



# LYNMORE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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KEEP MOVING  
KEEP GROWING  
KEEP LEARNING  
*Tupungia te aroha o te ako  
hei anga mua*

21 August 2025  
Issue 26

Community on Friday at 2.00pm

## Robocup Theatre Success

A huge congratulations to our team of four –

Griff, Willow, Jonty, and Emika  
who were placed **2nd in the  
Primary Schools Nationals  
Competition.**

We are very proud of you all - more  
photos and an awesome write up  
further on in this newsletter.



AMAZING results again for our chess team.  
Read all about their great results, and view  
some awesome photos  
further on in this newsletter.

A big thank to Whaea Hayley for her great  
organisation, and passion to see our students  
play chess!



## Lucky Book Club - Issue 6 2025

Keep an eye out! This week your child/children will be bringing home Issue 6  
of the Scholastic Lucky Book Club.

Orders are OPEN and will CLOSE on Friday 12 September.  
visit [scholastic.co.nz/LOOP](http://scholastic.co.nz/LOOP)

**PLEASE** ensure you report to the office when coming into our school!

# FROM THE PRINCIPAL ...

## Education Update: What's Happening Nationally...

Kia ora e te whānau,

Across Aotearoa, education is going through a time of big change. The Minister of Education has recently announced a number of shifts that will affect both primary and secondary schools. I want to share some of the key developments so you are aware of what's happening nationally, and how it may affect our tamariki in the years ahead.

### Structured Literacy & Maths

Currently all schools will move to a **structured literacy approach** for reading and writing, and a new **maths curriculum** is being rolled out. This means more emphasis on phonics, explicit teaching, number knowledge, and problem-solving.

### Secondary Qualifications

The Government has announced plans to **phase out NCEA** over the next five years. While it is not yet clear what the replacement system will look like, consultation and planning are underway.

### Charter Schools

**Charter schools (Kura Hourua)** are being reintroduced. These schools operate with greater independence from the state system, and some existing schools may be converted to this model.

### Language & Culture

A recent decision to remove most **Māori words** from the *Ready to Read Phonics Plus* books has drawn wide discussion. Many educators and communities are concerned about the impact on te reo Māori in our classrooms.

### Health & Wellbeing Education

The Ministry has also withdrawn previous **relationship and sexuality education guidelines**. A new version is currently being consulted on, so changes are still to come.

## Curriculum Refresh

Alongside these changes, the **New Zealand Curriculum Refresh** is underway. This includes:

- A new “**Understand, Know, Do**” **framework** which makes clear what students need to *understand*, the knowledge they need to *know*, and the skills they should be able to *do*.
- **Phases of achievement** replacing the older “levels.” These phases are designed to give a clearer picture of progress across the primary and secondary years.
- Teachers are expected to have these new approaches **embedded in their planning and classroom practice** now, with full implementation across all learning areas over the next couple of years.

## Assessment Changes

Another area of change is **assessment**. The Ministry is reviewing national assessment tools, including e-asTTle and PaCT, and considering how student progress will be measured in light of the new curriculum phases. The expectation is that assessments will:

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- Provide clearer reporting to parents and whānau on how tamariki are progressing,
- Align more closely with the Understand–Know–Do framework, and
- Support consistent tracking of progress across schools.

We will share more updates with you as new tools and requirements are confirmed.

## What This Means for Us

At Lynmore School, our vision is to grow empowered learners—children who are confident in who they are, connected to their culture and community, and equipped with the skills to thrive in an ever-changing world.

Guided by our core values—Pono (Integrity), Maia (Courage), Māui (Curiosity), and Aroha (Empathy)—we create a learning environment where every child feels valued, challenged, and inspired to be the best version of themselves.

We believe learning should be:

Deeply rooted in identity and place, honouring Te Ao Māori and the unique histories of our Rotorua rohe.

Driven by curiosity, creativity, and collaboration, preparing ākonga to be resilient, future-ready citizens.

Nurtured through strong partnerships, where ākonga, whānau, kaiako, iwi and the wider community learn and grow together.

No matter what changes unfold nationally, this is the foundation we stand on at Lynmore. Our focus will remain on high-quality teaching, strong cultural connections, and supporting the well-being and success of every tamaiti.

I sincerely want to thank our staff at Lynmore for their resilience and determination to focus on what matters most despite the outside noise. Your commitment to our school community is to be commended.

