Team Āria Newsletter

Term 4 2023



Haere mai and Welcome

We trust that you have had a fabulous first week back at school and are all set for an action packed term ahead. It's going to be a busy one. Grab a cuppa, put your feet up and spend a moment catching up on our Term 4 Team Āria news.



Staffing Update



Ms Claire Baker

Following the departure of Mrs Aimee Wales to Maternity leave at the end of term 3, I am going to be Āria's Team Leader for the remainder of the year. I have 27 Years teaching experience and have taught at Clearview Primary since its opening in 2010. I have previous Team Leader experience and I am looking forward to leading our team into the festive season. My contact email address is: claireb@clearview.school.nz



Ms Margo Wilson

We welcome Ms Margo Wilson to Team Āria as my 0.3 Release Teacher. Margo will teach in Homebase 8 every Wednesday and every second Thursday to release me to attend to Team Leader duties. Margo is a familiar face at Clearview as she has been a valued relief teacher across the school. Margo brings extensive teaching experience and boundless positive energy to our team. We are lucky to have her.





Miss Sarah Carruthers

Miss Sarah Carruthers and Mrs Bekee Varcoe will job share in Homebase 11 for the remainder of the year.

Sarah has previously taught full time at Clearview and was, until this term, covering Aimee Wales' 0.3 Team Leader Release in Homebase 11 as well as covering other relief teaching days. Fun fact: Sarah also runs her own sewing business!

Email: sarahc@clearview.school.nz



Mrs Bek Varcoe

Bekee has also previously taught full time at Clearview until she took maternity leave to have her first child. Bekee has been doing some relief teaching across the school this year.

Email: <u>bekv@clearview.school.nz</u>

We are lucky to have the experience and teaching knowledge that these ladies bring to our team.

Teaching Days

Sarah: Monday, Tuesday and odd week Wednesdays Bekee: Thursday, Friday and even week Wednesdays

Sunhat and Sunblock

During Term 4 it is compulsory for all children to wear a <u>Clearview Bucket Hat</u> when they are outside. Please ensure that your child has their hat at school everyday and that it is CLEARLY named. We will be doing our very best to ensure hats are not lost, however we strongly rely on children taking responsibility for their own belongings by putting their hat away in the right place after use.

Can we please also ask that you <u>apply sunblock to your child in the morning before school</u>. Coupled with wearing their sunhat and choosing to play in the shade during the hottest parts of the day, we hope to keep all children as safe as possible when enjoying the outdoors.







Flips and Tumbles



Team Āria children will participate in Flips and Tumble sessions on Tuesdays for the first 5 weeks of term. On this day, children can come to school in active wear suitable for flipping and tumbling. Please also consider the sun safety aspects of this clothing (no singlet tops please). Further information has been sent home to you via HERO.

Term 4 Clearview Value Focus

In Term 4 we are focusing on the value of Whanaungatanga. This means growing connections and relationships that create a sense of belonging.





Important Dates

Term 4 is always guaranteed to be action packed. Here are a few dates to add to your diary.

October 12 - Weedons Yellow Caps Cricket Sessions (wear school uniform)

October 23 - School closed due to Labour Day

November 10 - Colour Run (more information to follow)

November 17 - School Closed due to Show Day

December 5 - Monster Music Christmas Concert

December 8 - Run, Jump, Throw (Junior Athletics - more information to follow)

December 13 - Junior Prize Giving Assembly 9:15am (School Hall)

December 14 - End of Year General Comments and Progress Graphs posted on HERO

December 15 - Last day of school - school closes at 12pm

** An end of year fun day is also being planned for Team Āria children.

Details will be shared once confirmed.



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