



Monday 26th August 2024

So exciting, we have our day trips starting.

Tuesday 27th August

1. **Year 3 - 6 students are off to the movies**
2. **Pipī Manu Tahi, Rua, Toru & Whitu are off to gymnastics**



Across New Zealand Education, Outside The Classroom (EOTC) has been fully reviewed in light of some tragic deaths that have occurred to school aged students on school trips.

Kylie Taplin and I have attended the 2 day workshop to become familiar with the changes. All the documentation has also been updated and you will have noticed that the permission slips that have gone home for both the trip to the movies and the gymnastic trip are new.

Outdoor education best practices tend to change frequently and we are alerted to these and will make the changes necessary.

At Deanwell the health & safety of our people is paramount.

Well
Done!



Making these EOTC changes and completing all this new documentation has been significant work. I would like to acknowledge the many additional hours Kylie Taplin has put in to ensure that both the movie and gymnastic trips go smoothly for the safety of our tamariki.

I would also like to thank our board who value our tamariki experiencing learning outside the classroom and have budgeted to enable us to afford these trips.

How can whānau help with the new EOTC documentation?

1. By reading the information sent home,
2. Contacting the classroom teacher if you have any questions or require clarification on something,
3. Completing all sections required,
4. Signing the document giving your child/children permission to attend,
5. Returning the signed document to school by the due date.



Cancer Society
Daffodil Day

FRIDAY 30TH AUGUST

Deanwell School and wider community have a number of whānau who have been affected by the impacts of cancer.

Hence, Deanwell School will be supporting Daffodil Day.

We encourage everyone to bring a gold coin donation to donate to the Cancer Society.

COME DRESSED IN YELLOW TO SHOW YOUR SUPPORT FOR A GREAT CAUSE

**Best dressed class will win
PIZZA for lunch.**

Front School Garden

Thank you to all our tamariki, our whānau and wider community for looking after our front garden. The bulbs are popping up through the ground.

