

CLENDON PARK SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

2026



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TERM 2 WEEK 4

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Pink Shirt Day and Anti-Bullying in Schools

Pink Shirt Day is more than wearing a splash of pink – it is a powerful reminder that kindness, respect and inclusion matter every single day in our school. Across Aotearoa New Zealand, Pink Shirt Day encourages students, staff and whānau to stand together against bullying and create learning environments where everyone feels safe, valued and accepted.

Bullying can have a lasting impact on a child's confidence, wellbeing and ability to learn. Whether it happens face to face, online or through social exclusion, bullying affects not only the person targeted but also the wider school community. That is why schools play such an important role in teaching empathy, celebrating diversity and helping young people understand the power of their words and actions.

In our school, anti-bullying education is about far more than stopping negative behaviour. It is about building a culture where students know how to include others, solve problems respectfully and speak up when something is not right. It is about teaching children that differences should be celebrated and that everyone deserves to feel a sense of belonging.

Pink Shirt Day is also an opportunity to celebrate the positive culture already growing in our school. It shines a light on kindness, teamwork, friendship and student leadership. Seeing students proudly wear pink sends a clear message that bullying is not accepted and that kindness is something to be proud of.

As our school continues to nurture a safe and inclusive environment, Pink Shirt Day reminds us that every person has the ability to make a difference. Together by choosing kindness, respect and understanding we can help every child feel safe to learn, grow and be themselves.

BELL TIMES

8:55am	School starts
10:55-11:15	Interval
12:45-12:55	Lunch eating
12:55-1:45	Lunch playtime
3:00pm	End of day

IMPORTANT DATES FOR TERM 2

Week 4	
15.05.26	Pink Shirt Day & Cake Stall
Week 5	
22.05.26	Puni Reo Netball x2 teams
Week 6	
26.05.26	Counties Boys Rugby
27.05.26	MPSSA Boys Rugby
Week 7	Samoan Language Week
01.06.26	Kings Birthday PUBLIC HOLIDAY
02.06.26	Samoan Language opening assembly
05.06.26	Samoan Language closing assembly

Class Attendance Term 2

Class	% Periods Attended
Room 03	97.51%
Room 08	95.77%
Room 01	94.76%
Room 20 Kahu	92.97%
Room 07	92.09%
Room 10	91.61%
Room 29	91.61%
Room 05	91.25%
Room 30	90.71%
Room 23 Kokako	89.55%
Room 18	88.78%
Room Whai	87.97%
Room 02	87.90%
Room 06	87.77%
Room 21Pukeko	87.65%
Room Mahuri	87.58%
Room 09	87.52%
Room 22 Kotuku	86.42%
Room 25 Kereru	85.74%
Room 14	85.45%
Room 26 Ekaranui	85.24%
Room 24 Kiwi	84.87%
Room 19	84.08%
Room 27 Huia	83.60%
Room Kakano	83.10%
Room Wheke	82.21%
Room 16	82.17%
Room 04	81.98%
Room Maki	81.22%
Room 12	79.95%
Room 11	79.69%
Room 13	74.80%

Be kind.




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COMITTMENT + PRIDE = SUCCESS

TE MANU KŌRERO O TAMAKI MAKURAU

Jacob Brady represented Te Whānau Āwhina Clendon Park with real pride at the Manu Kōrero Competition held at Te Kura Māori o Ngā Tapuwae, placing an impressive fourth overall.

Speaking on the kaupapa of Ngā Kaingākau — what he loves — he delivered his kōrero with confidence, heart, and clarity, connecting strongly with those who listened.

When he returned, he was welcomed back with a powerful haka from the rest of the unit — an awesome moment that reflected just how proud everyone was of his effort and the mana he carried onto the stage.



TWA BUNGY JUMP

A small group of our Year 8 students from TWA had the incredible opportunity last week. It was something completely different, pushing them out of their comfort zones and creating special moments along the way.

These are the kinds of experiences that our tamariki will remember and cherish for years to come, full of courage, laughter, and pride.

A huge thank you to AJ Hackett Bungy Jump for making it all possible, as always. We truly appreciate your ongoing support in helping create such meaningful opportunities for our students.



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SCHOOL INITIATIVE UPDATES

SCALING NEW HEIGHTS: SCHOOL COUNCILLORS AT WERO CLIMB

On Monday, 11th May, our awesome School Councillors took part in an action-packed team-building morning at Wero Climb. It was a fantastic opportunity for our student leaders to step outside their comfort zones and work together in a high-energy environment.

