



The editors of this week are:  
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Friday 3 July 2020  
**Week 12 Term 2**

**Kia orana, Kia ora, Malo lelei, Talofa lava, Namaste, Fakalofa lahi atu, Bula vinaka, Ni hao, greetings to all whānau and friends of Flat Bush School,**

Today is the final day for Term 2 and that marks the halfway point of our school year. I would like to wish all of our FBS learners and staff a safe and happy break and look forward to us starting Term 3 on Monday, July the 20th. This term has been one of new experiences and we have taken away lots of new learning. A big thank you to our FBS community for all of your on-going support and encouragement of our school, our learners and our staff. The second half of the year promises to be a busy one but now is the time for everyone to take a break and recharge the batteries. Enjoy the next two weeks with your beautiful children.

**Mr Avatea**  
 Proud to be your Principal

**Flat Bush Profiles**



Name - **Banapa Avatea**  
 Favourite food - **chicken**  
 Favourite drink - **sparkling water**  
 Favourite movie - **Avatar**  
 Favourite sport - **Rugby**  
 Favourite thing about FBS -  
**Being part of the FBS whanau**



Name - **Majoris Samau**  
 Favorite food - **cheese burger**  
 Favourite movie - **lost city of gold**  
 Favourite sport - **Basketball**  
 Favorite Teacher - **Ms Heather**



Name - **Pesamino**  
 Favourite food - **KFC**  
 Favourite Drink - **Sprite**  
 Favourite movie - **Take home pay**  
 Favourite sport - **Rugby Union**  
 Favourite Teacher - **Mrs Stanley**



Name - **Aqeela Khan**  
 Favourite Drink - **Fanta**  
 Favourite food - **pizza**  
 Favourite movie - **Frozen 2**  
 Favourite sport - **Netball**  
 Favourite Teacher - **Mrs Crawley**

**Travelwise**

For Term 3 we are going to have [Walk To School Wednesdays](#). There will be some of the Travelwise Crew at both gates and when students walk to school they will be able to put their name in a box. At the end of the term there will be a draw for some prizes. Prizes include: Family Movie Pass, Meat Packs and other packs. Please be safe over the holidays and come back in Term 3 for more learning and fun. Your Travelwise Crew

**MATARIKI CELEBRATIONS**



**Nau mai, Haere mai**  
 The Ōtara Kai Village / 120 East Tamaki Road, Ōtara Town Centre (in front of Jetts Gym)

**MATARIKI**  
 6 - 11 July  
**2020 at the OKV**

**6 Rāhina Monday**  
 What's on... **FREE ACTIVITIES**  
 10am - 11am: OKV Matariki opening & blessing followed by refreshments.  
 11.30am - 1pm: Mau rākau with Matua Chris.  
 5.30pm - 8.30pm: Matariki by Twilight, hosted by the Ōtara Status Youth Collective featuring the **Game of Knowledge** quiz with prizes to be won. **Cafe Open.**

**7 Rātu Tuesday**  
 What's on...  
 11am - 1pm: Matariki Symphony brought to you by Sistema Aotearoa Orchestra.  
 \*Free lunchtime community kai  
 5.30pm - 8.30pm: Matariki by Twilight featuring music by Lisa Cave. **Cafe Open.**  
 6pm - 8pm: Free Matariki Rickshaw bike tours.

**8 Rāapa Wednesday**  
 What's on... **FREE ACTIVITIES**  
 11.00am - 12.00pm: Maori Tai Chi with Aria & Jocelyn.  
 12.15pm - 1.15pm: Papatoetoe High Kapa haka roopu.  
 5.30pm - 8.30pm: Matariki by Twilight hosted by the Ōtara Status Youth Collective featuring the **Modern Māori** quiz with prizes to be won. **Cafe Open.**

**9 Rāpare Thursday**  
 What's on... **FREE ACTIVITIES**  
 10.00am - 12pm: Poi & Feather earring workshop with Whaea Margaret & Raranga/Weaving with Whaea Puti.  
 11am - 12pm: TWY/SWYM Band (Karaoke, Hip hop Dances, Tik Tok, Samoan Dance, Poi Rākau, Kapa Haka & interactive games).  
 5.30pm - 8.30pm: Matariki by Twilight featuring live music from Rob Holloway & TeReo Lepou. **Cafe Open.**

**10 Rāmere Friday**  
 What's on... **FREE ACTIVITIES**  
 9.00am - 11am: Raranga/Weaving with Whaea Puti.  
 10.30am - 12.30pm: Gardening & Living by Maramataka Māori in an Urban Setting with Ayla Hoeta & Kelly Marie.  
 5.30pm - 8.30pm: Matariki by Twilight hosted by the Ōtara Status Youth Collective featuring **Karaoke sessions by moonlight.** **Cafe Open.**

**11 Rāhoroi Saturday**  
 What's on... **FREE ACTIVITIES**  
 9.30am - 2.00pm: Matariki Whanau Day out - Moko kauae, Kapa haka, Children's activities and more. Free treats for the tamariki and kai from the cafe.

**OTHER ACTIVITIES:** The Ōtara Matariki Star Hunt  
 Matariki Photo Booth  
 The OKV Maori & Pacific Boutique