## **NZEI Paid Union Meeting –**

Next Wednesday Next Wednesday our teachers will be attending the NZEI Paid Union Meeting (PUM). To minimise the impact on our tamariki, staff will split between the two Rotorua meeting times. This means that for around two hours during the day, your child's learning may be supported by another teacher. We appreciate your understanding as our staff take part in these important discussions about the future of education.

Ngā mihi nui,

***Hinei Taute***

Principal



# FROM THE PRINCIPAL ...



## ROBOCUP SUCCESS!



“

*It was challenging we got through it by communicating and helping each other. I am so proud of our team.*

Emika



A huge congratulations to our Robocup team — Griff, Emika, Willow, and Jonty — who travelled all the way to Nelson to compete in the Robocup Junior National Event.

They represented our school with outstanding teamwork, creativity, and perseverance, achieving an amazing 2nd place in their division!

We are so proud of their mahi and the way they showcased both their skills and their school values on a national stage. Ka rawe, team!



# PC4L AWARDS...

## *Kupe Whare Ako*

0	Bree	Courage	For progress in Courage. Bree, you have shown such wonderful bravery in class recently. You have been exploring new things with courage and always giving your best. Even though saying goodbye to your whānau has been a challenge, you have persevered and grown so much. I am so proud of the way you never give up and keep trying until you succeed. Ka mau te wehi, Bree - what a star you are
1	Kyla	Aroha	Kyla you listen to the ideas of others, share and take turns with your peers. You always include your friends and classmates in play. We are so lucky to have such a caring friend in our class. Ka rewe e hoal!
2	Ryan	Integrity	Ryan, you have consistently demonstrated integrity by stepping up as a leader during small group sessions. You role model what it means to do the right thing, showing great listening skills and a strong commitment to following instructions. You strive to complete your learning every day. Well done, Ryan - keep up the fantastic work!
3	Liliana	Integrity	For progress in Integrity. Liliana, you have shown great progress in building positive relationships with those around you. Helping those in need especially Whaea Cherie with clean up during play based learning, you always make sure the job is done instead of leaving it for others to do. Keep working hard Liliana, we can all see you are making great progress in all areas of your growing and learning.
4	Elliot	Courage	Elliot, you overcame your worries and did an outstanding job performing your role in our Kaitiaki of the Secret Garden play. You showed wonderful enthusiasm and energy on stage, just what a great performer does. In your learning, you continue to grasp new concepts with ease and have a natural talent for maths. We also love the creativity you bring to your writing. Keep up the amazing mahi Elliot. We are lucky to have you in Kupe 4.
5	Evelina	Courage	Evelina shows outstanding curiosity in her learning. She is always open to new ideas, asks thoughtful questions, and approaches every task with a genuine desire to learn. Evelina embraces challenges, takes initiative, and explores new learning with enthusiasm and confidence. Her positive attitude and willingness to stretch herself help her make the most of every opportunity. Evelina models what it means to be a curious and engaged learner, and she inspires others around her to do the same. She is truly deserving of this PC4L award. Ka mau te wehi, Evelina—your curiosity and drive to learn are something special.

### ICAS TIMETABLE...

- Tuesday, 26 August      Mathematics (9.10am)