Highlights of the event

Teamwork in Action: The students didn't just climb; they coached and encouraged one another, ensuring everyone felt supported through the most challenging parts of the course.

Overcoming Obstacles: From navigating tricky heights to mastering difficult routes, the grit and determination on display were truly impressive.

Leadership Skills: The session focused on communication and trust – essential tools for our councillors as they represent our student body this year.

Our Year 7 and 8 councillors proved exactly why they were chosen for their roles. Their positive attitudes and willingness to help their peers made them awesome role models for the rest of the school.

We are incredibly proud of how they conducted themselves and can't wait to see the great things this group will achieve throughout the rest of the year!



NETBALL SEASON HAS STARTED

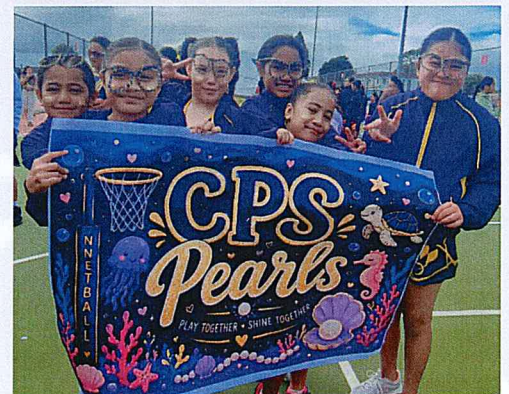
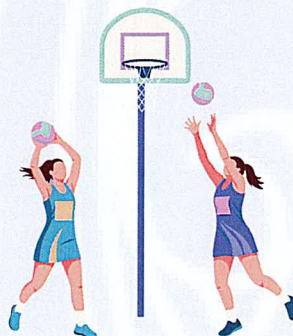
Last weekend we officially opened the 2026 Manurewa Netball season with our annual Parade Day 🎉❤️

Congratulations to our CPS Pearls for winning Best Banner! 🏆 The last time our school won this was back in 2013, so this was pretty special.

Some of the girls met Maru Delamare, GS/GA for the Northern Stars Men's team, along with Junior Manapori the Head Coach.

A big thank you to our awesome umpires, both our returning umpires and those giving it a go for the first time this season.

We appreciate you



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PINK SHIRT DAY
Sprinkle Kindness

PINK SHIRT DAY 25

Nga Pihinga

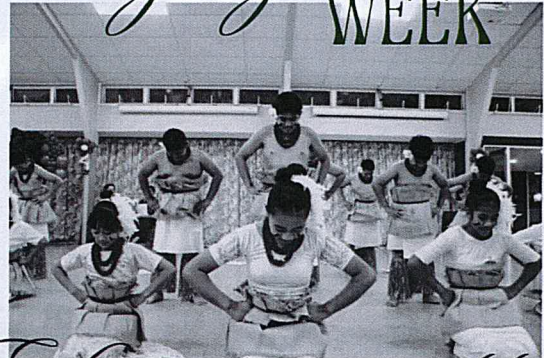
CAKE STALL FUNDRAISER & pink shirt day

KINDNESS IS OUR SUPERPOWER. TOGETHER, WE CAN STAND UP AGAINST BULLYING AND MAKE OUR WORLD A SAFER, MORE INCLUSIVE PLACE

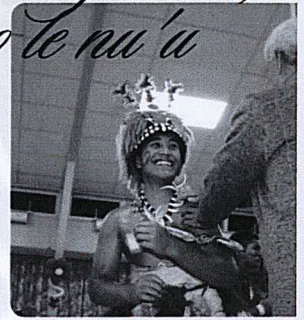
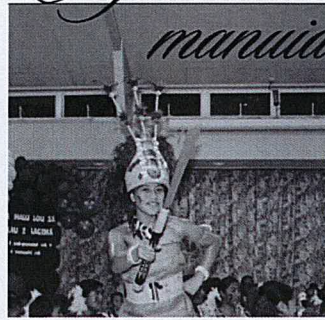


Week 4
Friday 15th May
at Morning Tea
BRING YOUR COINS

SAMOAN language WEEK




E afua mai i mauga tetele, manuia o te nu'u



WEEK 7
OPENING 2ND JUNE 11:15 AM
CLOSING 5TH JUNE 9:15 AM
IN THE HALL

LOST PROPERTY IN THE HALL

Please remind your children to look after their clothing. If they misplace it, they can come to the hall to collect it.



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in the wharekai




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