

Kia ora koutou

I wish to inform our parents of some changes for children coming to school on Monday morning due to storm damage at our school during the past week.

The two huge conifer trees at the front of the school were blown down during the storm and are blocking the pathway from the Ema Street entrance across the Bateman area to the bike sheds and the junior block/Waihou Hub.



All children coming to school on their scooters or bikes are asked to use the front entrance of the school on Jubilee Avenue.

Children will notice that the bike and scooter racks have been moved out of the bike sheds and are on the small lawned area next to the car park gate on Jubilee Avenue.

Children who usually come to school via the Ema Street entrance, including bus children, can still do so but must use the gate closest to Room 10 and then walk past the front of Rooms 8, 9 and 10 on the Astro court side of the building.

We have a truck and a 20 ton digger coming in to school early on Monday morning to tidy up this area and remove the trees from our premises.

The area around the fallen trees will be securely fenced to keep children safe while the work is undertaken.

I ask that you please discuss this with your child/ren so that they are aware of these changes before arriving at school on Monday morning. We hope to have all of this work completed by Monday evening.

Despite the storm, I hope you have all had a good rest with your families and are ready to join us for another busy term three.

Ngaa mihi nui

Kevin Johnson

Tumuaki/Principal