# PC4L AWARDS...

## *Kupe Whare Ako*

6	Tuahuriri	Aroha	For progress in Aroha. Tu, we are so proud of the way you showed Aroha during Winter Sports! You were respectful and thoughtful towards our parent helpers, always showing respect and kindness. On the futsal court, you showed patience and encouragement when playing against an inexperienced girls' team, displaying outstanding sportsmanship and generosity. You are a natural role model, leading with manaaki and inspiring our juniors through your actions. What an awesome example of leadership and kindness. Ka rawe.
6	Pace	Integrity	For showing integrity during our Winter Sports Day football games. Pace, you looked out for others, supported your teammates, and showed aroha to the opposition. You played fairly and respectfully, even in competitive moments, making sure the game was safe and enjoyable for everyone. You demonstrated all our school values, showing integrity, respecting the rules, and leading by example with your positive attitude. Ka pai, Pace we are really proud of you.
7	Lincy	Integrity	Lincy, you quietly lead by example every day. You always do the right thing, even when no one is watching, and that shows real strength of character. You are honest, reliable, and can always be trusted to give your very best. You embrace challenges, give everything your full effort, and never look for shortcuts. What makes this even more impressive is how quickly you've adapted to life in Aotearoa — you've brought a positive attitude, strong values, and a willingness to grow. Kei runga noa atu koe, Lincy - you are truly admirable.
<b>FURTHER RECOGNITION</b>			
Mrs Mac	Connor Ihenga 6	Courage	Connor demonstrated the value of Courage during the Winter Field Days netball competition. He gave his best effort in every game, showing determination and resilience on the court. Connor was a strong and dependable member of his team, stepping up to challenges with a positive attitude. He also supported his teammates throughout the competition. Tino pai Connor!
Mrs Mac	Devon Ihenga 6	Courage	Devon demonstrated the value of Courage during the Winter Field Days netball competition. He gave his best effort in every game, showing determination and resilience on the court. Devon was a strong and dependable member of his team, stepping up to challenges with a positive attitude. He also supported his teammates throughout the competition. Tino pai rawa Devon!
Yosuke	Emily Ihenga 6	Aroha	Emily, I was deeply moved by the way you offered words of encouragement and support to a classmate who was struggling during my lesson. Although my opportunities to see you are quite limited, from what I observed, I can imagine that you are always thinking for yourself about what is right and acting accordingly. That is truly wonderful. Ka pai!!

# PC4L AWARDS...

## *Hinemoa Whare Ako*

0	Sophie	Courage	Sophie, you continue to make amazing progress in all your school work. You demonstrate courage by persevering with new learning and striving to achieve your personal best. You show courage by saying, "I can't do that yet, but I will try", and you are a shining model of how to succeed by always giving your best effort. Hinemoa 0 are so proud to have you in our class. Ka pai tō mahi
1	Ava	Aroha	For achievement in Aroha. Ava you are an amazing person in the way you are always looking to support your teacher and your friends in the classroom. Your keen observational skills and excellent problem-solving mean you notice what needs doing and jump in to help our activities run smoothly. You always know what everybody is doing and are there to support them if they need help, having the confidence to make suggestions and talk things through. I am super proud of your growth and am really grateful for having you in H1. Wanawana au!
2	JiEun	Curiosity	For achievement in curiosity. JiEun, you are always interested in exploring new and challenging ideas. You notice everything and you are always making interesting connections and asking questions to deepen your understanding. The way you share your understanding with your classmates helps to prompt their curiosity as well. We are lucky to have you in H2. Ka Rawe!
3	Sylvie	Courage	Striving for improvement, Syvlie, you have been stepping out of your comfort zone with a positive attitude. You have been trying your best, and have actively been seeking feedback with a growth mindset, which demonstrates courage. Continue to share your ideas and knowledge, as well as continuing to engage with your learning using this motivated growth mindset to reach your highest potential. Aim for the moon and even if you miss, you will land among the stars!
4	Anastasia	Integrity	Anastasia, you are a role model in our class. You read every night, and you did extra work to prepare for the ICAS exam. Daily you put in effort, over and above, with your learning to make sure you are the best you can be. You notice when someone needs a person to play with and are always kind and considerate to all class members. Keep being you Anastasia
5	Jaimin	Integrity	Jaimin, you have been showing fantastic effort in your learning. You are working hard to stay focused and think carefully about what is happening so you are ready to give things a go on your own. Even when it is tricky, you keep trying and never give up. Keep up the awesome effort in taming your wiggles and jiggles to keep your mind learning-ready. We are very proud of you, Jaimin!



# PC4L AWARDS...

## *Hinemoa Whare Ako*

6	Babbar	Integrity	Babbar, we have loved the way you have been sharing your thinking with the class. We have been impressed with your focus. It is great to see you working hard in class. Keep up the great work.
6	Soyee	Integrity	Soyee you always look to complete your work to a high standard. We know that we can trust you to work well independently or with others because of your kind nature you are well liked by your peers. Keep up the great work.

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# PC4L AWARDS...

