

# DECEMBER 2023 REAP Marlborough ECE/Schools Newsletter



## UKULELES

We have two sets of 12 ukuleles available for schools to borrow. Please contact Selena for 2024 bookings.

## PROVISIONALLY CERTIFICATED TEACHERS AND MENTOR TEACHERS

We have been fortunate to have the skills and knowledge of Kate Harsent from University of Otago in our region throughout 2023 supporting our PCT's and mentors. Awesome to have our ECE kaiako involved this year too. If you have PCTs on your team for 2024, please let us know so we can get the information to them.

## CLUED UP KIDS

Great to be involved with the incredible safety programme. It's fantastic to see so many community organizations and people coming together to make a difference for our year 5/6 students. So good to be able to take the programme to Kaikōura students this year too.



## SLACKERS NINJALINE

The Slackers Ninjaline programme is going from strength to strength following our pilot at Redwoodtown School. Andy (our facilitator) has now delivered the programme with 4 new entrant classes at 4 schools across our region.

Here's what kaiako have had to say: How did this program make a positive difference? "The children looked forward to the program each week. They were talking with each other about using courage, being brave and taking turns. I noticed a difference in gross motor skills and for one child in particular his ability to move up and down the steps and sit comfortably at the table during learning time."

If you would like this programme for your junior class next year contact Andy - [andrea@reapmarlborough.co.nz](mailto:andrea@reapmarlborough.co.nz)



## PLAYGROUPS

We would love to connect with you and korero about how REAP Marlborough could partner with you and your community.

Contact Andy - [andrea@reapmarlborough.co.nz](mailto:andrea@reapmarlborough.co.nz)



## CONNECT WITH US - PRIVATE FACEBOOK GROUP

Join our private Facebook group for ECE and Primary teachers to find out about upcoming events and training, receive updates from REAP Marlborough advisors, and network with other kaiako.



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