



LITTLE NOTES
EXTRA
LAUGHER

EVENT
BIRTHDAY #H

SEASON
NEW BEGINNING

SPECIAL
2026
BUCKET LIST

SUMMER DAYS



Our brightest days of the new year are coming.

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EDITOR'S NOTE

Watching kids play together on their own often leaves me utterly baffled. As we step into the new year, unexpected moments continue to unfold—like looking at those girls holding apples in their mouths wearing pear packaging foam around their necks.

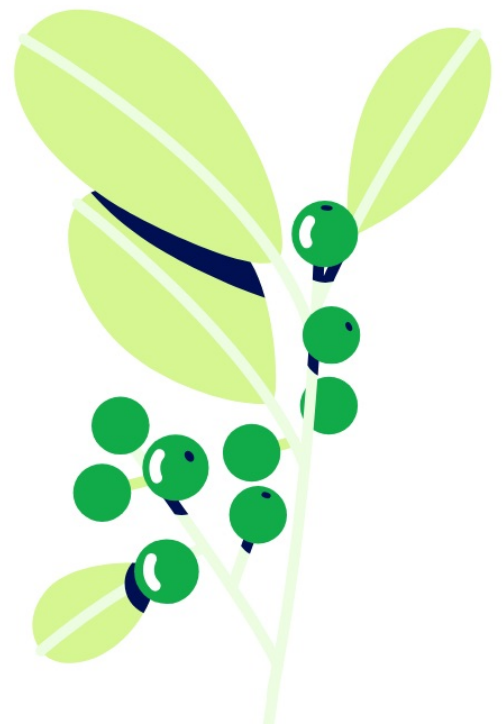
Their world is always filled with extra laughter. Quirky, unexpected, but super delightful. It gently spills over into mine, warming the heart of too worn-out grown-up.

My precious children, in their precious moments— they are growing into people who share joy spreading around.

Love to cherish these fruity moments of summer.

Delight laughters and many hugs,
YUSSI

the **MHJ**^{NZ}





2026 BUCKET LIST

Dream a little dream of

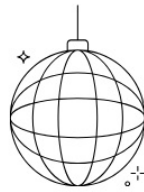
PENNY

Losing 5 kg of weight



MIN

PJ party with Bella



Flying back to Korea

HYUN

YUSSI

Graduation & a PROPER job



Birthday party with TONS of gifts

JIN





SUMMER
DAYS

ALBANY STADIUM POOL

10 MIN

I love going to Albany Stadium Pool. It only takes 10 minutes to get there from my home.

The thing that I really like about Albany Stadium Pool is the monkey bar. It's fun to fall down to the water. Also hanging there and moving back and forth is super fun, because it feels like swing.



ALBANY STADIUM POOL

Location Stadium Drive, Albany

Contact 09 484 6205

ENTRY FEES

Child (16 & under): FREE

Adult: \$8.20

Adult + sauna & spa: \$10.20

Spectator / Under 5 supervision: \$1.00

ALBANY STADIUM POOL



But there is one thing I don't like about it: that only adults can use sauna and spa pool. When it gets cold in the water, I want to go to sauna to warm myself up but it says only adults can go in.

Fortunately there is a cafe outside Albany Stadium Pool so you can have some foods before or after swimming.

FACILITIES

Pool Leisure Pool(for interactive water features and water wheelchair), Programmes Pool(for swim school and lap swimming), Adult Spa and Sauna, Toddler Pool, Splash pad, Rock Wall

Gym and Fitness

Cafe (Close at 6pm)

Albany Stadium Pool			
Casual Prices			
Swimming Pool		Centre pass	
Adult swim plan (incl. swim, sauna & spa)	\$10.20	Adult (incl. swim, gym, group fitness)	\$79.20
Adult swim	\$0.20	Concession* (incl. swim, gym, group fitness)	\$61.60
Swim pass concession* (incl. swim, sauna & spa)	\$0.10	Teen - Resasa gym only (13-16 years)	\$14.40
Swim concession*	\$4.90		
Supervising adult (adult in pool with under 5yrs)	\$4.90		
Child swim (5yrs & under)	\$1.20		
Spectator	FREE	10 visit pass	
Rock wall	\$1.00	- Adult	Fitness 10 \$122.20 Aqua 10 \$102.80 Swim+10 \$71.60
Aqua classes		- Concession*	\$104.40 \$72.80 \$44.80
Adult	\$11.20		
Concession*	\$8.10		

*Include students (17yrs+), Seniors (65yrs+), community services card holders, permanent disability and gear prescriptions.

AT RUAKĀKĀ BEACH

HYUN

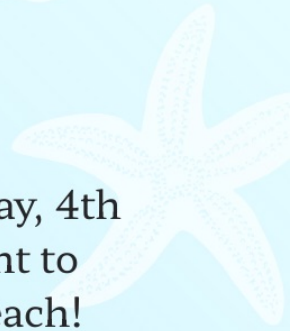


On a sunny Sunday, 4th of January, we went to Marsden Point beach! It is also known as Ruakākā Beach.

First we got up early, my mum and dad started packing things in the bag. Mum made some yummy food with our snack and dad brought a chair, his fishing rod and some more things we needed.