## *Ihenga Whare Ako*

0	Autumn	Aroha	Autumn, you show kindness and empathy towards your peers, noticing when someone is feeling sad. You are beginning to show courage by joining your peers in their play during the break times. I always appreciate your help at clean-up time, where you show initiative by finding what needs to be done. Ka pai tō mahi!
1	Benji	Courage	For progress in Courage. Benji, I can see the courage you show when trying new things and taking on challenges. You are learning to persevere and keep going, even when something feels difficult. I am proud of the way you do not give up and work hard to accomplish your tasks. Ihenga 1 is so proud to have you in our class. Ka pai
2			None this week!
3	Ralph	Curiosity	For showing amazing curiosity at school. Ralph, we are so impressed by the valuable questions you ask when we are learning new things. You love reading and exploring different ways to solve problems. You never give up, even when things become challenging. Your clear explanations of the steps and strategies are impressive. Keep up the great work, Ralph!
4	Tyler	Courage	For progress in Courage. I can see how hard you are working, to accept mistakes as part of the learning process, and to keep trying. Though sometimes things might be tough, I am proud that you are finding the confidence to keep working through it and be the best you that you can be. Tyler you are an amazing learner, you can do whatever you set your mind to, and I am glad your courage to do these things is growing. Kia kaha Tyler!
5	Eva	Courage	For progress in Courage. It has been lovely to see that you are giving everything a go and trying hard with all your learning at school. You are interacting with your friends and asking for help when needed. You are a kind, caring and amazing learner. Keep growing!
6	Kayla	Curiosity	For progress in Curiosity. Kayla, you bring your enthusiasm for finding out more to our class. You share the facts you have uncovered while reading about Ancient Egypt, which has often led to more questions to investigate. You contribute to class discussions and ask questions if you are unsure. Ka mau te wehi!
7	Evie	Courage	For progress in Courage. I can see how hard you are working on your maths, having a go at our 2 and 3-digit multiplication. You persevere and are not afraid to ask for help when you still need it. Ka mau te wehi, keep it up, and you will get there.

### **Congratulations Robin!**

Thank you for taking part in the School Travel Habits and Safety Survey. We're delighted to let you know that you've won a **\$100 Pak'nSave voucher**. Enjoy your prize, and thanks again for your contribution!



# FROM THE PRINCIPAL...



**WELL DONE GIRLS!!!!**



## CONGRATULATIONS!!!!

We have four amazing girls from K6, **Serene, Anya, Audrey and Olivia** who competed yesterday in the 2024 Junior Tough Guy and Gal Challenge.

They represented Lynmore School and came away winning **The Brightest School 2025 Award!**

We are so proud of their effort in the extremely muddy course, and they demonstrated all their School values to such a high standard!



## WHAT FUN!

On Sunday Nikau W, Marcus and Ma-tilda competed in the Tough Guy and Gal Junior Family Challenge.

They ran 3kms through water, mud and obstacles having loads of fun along the way.

**WELL DONE!**





# FROM THE PRINCIPAL...



## CONGRATULATIONS to

**Soyee**  
Hinemoa 6

Soyee has participated in  
Mt. Tauhara Gymnastics  
Winter Festival GYA  
Competition.

She received awards for:

**3rd All around level 3**  
**2nd Beam level 3**  
**6th Floor Level 3**  
**6th Bar Level 3**

**WELL DONE!**



## Congratulations to

**Cole** Hinemoa 6

who played in the Under 14  
Rotorua Waterpolo team in a  
three day tournament over the  
weekend. **WELL DONE!**

## SCHOOL CALENDAR:

### Friday, 22nd August

**Mokoia Intermediate**  
**Roadshow - Year 6**  
**9.30—10.30am**

**Community at 2.00pm**  
**Kupe 5 Performing**

### Tuesday, 26th August

**ICAS Mathematics - 9.10am**

### Friday, 29th August

**Pizza Fundraiser for Robocup**

**Community at 2.00pm**  
**Ihenga 5 Performing**

### Week 8 — 1st to 5th September

**Life Education visit**  
**and in Week 9**

### Friday, 5th September

**Non-Uniform Day — Gold coin**  
**donation for Athletic Buses**

**Community at 2.00pm**  
**Ihenga 3 Performing**

**Achievement Bars week!**

**LAST DAY OF TERM 3 -**

**Friday, 19th September**

## RANDOM ACTS OF KINDNESS

*Awarded by the staff.*

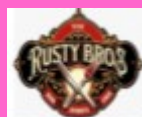
**Mia and Isla**

**Hinemoa 6**

These two girls showed  
kindness and integrity  
by giving up their lunchtime  
to help set the hall for the assembly  
on Thursday last week.

