

*Be respectful
Be responsible
Be supportive*



Victory
Primary

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Kia Toa Be Victorious

Tēnā koutou katoa, Namaste, Mingalaba, Sua's Dei, Nan dam maw, Talofa Lava, Malo e Lelei, Kia Orana, Bula, Fakalofa Atu, Hola, Guten Tag, Bonjour, Ni Hao, Xin Chào, Kumusta, Ayubowan, God Dag, Hallo, Dzień dobry, Merhaba, Assalaam Alykum - Warm greetings to you all.

It's been an action-packed couple of weeks at Victory Primary School despite the mixed weather. In recent times we've had our school cross country, Pink Shirt Day, keeping ourselves safe lessons, road safety presentations, gymnastics lessons, Latin American percussion and dance, chess tournaments, lunch-time activities, Te Ramaroa workshops, music lessons, and we announced our Kia Toa Student Leaders! We also welcomed Māmā Wirihana into our kura to teach te reo me ōna tikanga through kapa haka in our English Medium classrooms one day a week. Wirihana is a real asset to our teaching team and comes with a wealth of knowledge and experience teaching in kura kaupapa. Her iwi connections across Te Taihū and her many skills and strengths make her a taonga that we are lucky to have at VPS.

It was awesome to see such a great turnout of whānau who came to The Broads Fields to support our tamariki that were running in our school cross country yesterday. This was our first big school event using our new Rōpū Whānau (house groups) and it was great to see students and staff all dressed in their rōpū whānau colours to cheer for and support their fellow runners. Thank you very much to everyone that was part of such a successful event. We now look forward to our top runners competing in the inter-school cross country in a couple of weeks.

Our Kia Toa Student Leaders were also announced this week and they were presented with their leadership badges during our Kia Toa Assembly. The 30 student leaders that were presented with badges were nominated by their peers and kaiako and were interviewed earlier this term to share their ideas about our school and talk about their leadership qualities. These rangatahi have a wide range of skills and attributes and will make great tuakana and role models for the rest of our students. We look forward to working with them in 2023 and potentially welcoming some more Year 6 ākonga to the team later in the year.

The first task for our student leaders was to plan Pink Shirt Day activities for the school and they did an amazing job organising pink scavenger hunts, a pink photo booth, pink face painting, a pink hair salon, and free compliments that were given out to people to support the message of anti-bullying. These activities are part of our well-being initiative to introduce more break-time options for our tamariki. Look out for photos on our school Facebook page soon!

As we approach the half-way point of the term, there are heaps of things to look forward to including sports events, music performances, and plenty of upcoming trips in different teams. As a school, we are starting to work on our Te Ramaroa (Nelson Light Show) exhibit and our Matariki performance is in the early stages of planning as well. We are super excited to share our progress with these big events as the term continues. Watch this space!

Ngā manaakitanga,

Dan George
Tumuaki



Victory Happenings

Basketball workshops with the Nelson Giants



Road Safety Awareness



CROSSCOUNTRY 2023 (results see back page)





We are learning to be respectful, responsible and supportive in games when we play fair by...

<i>Kia wairua whakautē - Be respectful</i>	<i>Kia tangata tūtika - Be responsible</i>	<i>Kia ringa tautāwhi - Be supportive</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Following the rules ● Respecting the referee decisions ● Win or lose, shaking hands with the opposite team at the end of the game and say 'good game' 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Being honest ● Choosing equal ability teams ● Doing your best 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Using encouraging words ● Acknowledging the effort made by all players and referees ● Working as a team ● Taking turns ● Helping others who are new to the activity

Kia Toa Awards for T2, Week 4

Ako Tahi: Maisie
 Mahi Tahi: Eve
 Rm11: Madalayna & Lakyn
 Rm12: Timote & Benjamin
 Rm13: Amos & Sarah
 Rm14: Parku & Pray
 Rm16: Dawn Cem & Zereena
 Rm17: Ayanna & Kaitlyn
 Rm18: Quinn
 Rm19: Elizabeth & Noah
 Whānau Ti Kouka: Hezekiah
 Whānau Koromiko: Nevaeh & Jahkaya
 Whānau Harakeke: Julian, Kymani, Marni & Wyatt



Kia Toa Learners of the Week for Term2, Week 4 from: **Whānau Maungatapu**

Rm11: Ryan
Rm12: Jessi
Rm13: Graylynlan
Rm14: Rosemelyn

Important Dates

Queens/Kings Birthday Public Holiday - Monday 5th June

End Term 2: Friday 30th June
Start Term 3: Monday 17th July





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We are looking for children with asthma to take part in a study comparing two different asthma inhalers

To take part in this study you must:

- ✓ Have been diagnosed with asthma by a doctor
- ✓ Be aged between 5 and 15 years
- ✓ Only use a reliever inhaler

For more information contact either:

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What does it involve?

- 1 year
- 3 In person + 2 phone calls
- Inhalers provided free of charge
- Asthma education
- Reimbursement for travel expenses



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This study has been approved by Northern B Health and Disability Ethics Committee (2018/00)

Cross Country Results 2023

Year 1 Girls: 1st Cristhina, 2nd Rosy, 3rd Nevaeh

Year 1 Boys: 1st Jhon, 2nd Manaaki, 3rd Mason

Year 2 Girls: 1st Masa, 2nd Christine, 3rd Jasmine

Year 2 Boys: 1st Ardie, 2nd Joel, 3rd Slaydin

Year 3 Girls: 1st Sung Ku, 2nd Victoria, 3rd Magdalin

Year 3 Boys: 1st Theo G, 2nd Neymar, 3rd Lucas E

Year 4 Girls: 1st Minnie-Rose, 2nd Teresa, 3rd Bella

Year 4 Boys: 1st Moss, 2nd Theo H, 3rd Mika

Year 5 Girls: 1st Sui Kung, 2nd Tinipere, 3rd Janessa

Year 5 Boys: 1st Van Tha, 2nd Van Ni, 3rd Lincoln

Year 6 Girls: 1st Seini, 2nd Ayanna, 3rd Lisa

Year 6 Boys: 1st Tommy, 2nd Lyrix, 3rd Reuel