We went to the car and I looked at dad's phone. The beach was one hour and forty minutes far, so Yumin ate her motion sickness medication before leaving.

When we arrived at the beach, mum and dad set up a tent on the sand. Dad was ready to do fishing with Shua's dad.



AT RUAKĀKĀ BEACH



We changed our clothes into swimsuits and went inside the water.

Then we had a problem. Shua's beach ball went to very far away. Yumin and I tried to get back the ball but we couldn't. It went too far so we gave up and came out of the water.



We ate our food and played with sand toys on the beach, making a tower but (actually we didn't make a tower).



Meanwhile dad got a starfish, a fish and a hermit crab. I found some pretty seashells. Yumin threw the snack to seagulls so they gathered to Yumin.



I love this ocean and I want to play more at the beach 😊



HAPPY
BIRTHDAY
FOR H

PRECIOUS MOMENT
FOR PRECIOUS CHILD

BIRTHDAY MEMORIES

Happy events,
wonderful presents,
yummy cakes and
bright candles.
Every good thing for
H happens on her
very 10th birthday.



Sweet cheese cakes
& candles H chose:
1 and 0 makes 10



Necklace with
diy charms
Find your own
meaningful
words



Silver Star
pinata
filled with
Hichew
candies



Lifelong love for
elephant goes on!
Favorite
Dumbo keyring



3D puzzle
blocks for
little craft
lover



Homemade Icecream
cake with chocolate
syrup and strawberries



Birthday Lunch!
Her favorite
Cheese Katsu



Night time
Monopoly : best
way to wrap up
the birthday

INTERVIEW with BIRTHDAY GIRL



How does it feel to be 10?

H I'm a bit sad that I'm not a single digit anymore..

Sorry you missed a big party due to the long holiday.

H For that I felt down a little, but happy anyway that Sua's family came over and celebrated together.

What was the best part of your birthday?

H Playing Monopoly with Mom in the evening!

Any wish for the year of 10?

H I want to grow taller. Possibly 140cm? If that's too much to ask for, 135cm would be okay.

What would you like for your next birthday?

H I'll invite lots of friends and have a huge pajama party!

You've fallen in love with elephants for 10 years.

How long do you think this love will last?

H Maybe when I'm around 30(...or never).

Among all the gifts, what's your favorite one?

H My favorite gift is.. well, they're all special!



SEASON

JAN 2026



NEW
BEGINNING

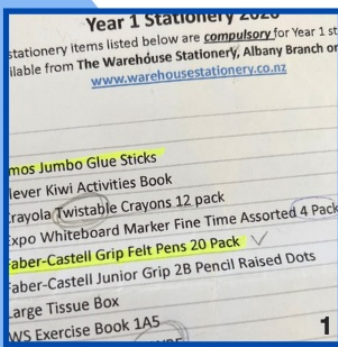
STORY **YUSSI**

SCHOOL SUPPLY PREP

New school year, new supplies. With lists from the school websites, we hit The Warehouse Stationery. Pre-made boxes exist, but shopping felt more fun—plus we had leftovers from last year.

Whiteboard markers, junior pencils, felt pens, colored pencils, and notebooks—all in exact quantities. Stationery just needs to match the type, but notebooks have strict specifications. Min needed a scientific calculator for middle school.

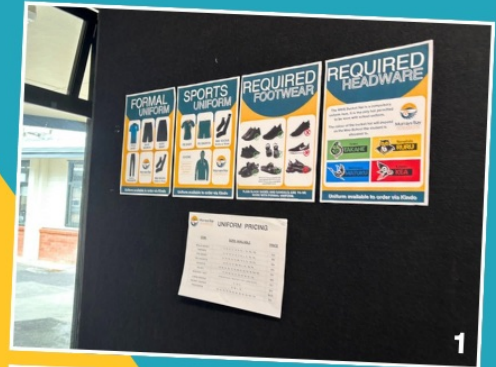
At home, everything got sorted by kid and labeled with name stickers. Pens and glue caps need labels too—nobody wants dried-out disasters. Chores, but there's something exciting about fresh supplies. Good luck on your new school year!



- 1 Long list for each child
- 2 Let's grab all things!
- 3 Back to School Sale ON
- 4 Find, Get, Check
- 5 Big pile of stationery
- 6 Naming everything
- 7 One step for next year

UNIFORM FITTING DAY

Min got her new middle school uniform. The vibrant teal and bright yellow really pop. We kitted her out with everything—polo shirts, skirt, hoodie, PE gear, and socks. Here's to her Year 7 journey in her crisp new uniform—wishing her all our love and support.



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- 1 Scheduled uniform fitting
- 2 Used uniforms for sale
- 3 Fresh uniform, fresh start
- 4 Adorable ribbon knot

INTERMEDIATE

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Intermediate Uniforms

DESCRIPTION	UNIT PRICE	QTY	TOTAL
POLO SHIRT	42	2	\$84
HOODIE	99	1	\$99
PE SHIRT	49	1	\$49
PE SHORTS	40	1	\$40
SKIRT	68	2	\$136
BUCKET HAT	17	1	\$17
LONG SOCKS	13	2	\$26
SHORT SOCKS	9.50	4	\$34
TOTAL			\$485

thank you



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