Their selfless teamwork  
and commitment ensured  
our community  
could come together smoothly.

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FROM THE PRINCIPAL ...

# ATHLETICS DAY FUNDRAISER



Friday 5<sup>th</sup> of September.

**DRESS UP IN  
YOUR  
FAVOURITE  
SPORTING  
CLOTHES! GOLD  
COIN DONATION**



All money will go towards  
the buses for athletics day

# SPORTS NEWS...

## CRICKET - TERM 4

Summer Cricket is here! There are three cricket formats to choose from depending on the experience and skill level of players. Please note that there are different registration processes for each format.

### HARDBALL CRICKET

Years 4-6 (Approximately)

Games are played on Thursday afternoon

Starts Thursday October 16th

**COST: \$35**

Hardball cricket is played using wooden bats and protective gear (helmets, gloves, batting pads etc), as well as a hard cricket ball. It is suited for children approximately Years 4-6 who have already played Incrediball Cricket or who have well-developed hand-eye coordination.

Games are held mostly in Rotorua, but you may also play one game in Tokoroa depending on the draw.

### REGISTRATIONS

Registrations are online at the link below. You will also find the form on the Lynmore School App under the "LINKS" Tab. *Payments are made direct to Northern District cricket. DO NOT make payments to Lynmore School*

<https://forms.schoolapps.nz.co.nz/form-6873320/cricket-2025-term-4>

**Registrations for Hardball Cricket close on Friday September 12th**

### INCREDIBALL CRICKET

Years 3-5 (Approximately)

Games are played on Thursday afternoon

Starts Thursday October 16th

**COST: \$10**

Incrediball is a modified game of cricket using a soft ball and plastic gear. It is suited for children approximately Years 3-5 who understand the basics of cricket or have reasonably developed hand-eye coordination.

All gear is provided.

### REGISTRATIONS

Registrations are direct with Northern Districts Cricket at the link below. *Payments are made direct to Northern District cricket. DO NOT make payments to Lynmore School.*

<https://www.playhq.com/new-zealand-cricket/register/f0f04d>

### SUPERSMASH CRICKET

Years 0-3 (approximately)

**COST: TBC**

SmashPlay Cricket is an entry level, coached programme and is best suited to children approximately Years 0-3. It is designed to help participants learn the basics of cricket.

All gear is provided.

Registrations will be direct with Northern Districts Cricket. The link will be provided when registrations open.

If you have any questions please contact Catherine Donovan: [sports@lynmore.school.nz](mailto:sports@lynmore.school.nz)



# SPORTS NEWS...

## TERM 4 TOUCH RUGBY 2025

Registrations for Term 4 Touch Rugby are now open!

You must register again this term even if you played in term 1. Touch Rugby is a fun fast paced form of Rugby. It's non contact, with no tackling or scrums.

**COST:** \$32

**WHERE:** Games are played at Westbrook Rugby Grounds on Devon Street. Practices will be at Lynmore School.

### WHEN:

Year 5/6      Play Tuesday afternoons during term 4

Year 1-4      Play Wednesday afternoons/evenings during term 4

Practice days and time are determined by the coach/manager of the team.

### FORMAT

6 a-side 'Touch' Rugby - Non Contact

Mixed teams at all grades

Girls' only grades for Year 3-6 if numbers allow. Please indicate if you specifically want to play in a girls team.

### KEY DATES

**Registrations close SUNDAY 31ST AUGUST**

TUESDAY 7th October - Y5/6 teams begin regular play

WEDNESDAY 8th October - Y0-Y4 teams begin regular play

### REGISTRATIONS

Registrations for Touch Rugby are online at the link below.

[https://forms.schoolappsnz.co.nz/form-6868801/term-4-touch-rugby-2025](https://forms.schoolapps.nz.co.nz/form-6868801/term-4-touch-rugby-2025)

You can also find the registration form on the Lynmore School APP under the "LINKS". If you do not have the Lynmore School App, you can download it from the Lynmore School Website.

