



Newsletter

Term 4
Week 10
Thursday 14
December

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Paula's Panui

Here we are at the end of another year!

This week we have celebrated - student success in lots of different areas; students graduating to college and a very special teacher retiring.

We can also celebrate all of our awesome students for their SHARP behaviour. I have been so impressed with how students have prepared for Neil's send off and they did a great job.

Thank you to everyone that came along to spend time with Neil yesterday - as usual the weather did not play ball!

On behalf of the staff, we thank you for all of your support throughout the year.

We hope you get to enjoy some time with family, some sunshine and relaxation.

For those of you who back with us in 2024, we look forward to another fun filled year.

Finally, on behalf of my family, Merry Christmas and safe travels to anyone who is out and about over the summer.

Ngā Mihi, Paula Weston Tumuaki/Principal

The Last week of term:

Friday 15th December

Last day for 2023, students will visit their new class

From 10-10:30am but will finish the day (12pm) with their current class.

School finishes at 12 pm

Office Closure

The office will be closed from Friday 15th December 12pm

The office will be open Monday 29th January 9:30am

Medication in Office

Parents, please come into the office on Friday to collect your child's medication that we have been holding on to

2024: Start of the School year:

Monday 29th and Tuesday 30th January: Goal Setting Meetings

With your school report you will be given an appointment time for a goal setting/meet the teacher meeting on either Monday 29th or Tuesday 30th January. We will be scheduling those for everyone so that we can ensure that families are booked in together. This will replace the goal setting sessions we would usually have later in term 1.

Office will be open from Monday 29th January 9am for stationery sales -
Eftpos will be available for stationery purchases

Wednesday 31st January:

First day of school for all students - straight to the classrooms

Friday 2nd February:

Pōwhiri to welcome our new staff, students and whanau



Student News

Congratulations to the following recipients

Enviro Cup - Octavian

Kapa Haka - Mackenzie

Inter House Cup - Te Arawa

Workman Trophy (Sports) - Hendrix

Rose Cup (Performing Arts) - Michael P

Robinson Family (Speech) - Mackenzie

Huntley Memorial Rosebowl (English) - Riana

Feast Cup (Effort) - Zoe

Horton Cup (Achievement across Curriculum) - Harriet

Greytown DHS Cup (Contribution to the school) - Lucinda

Librarian of the Year - Izzy

Alex Walsh Buddy Award - Harper

Crawford Cup (sportspersonship) - Lucinda

Kempton Cup (Visual Art) - Amaia

Craig Cup (Technology) - Harry K

Maths Cup (Mayoral) - Jamie

Field/Lyford Cup (Life Skills) - Mela

Morch Cup (Most Improved) - Van

Coe Cup (Achievement across Curriculum) - Noah WS



Dougherty Shield (Runner up to Dux) - Vita
Isabel Knell Cup (Dux) - Octavian



Student News - Introducing our Head Students



**Zara Grant
Head Girl
2024**



**Jonah
Thompson
Head Boy
2024**



**Skylar
Spencer
Deputy Head Girl
2024**



**Micah
Thompson
Deputy Head Boy
2024**

GREYTOWN SCHOOL'S LEGACY

Greytown School is on a mission to upgrade the junior playground in preparation for the start of the 2024 school year.

The current playground is very well used, but our growing role means we need to provide more space for our young ones to play, exercise and test their limits!

Now all we need is your support to make this a reality. You have the opportunity to leave a permanent memento at the school by purchasing one of a limited number of laser engraved bricks, which will be used to build a **'Legacy Path'** around the new playground. You may want to engrave your family name, dedicate it to someone special, or leave some inspirational wisdom for future generations. Whatever you choose, a record of your kindness and generosity will literally be cemented in place in our new playground!

**WHERE CAN I LEARN
MORE ABOUT THE
PLAYGROUND PROJECT?**

Check out the fly-through video of the playground at greytown.school.nz

ORDER YOUR BRICK

at the school office or online at
greytown-schoolmyshopify.com



Community Notices

10 Hole Child / Adult 2-Person Ambrose



Sunday 14th January 2024

2.00pm Shotgun Start - Registrations from 1pm
\$20 per team

- ☐ No handicap required - We can give you one on the day
- ☐ Children (16yrs and under) to pair up with an adult
(Parents, Grandparents, Caregivers, Friends)

Prizes (including spot prizes)
Sausage Sizzle

Entries to entries@martinboroughgolfclub.co.nz by Friday 12th Jan
(entries may be taken on the day if numbers allow)

Enquiries to Debbie on 0276974724



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