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Pānui Mo Te Wiki - Weekly Newsletter

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This week - A Short Reminder Note - which includes learning from Bully Free Week last week.

We try to alternate between a full detailed newsletter and a short reminder newsletter each Thursday. You can find all newsletters and reminders [on our website](#).

Curriculum Day / Teacher Only Day - Friday 27 June

Our BOT approved a Curriculum Day for Friday June 27, 2025. The Minister of Education has specified that schools can have two 'Curriculum Days' in 2025. This will be our second this year and will focus on the revised Math and Statistics curriculum, which schools are implementing.

Quick Calendar

This Week. - Week 4, Term 2 - 19 - 23 May

- OPS Science & Technology Week
- 23/05 - Kea Learning Community Assembly - 2.15 pm

Next Week. - Week 5, Term 2 - 26 - 30 May

- 27/05 - National Young Leaders Day Yr6 leaving OPS - 8.30 am

[Link to calendar](#) - [Link to OPS Website](#) for full Calendar. Also included at end of this newsletter

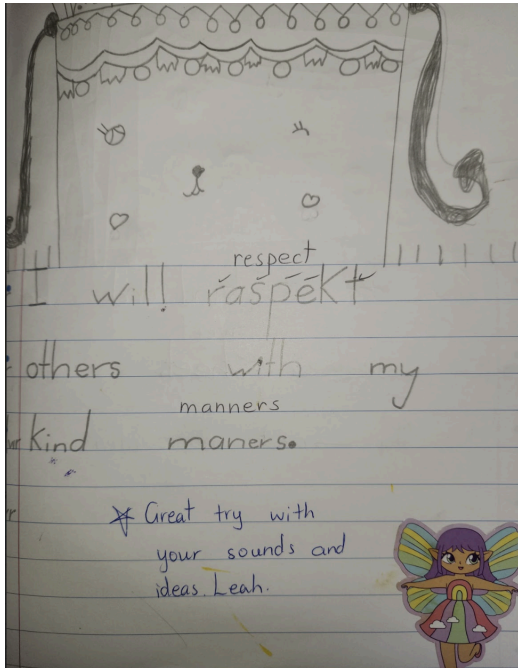
Bully Free Week - Last Week - Speak up and be a proud 'upstander'

In week 3 of this term, OPS focused on being upstanders. We focus on this ALL the time, but it was great to have a special spotlight on making a stand against bullying.



Next Week - Pictures from our Science and Technology Week

Kiwi Learning Community



The Kiwi Learning community learnt different ways to show kindness. We unpacked the book 'Have you filled a bucket today?'

We practised filling each other's buckets with kind words and even designed our own pink shirts.

Some of our students also wrote about ways they can show kindness.



Kea Learning Community



Kea Puia learned how to be upstanders while holding popsicle stick props that translated:

**Kōrero Mai,
Kōrero Atu,
Mauri Tū, Mauri
Ora – Speak Up,
Stand Together,
Stop Bullying!**

We promoted kindness and inclusion with Jim, taking turns and encouraging each other to shoot hoops.



Kereru Learning Community



The students wrote kind comments to each other and shared them with their whānau. They created 'No bullying' posters for their home learning. We also watched Oat the Goat and the story of how Pink Shirt Day originated.

I can be an Upstander, by asking "Do you want to play with me?" to interrupt the bullying?

If I see bullying, I can go up to someone and say, "That's not nice."

I can go and find a teacher to help stop the bullying.

I will tell the person being bullied to come with me to find a duty teacher.



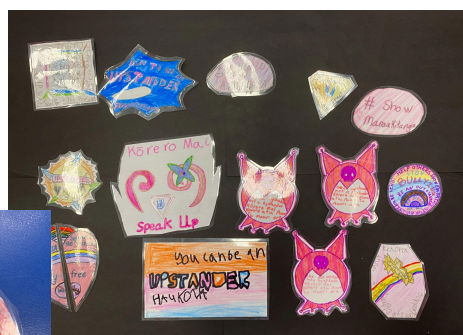
We learned about being an upstander and standing up to bullying, **Kōrero Mai, Kōrero Atu, Mauri Tū, Mauri Ora –**

Speak Up, Stand Together, Stop Bullying! We were so proud to wear pink shirts on the Pink Shirt Day and make donations to help create a kinder, more inclusive Aotearoa where everyone feels safe, valued, and unafraid to be themselves.