If you have any questions please contact:

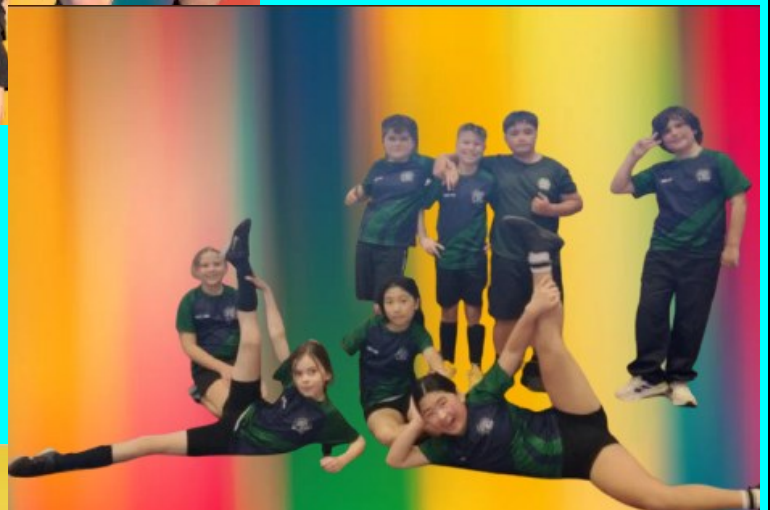
Catherine Donovan, Lynmore Sports Coordinator

Email: [sports@Lynmore.school.nz](mailto:sports@Lynmore.school.nz)

# FUTSAL WINTER SPORTS...



Well done to all our Futsal  
Winter Sports teams, and  
their amazing coaches!  
*It was an enjoyable day  
from all accounts!*





# CHESS NEWS...CONGRATULATIONS!

**Congratulations** to our team of eight chess players Tom, Jaden, Parizaat, James, George, Hugo, Moaka and Blake who travelled to Waipahihi School for the Taupō Chess Regionals on Monday.

Everyone of our players fought hard from their first game till their seventh game. As a result of all 8 players doing exceptionally well they took out **1st place as a team** and the top 4 within this team (this time top 6 due to equal points for fourth) received a gold medal. This win secured another seat for our team at the chess nationals.

Jaden, Parizaat, Hugo, Maoka, James and Blake awarded gold medals for top ranked within the team.

Blake received 1st overall, Jaden 2nd overall and Parizaat tied 3rd overall. Parizaat also received 1st place female.

Maoka was awarded for the biggest gainer of ratings throughout the whole tournament. Blake and Jaden a picket fence badge for winning 7/7 games.

All our players showed encouragement for one another and amazing team spirit.

**A BIG thank you to our parent helpers; Taemi Hara, Pardeep Sharma and Paul Emmerson.**





# OUR SCHOOL'S NEW COMPOST SYSTEM...



A new compost system was introduced at our school.

Now, each class has its own Food Waste Bucket, and after lunch the waste is emptied into the bin set up beside the compost.

How wonderful is it that food waste is no longer being dumped in the landfill but instead is being reused for our gardening.

Several beautiful new gardens have also been created at the school.

The introduction of the compost system was made possible with the cooperation of Kupe 4, who are currently working enthusiastically on gardening.

**Yosuke (ENVIRO)**





# TREES FOR SURVIVAL PLANTING...

On Tuesday, August 19th, Kupe 5 took part in a Tree Planting activity as part of the **Trees for Survival** programme. The planting took place at a property in Okareka owned by the parents of one of Kupe 5's students.

These seedlings first arrived at our school as tiny shoots exactly a year ago. We transplanted them into pots and carefully nurtured them throughout the year.

A total of **640 seedlings** were successfully planted by the students with the support of accompanying parents.

We would like to express our gratitude to Whaea Whai, the Kupe 5 students, the parents, the Trees for Survival staff, the landowner Anna, and also to the students who helped with transplanting and raising the seedlings. It was truly a wonderful day. **Yosuke (ENVIRO)**





FOR YOUR INFORMATION...

# Empowering Families with the Science of Reading



Scan QR code to register or learn more!



Spots are limited - don't miss out!

Are you a parent or caregiver of a young learner aged 4-8? Curious about how reading really develops - and how you can support your child's success from the start?

This introductory, evidence-based workshop will give you the clarity, tools and confidence to make a difference in your child's reading journey.

**Date: Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> September**

**Time: 6.30 - 7.30 pm**

**Location: Rotorua Library**

- Perfect for parents & caregivers of preschool to Year 3 students!

