

Splash

Merry Christmas

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Swimmer of the Month October and November

Our October Swimmer of the Month is Dominic Clarke. Dominic came to Liz van Welie Swim School in Term 3 and was very apprehensive in the water. He showed up every week wearing goggles but never quite managed to get his eyes under. Liz has really enjoyed teaching Dominic as he never refuses to have a go at tasks given to him, so much so that in the last three weeks Dominic has progressed to picking things up off the bottom of the pool, doing a starfish on his tummy with his eyes looking at the bottom and doing a starfish on his back. It's not going to be long until Dominic can start learning his big arms!



Caitlyn Williams is our proud November Swimmer of the Month. Caitlyn has attended our swim school since the start of the year and is always very excited to get in the pool for her lesson and eager to do any task given by her teacher, Sonja. She was unable to float on her back for very long but she has recently made a huge improvement and can now float on her back without standing up! Sonja says Caitlyn is an "all round superstar – a pleasure to teach, a great listener and willing to give everything a go."

Competition winners

Thank you to all those who entered our colouring in and naming the logo competition. We are excited to announce the new name of our logo - 'Kaukau' (pronounced Coco), which means 'swim' in Maori. Thank you to Chaz Stensness for giving us this name! Congratulations to all the winners of the colouring in competition: Milla Cashmore, Jake Rutherford, Ruby Spence, Caleb Hughes, Rachael Brockett and Joshua Brockett. All entries are on display on the wall of the play area.



We have just found out that the little one in Liz's tummy is a baby boy!

Important dates

Term 4 last day of lessons:

Monday: Monday 19th December
Tuesday: Tuesday 13th December
Wednesday: Wednesday 14th December
Thursday: Thursday 15th December
Friday: Friday 16th December
Saturday: Saturday 17th December

Summer Holiday Programme :

Week 1: Monday 9th Jan - Friday 13th Jan
Week 2: Monday 16th Jan- Friday 20th Jan
Week 3: Monday 23rd Jan- Friday 27th Jan

Term 2 Starts:

Tuesday January 31st
Please note Monday classes will receive a make up at the end of term for Auckland Anniversary Day which falls on January 30th.



Thank you for your support this year!
We wish you and your families a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

This was our year.....

