



GENERAL INFORMATION – NYLD 26 AUCKLAND

LIFE Venue
25 Normanby Road, Mount Eden
Thursday 14 May 2026, 9:30am – 2:15pm

Here's some general information on the upcoming NYLD event. If you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact our office at schools@nyldnz.org

When you arrive:

- The venue is at 25 Normanby Road. If you are in a bus, you will be able to drive into the carpark and drop off, but your bus will not be able to stay in the carpark for the duration of the event. If your bus cannot enter the carpark, don't wait on the road as this can block traffic.
- There are approx. 100 parks available for free at the venue which will be allocated on first come first served basis. There is paid street parking, or at one of the local carpark buildings. You can also find and pre-reserve parks by using the Parkable app – there are a number of locations available around the venue. <https://maps.parkable.com/>
- Buses may return to site from 2pm, please follow the directions of the venue parking staff as to where to park/wait for your students.

Wristbands

All wristbands will be collected from the Help Desk when you arrive. They will be all preprepared and ready to collect under your school name. If you have purchased pins these will be ready with your school wristbands.

PROGRAMME

9:00am – Doors open
9:15am – Pre show with Dance Curriculum
9:30am – Event Starts
9:45am – Speaker 1
10:15am – Speaker 2
Morning Tea
11:30am – Speaker 3
12:10pm – Speaker 4
Lunch
1:30pm – Speaker 5
2:15pm – Event Ends – **please do not leave midway through this last speaker as it is very disruptive to other students and our speaker. We will be finished at, or slightly before 2:15pm.**

THEME

Leaning into Fear

Tūwhitia te hopo, mairangatia te angitū

Everyone feels scared sometimes, even the people you look up to. Even the people on stage. Even the ones who look confident and brave.

Every leader you'll hear from at NYLD as faced and overcome some kind of fear:

- Fear of getting it wrong
- Fear of standing out
- Fear of failing
- Fear of being judged

It's about leaning in. Giving it a go. And being brave.

SPEAKERS

We have a great line up of speakers for the day: www.nyldnz.org

FOOD

- There are no food options at the venue so please bring morning tea and lunch with you. Teachers/Parents there are lots of coffee options near the venue (one right next door) for that all important morning coffee!

SEATING

- Seating is by general admission. We ask you enter the venue as one school group.
- If you have a student in a wheelchair please let us know ahead of time so we can work out the best place to put your school group.
- Please ensure you leave no gaps when seating your group and be aware your group may be across more than one row.

OTHER INFORMATION

- NYLD Pins will be for sale at the help desk. They are \$5.00 each (cash and eftpos will be accepted). We also have NYLD caps & bucket hats for \$15 and a couple of our speakers will have some merchandise available.
- Teachers, there will be no PD session at this event.
- Students will be provided with an event notebook but we ask you **bring your own pen.**

We have space if you wish to bring additional students or adults along with you. You can prebook these tickets by emailing us, or you can pay for any additional tickets on the day.

We look forward to seeing you on the day!