Deanwell SCHOOL

# Tumuaki Update

Monday 2nd November, 2026

Important Date:

## Term 4

# Employee Only Day

# School Closed

# Friday 13th November

Please note that all teachers will be attending a Maths conference in Auckland on Friday 13th November and Saturday 14th November.






We are deeply grateful to our dedicated teaching team, who have all committed to attending both the Maths Masterclass and the Summit. Working a Saturday is a big ask, and their willing participation shows true dedication to our tamariki..

Our sincere thanks also goes to our Deanwell whānau for supporting Friday as an employee-only day. Our tamariki are so fortunate to be surrounded by such a supportive community and a teaching staff so generously willing to give up their weekend time.

# RUBEN THE ROAD SAFETY BEAR





On Thursday, Ohu Pīpī Manu was lucky enough to receive a special visit from Ruben the Road Safety Bear! He shared some really important messages about how we can stay safe when we are around roads. We loved learning about road safety and how we can all play our part in keeping ourselves safe!







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# Ohu Tuākana (Year 3 - 6) Athletics Day

## Thursday 5th November, 2026
## 9:00am to 2:30pm
## Back Up Day - Friday 6th November
## Deanwell Park

Kia ora e te whānau,

This week, we have our Ohu Tuākana Athletics Day on Thursday. The top placing students will be selected to represent Deanwell School at the Interschool Athletics Day on the Tuesday 24th of November at Glenview School.

This event is weather dependent, so will aim to have made a call by 8am that day. Our postponement day will be Friday 6th November.

Remember that children will need to:

- Wear clothes suitable for running, jumping and throwing.
- Wear layers to take off (a sweatshirt or a jersey).
- Have their full-brim pōtae (sunhat).
- Have a named drink bottle.

If time allows, we will have a student vs whānau/teachers relay at the end of the day. Bring your running shoes!

Morning tea and lunch play and eating will be as usual for our tamariki.

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# Ohu Pīpī Manu (Year 0 - 2)

# Athletics Fun Day

## Thursday 12th November 2026
## 9:30am to 12:45pm

Kia ora e te whānau,

We would like to invite you to come and watch your children participate in our Pīpī Manu Athletics Fun Day on **Thursday 12th November.** This is a non-placing event for tamariki to practice the skills they will need for senior athletics.

Our athletics day will depend on the weather. If conditions are too wet for us to continue, a post will be shared on hero by **8am** to postpone.

Remember that children will need to:

- Wear clothes and shoes suitable for running, jumping and throwing.
- Wear layers to take off (a sweatshirt or a jersey).
- Apply sunblock in the morning.
- Have their full-brim pōtae (sunhat).

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