Together no learner is left behind



**FOR YOUR INFORMATION...**

**CADI RANKIN (FROM KUPE O) IS  
EXCITED ABOUT THE RELEASE OF  
HER MUM'S DEBUT NOVEL**

**AVAILABLE FROM 26TH AUGUST**



**LOVE TENNIS IS BACK! SUNDAY 7TH SEPTEMBER**

It was great to see so many children come along last year to our LOVE TENNIS OPEN DAY. Save SUNDAY 7TH SEPTEMBER FROM 10 TO 2 PM.

There will be free coaching, colouring in competitions, a go on the ball machine, two-for-one membership and a chance to WIN A TRIP TO THE AUSTRALIAN OPEN 2026 -JUST by turning up.



FOR YOUR INFORMATION...

YOU'RE INVITED TO THE



*Makaloa  
Intermediate*

OPEN EVENING

WEDNESDAY  
27<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST  
5:30PM - 7PM



# FOR YOUR INFORMATION...



**KIDS**

## LEARN TO SWIM

### TERM 3 LESSONS

**BRAND NEW SWIM ROTORUA SWIM SCHOOL OFFERING A FUN, SAFE AND STRUCTURED PATHWAY FOR SWIMMERS OF ALL ABILITIES.**

With six progressive levels, our program is designed to help swimmers build confidence, develop technique, and grow their love for the water and progress towards Swim Rotorua's Junior Academy.

#### OUR LEVELS:

##### LEVEL

- Water Explorers
- Little Kickers
- Arm Propellers
- Bubble Breathers
- Stroke Technicians
- Stroke Builders

##### MAIN GOALS

- Float, submerge, glide
- Propulsive kick
- Propulsive arms
- Breathing
- Intro to stroke techniques
- Develop all strokes

#### TERM 3 – DETAILS:

- Start Date: 15th July.
- Session Days: Tuesday – Thursday, 3:30 PM – 5:00 PM.
- Groups will vary depending on level. Each session is 30mins.
- Cost: \$130 for TERM 3 (10 Sessions)
- Venue: Based at Lynmore School pool, 1B Iles Rd, Lynmore, Rotorua.

**ENROL NOW**

**PHONE TARA ON 022 332 6922**

**EMAIL [SWIMSCHOOL@SWIMROTORUA.ORG.NZ](mailto:SWIMSCHOOL@SWIMROTORUA.ORG.NZ)**





# FOR YOUR INFORMATION...



## *Harcourts Vegas Showtime for Hospice* *Saturday 23rd August* *Rydges Rotorua*

Join us for a gala dinner and an unforgettable night of world class entertainment, games, live band & auction (including two trips to Fiji!).

*Proceeds from the event will raise much needed funds for Rotorua Hospice.*

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We look forward to welcoming you to this important fundraiser for Rotorua Community Hospice.

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If you:

- Love people
- Love learning
- Have good computer skills
- Have three hours a week to give back to the community
- Can listen well and hear what others are saying
- Are patient, can keep confidences, impartial and non-judgemental

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Our training course involves a mixture of classroom sessions, completing some online modules and being paired with an experienced Bureau worker to observe and then start providing our service.

Email [rotorua@cab.org.nz](mailto:rotorua@cab.org.nz) or ring 07 348 3936 to find out more and ask for an Application Form.





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# **PARKING AROUND SCHOOLS**

Before and after school is a busy time for everyone. Parking rules help to protect our tamariki and keep them safe. Drivers who park illegally put our children at risk. Please park considerately.

## **Please don't :**

- Park across or within 1m of a driveway
- Park on a pedestrian crossing
- Park on yellow lines
- Park on the footpath
- Double park



**ROTORUA  
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Te Kaunihera o ngā Roto o Rotorua

**Lynmore School Vision Statement**  
**PLEASE SUPPORT THESE BUSINESSES THAT SUPPORT US!**

**LYNMORE SCHOOL VISION STATEMENT**

**We strive to inspire a lifelong passion for learning.  
Our approach is rooted in championing teaching excellence and  
providing a diverse range of learning opportunities in an  
engaging environment.  
Drawing on meaningful connections to our hauora, whenua, iwi,  
hapū and whānau, we empower our students to  
become compassionate and well-rounded individuals.**

**YMCA — Before and After School Care (based at Lynmore School Hall)**

For more information please email [oscar.waikato@ymcahamilton.org.nz](mailto:oscar.waikato@ymcahamilton.org.nz)  
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