is designed to bring out the best in your child by helping them recognise their strengths, develop an optimistic and resilient mindset and navigate the ups and downs of life more easily. Having the skills to conduct their Train of Thought will equip your child to make the most of whatever comes their way and leave them feeling happier, calmer and more confident!

On your Train of Thought journey you will:

- Discover what kind of Train of Thought you have
- Learn how to become a great Conductor of your Train of Thought
- Figure out where your train is heading and how to stay on track
- Learn to navigate obstacle and see challenges as opportunities to develop your strengths, skills and smarts.
- Discover what kinds of passengers you are carrying and how they impact you and your journey
- Figure out how to deal with Unhelpful Passenger before they cause too much trouble!

Course Includes:

1 x Parent's Workshop, 8 x Weekly Train of Thought Sessions, Train of Thought Workbook, Weekly Extension Activities, Weekly Parent Overviews & YouTube resources. Plus a chance to learn valuable new skills while making new friends and having FUN!

Term 2 2023 Train of Thought **The Kids Coach**

Parent's Workshop:

Monday, 1 May 6:30pm via Zoom

Train of Thought for Kids Starts:

Thursday, 4 May 11:00am at Vauxhall

Course Fees:

\$245.00 per student (usually \$287.00)



To secure a seat on the Train of Thought contact jen@thekidscoach.co.nz

VAUXHALL SCHOOL STALL AT AROHA FESTIVAL

Share some love Sunday 2 April at the Aroha Festival at The Rose Centre from 10am-12pm! Celebrate our lovely neighborhood, people and the arts with this special community event with circus, musicians, bubbles, face painting, food and market stalls. Vauxhall will be participating with an ice cream stall so come along (rain or shine) and support our school with a tasty treat! If you are available to help volunteer to set-up and/or help sell ice cream please contact Laura at laurakjordan@gmail.com or 02040116545.

COATS FOR KIDS

We are running our annual charity Coats for Kids in Northland appeal. They accept second-hand jackets/raincoats/puffer jackets, etc. They also take new packets of underwear/socks. Thank you for your ongoing support. (The collection box is in the school office until Friday 28 April.)

THE PJ PROJECT

From 1 April to 30 June the PJ Project will provide warm winter pyjamas to kids all over Aotearoa!

If you are able to help, please drop a new pair of winter pyjamas to the Vauxhall School office and we will send them to the Kindness Collection. You can also donate directly to the [Kindness Collection](https://www.kindness.co.nz) and they can purchase the pyjamas for you if you prefer.



IMPORTANT DATES 2023

Tues 28 Mar - BoT Meeting
Thurs 30 Mar - Junior Beach Picnic Day
Tues 4 Apr - Miro trip to The Pumphouse
Tues 4 - Wed 5 Apr - Parent Interviews
Thurs 6 Apr - Term 1 ends
Mon 24 Apr - Teacher only day, school closed
Tues 25 Apr - Anzac public holiday
Wed 26 Apr - Term 2 starts

COMMUNITY NOTICES

THE WHITE TO BRIGHT FASHION SHOW & GLOW DISCO!

Voice Drama Holiday Programmes are mixing it up with a one time fashion show followed by a glow DISCO! Book in for a new funky wardrobe design - caps, pumps, tees, socks, tie dye accessories, you name it! Join in or be part of the audience. Suitable for primary ages. Also optional outdoor sports/ swim/ play every day! Shoe sizes needed in advance so please book in early - limited spaces. Bookings & info: voicedrama1@gmail.com.



DANCE CLUB

Dance Club will be back in Term 2
Monday 3 - 4 pm Lyrical Jazz
Monday 4 - 5 Senior Lyrical Jazz (expressions of interest, please contact Shannon)
Tuesday 3 - 4 pm Hip Hop
Family discount & multiple class discount options
FREE TRIAL AVAILABLE
FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE EMAIL:
devodanceclub@gmail.com

ART + PLAY

Term 1 2023
A happy and fun environment
where children can relax, play and create after school.
TUESDAY ~ WEDNESDAY ~ THURSDAY
3 pm to 5:00 pm
\$25 + gst per day for regular attendance, casual attendance \$33 +
gst depending on availability
For enrolment and more information:
artandplayvauxhall@gmail.com