

# MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Kia ora all

Longer days are here, and Term 4 is approaching, which means we need to return to being sun smart – students should be wearing school hats or plain blue/black hats please.

Speeches have now wrapped up – and we had an exceptionally high standard again this year. Thank you to those who helped out with this, and it was great to see parents in the audience for our school

speech finals, as well as the regional finals that were held at NIS. Congratulations to all finalists and a particular mention of Zahra Hassan Haji who won the Spoken Word category and will be representing our school at the Auckland Finals on 25th September.

Inquiry learning is currently focusing on debating and next term we move to enterprise – which is really exciting and an opportunity for students to learn how to start up and run a small business. The skills and attitudes students stand to learn through this will help them in many ways, including building confidence, team work, decision making and using their creativity. We will be holding 2 market evenings where students will be selling their products – Wednesday 4th and Thursday 5th December, 5pm.

Enrolment into secondary school – if you are the parent of a Year 8 student, please ensure you have enrolled your child at a school for next year. Even if you live in zone, you still need to go through the enrolment application process. If you have not yet done so, please make the time to do this – it helps schools with their planning.

We currently have a number of teams and individuals competing at the annual AIMS games in Tauranga. This is a huge event with over 13,500 competitors from across the country. This year we have teams competing in football, basketball, futsal and netball, as well as a number of individual athletes. Results will be shared when they are finalised. AIMS games is a massive undertaking – involving hundreds of people including parents, coaches, managers, staff, students – a massive thank you to anyone who has helped in any way to support our athletes.

We have been donated a special signed and framed Pink print as a fundraiser for our AIMS teams. This is currently on Trademe – check it out, share with any fans and encourage bidding! Thank you to the team at Eden Park for donating it. Here is the Trademe link:

[Pink Print listing](#)

We're seeing an increase in the numbers of students riding bikes, scooters and skateboards to school. **Helmets need to be worn when riding.** Also, if your child rides to school, please reinforce with them the basics of road safety, which we will be discussing at assembly and in classes:

- Use cycle lanes when they are available, and ride on the correct side of the road
- Always pass behind pedestrians, not in front of them.
- Ride at a safe, controllable speed that does not endanger others.
- Slow down when using footpaths, especially when pedestrians are present.
- No riding on school grounds
- Be respectful to others, and if they do hit a pedestrian, they must stop and check if the person is okay, not ride off.
- Be VERY careful when riding!

**Hockey** - Congratulations to Emma Tripp, Cooper Weingarth, and Roo Millward, who were selected to play in the 'Under 14 North Harbour Development' squad. This involves four battle of the bridge games against Auckland teams and is their first experience playing 11-aside hockey

TERM 3, WEEK 8

## UPCOMING KEY DATES

16th September – School Board Meeting

16th – 20th September – Enrolment Interviews for Year 6 students

18th September – Silicon Valley trip parent/student meeting

27th September – Last Day of Term 3, 3pm finish

14th October – Day 1, Term 4!

OUR FULL LIVE CALENDAR IS AVAILABLE THROUGH OUR WEBSITE LINK ON THE HOMEPAGE

[HTTPS://NORTHCOTEINT.SCHOOL.NZ/](https://northcoteint.school.nz/)

FOR UP-TO-DATE PHOTOS AND VIDEOS OF WHAT'S HAPPENING AT OUR SCHOOL, CHECK OUR FACEBOOK AND INSTAGRAM PAGES.



### After School Care Programme

MiCasa offer onsite after school care for children and are running a holiday programme at our school. Contact: [www.micasaasc.co.nz](http://www.micasaasc.co.nz) and for bookings: [mi-casa.aimyplus.com](http://mi-casa.aimyplus.com)

### School Policies

All our policies, as well as the review process are accessible to parents. We encourage you to be part of our school's official policy reviews.

Should you wish to read and give feedback on these, or any of our policies, go to:

<https://www.schooldocs.co.nz/>

Search for our school, then log in using our community login:

Username: northcoteint

Password: Respect

Look at: Policy Reviews, under review. Should you wish to give feedback, click the red review icon, where you can submit feedback. Please submit feedback on the currently reviewed policies before the end of Term.

