

# Insoll Avenue School Panui



Thursday 31st October 2024

Week 3, Term 4

Our teachers and support staff had a wonderful teachers only day last Friday learning about the changes to our school in 2025 including the way we will be teaching maths. We hope you had a lovely extra long weekend with your children over the 4 days.

*Ngaa Mihi, Whaea Suzanne*

Have you checked out the school website lately, <https://www.insollave.school.nz/> there is always new information being added to help you navigate your families interaction with school.



We are also trialing a facebook page to keep everyone updated on school events. Like and follow the page to receive notifications



We love sharing the achievements of our students both at school and in their lives outside the school setting. Malachi and Reign Ririnui traveled to Melbourne, Australia over the long Labour weekend to compete at the Pan Pacific IBJJF Jiu-Jitsu Championship 2024. Both boys competed with confidence and have returned with stunning results across the different competition sections. Malachi returned with 3 gold medals and Reign with 3 silver medals. Malachi is now ranked No. 1 in New Zealand for his age at Jiu-Jitsu.

## Attendance - ringing or texting in your child's absence from school

Thank you to those whaanau who are making contact each morning when their children are away. When we get a clear message about your tamariki being sick, at an appointment or attending a tangi we can mark the roll accurately. Giving us the information we need changes the roll from a 'truant' mark to an explained reason. This makes a huge difference when we report our attendance to The Ministry of Education.

## New enrolments - 2025

Do you have a child turning 5 in the Christmas holidays? You can do preschool visits this year so they can start at the beginning of the new school year. 2025 preschool visits will occur in week 6 (18-22 Nov) and week 7 (25-29 Nov). If you would like to take up this opportunity, make contact with Whaea Maria.

## Quick notes and dates;

- The last day of the school year is **Wednesday 18th December**. It will be a normal school day and finish at 2:30
- Please watch out for team notices about the trips we have happening this term.

Principal: Suzanne Wright  
Phone: 855 5067 or 0800 855 506

Presiding Member (BOT): Sandra Flintoff  
Text absences to: 0272494911

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