Piwakawaka Year 5 Learning Community

Ākonga designed and made upstander badges.



We made sure that our badges included Te Reo. Our badges also included one of the 5 ways to be an upstander.

Ākonga learnt 5 different ways of being an upstander:

- Support
- Distract
- Call it
- Leave and act
- Get help

Ākonga enjoyed watching Oat the Goat and spotting some of the 5 upstander actions that we can take.



Piwakawaka Year 6 Learning Community



Kaiss: "This was my first time seeing Pink Shirt Day at a school. It was awesome!"

Valora: "We don't just wear pink because it's a cool colour - we wear it to show that you're not alone."

Hugh: "Seeing everyone wear pink was a good feeling!"

Leia: "It was fun to see everyone wearing pink and practising non-bullying"

Nadia: "Speak up, stand together and stop bullying!"

Faith: Don't stand by - Be an upstander!

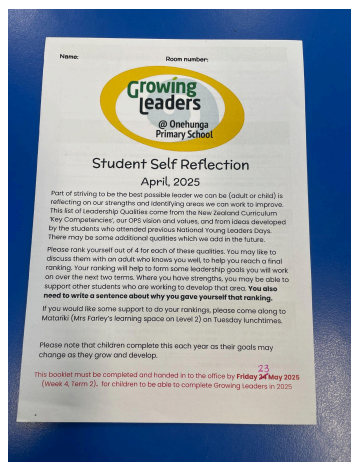
Ethan G: "The videos that we watched encouraged us to be the upstander in someone's story and make a difference."

Autumn: "For reading, our learning intention was to understand what it means to be an upstander and how we can take positive action when someone is being treated unfairly."

Jack: "It's hard to be an upstander, but you know you're doing a good thing."

Austin: "It's ok to be different."

James: "Even having just one person stand up for you is enough!"



Growing Leaders reminder:

On Friday 2nd May, Mrs Holley and Mrs Farley had their first 'proper' meeting with the Growing Leaders. This is when they received their self reflection booklet.

The self reflection booklet is due back on **Friday 23rd May**.

If anyone needs help with completing this booklet, they can see Mrs Farley and the Gold Growing Leaders on Tuesday at lunchtime.

All communication regarding Growing Leaders is sent through HERO to the whānau and ākonga that have returned their 'expression of interest' form.

Ordering Lunches at OPS

Lunches can be ordered 4 days of the week

A reminder that this information can also be found on our website [School lunch options](#)

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		Coming soon Wed. option		

School Calendar Dates - Term 2 - 2025

*Please note that dates will be added, updated and possibly changed as the term progresses.
Weekly newsletters contain the most up to date information.*

[Link to online calendar](#) - [Link to OPS Website](#) for online calendar.

19/05 - 23/05 Week 4	OPS Science & Technology Week 23/05 - Kea Learning Community Assembly - 2.15 pm
26/05 - 30/05 Week 5	27/05 - National Young Leaders Day Yr6 - leaving OPS - 8 30 am
02/06 - 06/06 Week 6	Samoan Language Week 02/06 - King's Birthday - school closed 06/06 - Samoan Cultural Clothing - for Samoan Language Week (optional) 06/06 Samoan Language Week celebration Assembly - 2.15 pm
09/06 - 13/06 Week 7	International Languages Week
16/06 -20/06 Week 8	OPS Matariki Celebrations 20/06 - Matariki - school closed 20/06- Kereru Learning Community Assembly - 2.15 pm
23/06 - 27/06 Week 9	OPS Matariki Celebrations 23/06 - BOT Meeting - 5.30 pm Admin Meeting Room- note change to Monday 26/06 - Term 2 ends 27/06 - Curriculum Day - Teacher Only Day- Maths focus- school closed

2025 School Calendar

■ Term 2 - 28 April - 27 June

- 02/06/25 - King's Birthday - school closed
- 20/06/25 - Matariki - school closed
- 27/06/25 - Curriculum Day - Teacher Only Day- Maths focus

■ Term 3 - 14 July - 19 September

- 11/08 - 15/08 - Book Fair
- 14/08/25 - Grandparents and Grandfriends afternoon

■ Term 4 - 6 October - 17 December

- 27/10/25 - Labour Day school closed
- 01/11/25 - **Arts and Cultural Festival** 11am - 3pm (Saturday)
- 08/11/25 - **Arts and Cultural Festival** wet weather save day