This term we are reviewing the following policies/topics:

- **Concerns and Complaints Policy** (board review)
- **Media**
- **Performance Management** (board review)
- **Professional Development**
- **Protected Disclosure** (board review)
- **Staff Conduct**
- **Staff Leave**

As always, if there is anything we can do better, or if you have any compliments, feel free to contact me directly at [principal@ni.school.nz](mailto:principal@ni.school.nz)

Stay safe



Ngā mihi

Phil Muir, Proud Principal of Northcote Intermediate School

## FIRST CERTIFICATE AWARD WINNERS

- Oliver Mulholland, Taylor-Lee Dittmar - 1
- Abel Bigi Abraham, Derek Piao - 2
- Carlay Blaauw, Max Moir - 3
- Harry Waalkens, Aston Hirst - 4
- Euntaek Lee, Leo Lim, Yiyi Yin - 5
- Lola Holdaway - 6
- Reef Wright - 7
- Thomas O'Sullivan, Jennifer Nelson - 8
- Gemma Kusnadi, Arabella Newport - 9
- Arie Lee, Ayla Moore - 10
- Maddie Davison, Masiah Mangu - 11
- India Allely, Jordan Botes - 12
- Lorien Chai- Rodgers, Ximon Van den Berg - 13
- Hope Lafu, Annabel Stephens - 14
- Evie Mulholland, Sienna McPherson - 15
- Lily Iles, Luke Campbell - 16
- Zahra Hassan Haji, Lachlan McKenzie, Travis Powell, Manuella Magalhaes - 17
- Lea Mollgaard, Burak Serif - 19

*Congratulations to all of this month's recipients*

# COMMUNITY NOTICES



@SportsCamps4Kids



SCAN ME

**REGISTER HERE**

## **SPORTS SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM**

**\$60 PER DAY**

- ◆ Boys & girls ages 5 - 13
- ◆ All abilities welcome
- ◆ Focusing on fun and fundamental sport skill development

### **TIME:**

**DROP OFF FROM 8:30AM**

**START TIME 9AM**

**FINISH 2:30PM**

**PICK UP BY 3PM**

**WED 2 - THU 3 OCT**

### **RUGBY**

**TAKAPUNA RUGBY CLUB**

Focusing on fun and fundamentals.  
No rugby experience needed.

**WED 9 - THU 10 OCT**

### **MULTISPORT**

**TAKAPUNA GRAMMAR SCHOOL**

Includes sports such as basketball,  
netball, football, tennis, volleyball &  
more!

Register at [www.sportscamps4kids.co.nz](http://www.sportscamps4kids.co.nz)



# TIM BRAY YOUTH THEATRE



## Hit the Stage! School Holidays

A 5-day creative escape.  
Create and perform a unique piece of theatre!  
The Rose Centre, Belmont  
\$386 (sibling discount available)

"My daughter had the best week ever! Thank you so much to all the amazing tutors for being so wonderful and making the experience so great for her."  
-- Zaneta

For information [www.timbray.org.nz](http://www.timbray.org.nz) or phone 09 486 2261



## Mrs Wishy-Washy

By **JOY COWLEY**  
adapted for the stage by **TIM BRAY**  
songs by **CHRISTINE WHITE**

**21 Sep -  
18 Oct 2024**

**Takapuna  
Manukau**

Book now at  
[timbray.org.nz](http://timbray.org.nz)



**BOOK  
NOW**

**Gift a Seat** Where you can make a difference to children by letting them experience the joys of live theatre.



# Jazz School School Holiday Big Band Workshop

This will be an exciting three day school holiday workshop where year 6, 7 and 8 students will learn to play in a Jazz Big Band and then perform a concert for family and friends on the final afternoon. The Big Band is for Saxophone, Trumpet, Trombone and Clarinet players plus Electric Guitar, Piano, Bass and Drums. The music we play will range from jazz standards to modern pop classics with an emphasis on having fun while producing music at a high standard.

Please visit [jazzschool.co.nz](http://jazzschool.co.nz) or email [jnrjazzschool@gmail.com](mailto:jnrjazzschool@gmail.com) for more information.



## GIRLS HOLIDAY PROGRAM

### RIP GIRLS TACKLE HOLIDAY PROGRAM

#### Are you a Rip Rugby player and thinking about tackle?

Come and join like minded girls who have played little to no tackle rugby but would love to give it a try.

Be lead by the players from the Girls Rugby Program who, only a few years back, were in the same position.



The Girls Rugby Program are running this program to raise money to get to the Rugby Youth Festival, Portugal in 2025.

Darrin Robertson  
Program Leader

- Term 3 holidays, Oct 9-10
- Targeting U13 & U15 grade girls
- Mid morning breakfast
- Gear to start your transform to being a rugby player
- Plenty of tackle mats and learning games
- The Big Dance  
Feature in your first tackle match in front of your parents and friends

#### THE GEAR



Learn more at

[www.northcoterugby.nz/holidays](http://www.northcoterugby.nz/holidays)

**SEPT/OCT HOLIDAY PROGRAMME**

NORTHCOTE INTERMEDIATE 145-147 Lake Road, Northcote

**\$250 weekly rate - NOT TO BE MISSED!!**

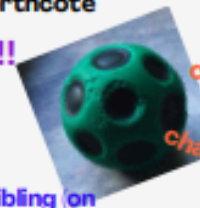


Bring your wheels everyday!  
...& dont forget your helmets!

**2 x ACTIVITIES  
EVERYDAY !!**



We are offering 50% OFF to 2nd and consecutive sibling (on selected sessions) look for the above symbol!



Orbit Balls  
will be given  
away at  
competitions  
and  
challenges !!

**Monday 30th Sept**

**YOUNG GUNS SKATEBOARD CLASS TODAY!** & **JEWELRY MAKING - friendship bracelets and key rings**

**EVERYONE GETS A HOTDOG TODAY!**

**Tuesday 1st Oct**

**CARNIVAL SIDE SHOW... GAMES, BOOTHS & PRIZES TO BE WON !!** & **MASK MAKING... CHOOSE BEADS, FEATHERS OR MAKE A SUPER HERO MASK**

**Wednesday 2nd Oct**

**BAKING WITH MRS LUNA... BAKE, DECORATE AND ENJOY!** & **FOOTBALL... LETS ENJOY A GAME & SCORE FEW GOALS!!**

**Thursday 3rd Oct**

**BRICKS 4 KIDZ STEAM EDUCATION - LEGO INGENEERING & ROBOTICS** & **NINJA DAY** Dress up (optional) Lets compete at NISC Obstacle Course Playground. All competitors get a prize & Orbit ball for Best Ninja dress ups

**Secure your spot now... Scan the code!**



**Booking Link:**  
[mi-casa.aimyplus.com](http://mi-casa.aimyplus.com)  
**email: micasaasc@gmail.com**  
**Web: www.micasaasc.co.nz**

**Friday 4th Oct**

**PINATA WE MAKE IT... HAVE FUN BREAKING IT! EVERYONE GETS A LOLLIE BAG** & **ICEBLOCS TODAY!** & **MOVIE, FUNNY VIDEOS, RIDDLES ON THE BIG SCREEN... POPCORN !!**

**Monday 7th Oct**

**HIP HOP DANCE LESSON WITH EMMA - \*FREESTYLE, GAMES \*NO EXPERIENCE \*ALL AGES** & **RC CARS & RAMP MAKING**

**ICE CREAM TODAY!!**

**Tuesday 8th Oct**

**FRUIT COCKTAILS & CANVA PAINTING LESSON WITH CAMILA** & **ORIGAMI & PAPER PLANES**

**Wednesday 9th Oct**

**DERBY CARS COMPETITION** We will make the cars & race on a real Derbi RACE TRACK... all competitors get a price - 1st Place GETS A TROPHY & **SAUSAGE SIZZLE... EVERYONE GETS A SAUSAGE FOR AFTERNOON TEA**

**Thursday 10th Oct**

**BRICKS 4 KIDZ STEAM EDUCATION - LEGO INGENEERING & ROBOTICS** & **BASKETBALL OUTDOORS AT THE COURT OR INDOORS AT THE HALL**

**ICE CREAM TODAY!!**

**YUMMY AFTERNOON TEA!!**

**PLEASE PACK: HATS, WATER BOTTLE, LUNCH AND MORNING TEA**

**Friday 11th Oct**

**PINATA WE MAKE IT & WE BREAK IT! EVERYONE GETS A LOLLIE BAG** & **ICEBLOCS TODAY!** & **MOVIE, FUNNY VIDEOS, RIDDLES ON THE BIG SCREEN... POPCORN !!**