

NEWSLETTER NO. 13 - 11th August 2021

Nau mai haere mai, Greetings | Tena Koutou | Konnichiwa | Groete | Namaste | Talofa Lava | Malo e Lelei | Ni sa bula | Fakalofa lahi atu | Kia Orana | Asalam Alykum | Ni Hao |

We have had a great start to the term with our tamariki excited to be back and getting into the swing of learning again.

Red Nose Day

The Red Nose Appeal is Cure Kids biggest fundraising campaign where incredible kiwis across Aotearoa come together to help fund big research for little lives.

WE RAISED \$102! Thank you team Whakamārama 😊



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Garden to Table

WOW Room 4! What a great start to Garden to Table. Keen, interested learners whether in the kīhini (kitchen) or out in the mahinga kai (garden).



Sophie gathering green waste for the compost



Ryan and Mason gathering brown waste.



Lauren & Isabelle: coffee grinds for the blueberries



Eli: Soil for the raspberry garden - YUM!

HUGE THANKS to our volunteers Amber, Frank, Rupali, Alison, Margaret & Mesha for making this happen
😊🌸 Tēnā rawa atu koutou.

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GARDEN TO TABLE SUPPORT

Citrus is in great demand at the moment but with the support of Grant from Copperfields Nursery, we now have some yummy fruit trees ready to plant out in next week's session. The sweet kind the kids LOVE!

Tēnā rawa atu koe Grant; Thank you 😊

Growers Direct is a hidden gem in Te Puna. Thanks to the support offered from Debbie and Paul, next week's session will involve planting out two lime trees and a lemon tree. Today we planted peas and two varieties of spring onions. Thanks Debbie and Paul 🌸



Show Day

Show Day has been calendared for **Saturday 30th October**. Show Day is an annual event that the school always looks forward to.

Now is the time to be sourcing orphaned lambs to start raising if your child is keen to participate in the lamb and kid judging events. In preparation for the event, guidance on hand rearing lambs and kids (no calves) can be collected from the office. Thank you Fiona for your support and guidance with this information for families. If you are new to the school, and want to find out a little more, please do not hesitate in asking staff or other parents that are familiar with this community event.



Show Day Bucket Raffles

After the huge success of the introduction of bucket raffles to 'Show Day' in 2019, we will once again be including this into our event programme for 2021.

To support this fundraiser we ask that each family donate a bucket of goods (bucket provided). Choose a theme and use the upcoming time to gather up items (new) for your bucket. e.g. a movie bucket, cleaners bucket, gardeners bucket, kids bucket etc Let those creative juices flow! Watch out for those specials while out and about.



We are aiming for the attraction on the day to include at least 40 separate bucket raffles, where every \$5 ticket entitles the buyer to be in all draws.

Science RoadShow

The Science Roadshow offers school children, their teachers and accompanying parents an opportunity to explore various science and technology concepts by 'touch and feel'. It provides a unique, informal opportunity that:

- excites and enthuses visitors;
- nurtures curiosity and discovery;
- improves motivation and attitude;
- adds to teacher knowledge;
- supports numeracy and literacy;



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- encourages social interaction and cooperative learning;
- provides memorable real life contextual elements and exemplars

This years exhibit themes are electricity, fair tests, flight lab, human performance, light and magnetism

This fantastic learning opportunity takes place on Friday 20th August at Pillans Point School. Our learners will be travelling to Pillans Point School by bus.

Police Vetting

The Board of Trustees is required to ensure that a safe environment is provided by meeting the requirements of the Vulnerable Children Act (2014), the Education Standards Act (2001) and police vetting. Volunteers (including parents) who have unsupervised access to students require a police vet. Camp helpers fall into this category.

IF YOU ARE CONSIDERING EXPRESSING INTEREST IN ATTENDING SCHOOL CAMP WHEN THE TIME COMES, IT IS VITAL THAT YOU COMPLETE A VETTING CONSENT FORM AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AND BRING IN TWO FORMS OF IDENTITY THAT CAN BE SIGHTED BY THE PRINCIPAL.

Congratulations to the following students who received certificates at assembly
We are proud of the way you are living and learning with our school values and virtues

ROOM 3 RECOGNITION CERTIFICATES		
Week 1 30th July	Sophie	Fabulous effort in all her learning! Yay! Great maths! Ka Rawe :)
	Courtney	Fabulous listening in Room 3! Super thinking at maths time :) Ka Rawe!
	Sam	A fabulous thinker! Great work Sam ;) Super reading, writing ...and marvellous maths. Ka Rawe! You are awesome!
	Eva	Fabulous progress in all areas of our learning! Yay :) What an amazing reader - Eva loves books and stories. Ka Rawe!
	Zac	What an amazing thinker. Great focus at reading time :) Ka Rawe!
ROOM 2 RECOGNITION CERTIFICATES		
Week 1 30th July	Kingston	For demonstrating respect for others by being friendly, kind and inclusive.
	Tristan	You have shown that you can manage yourself well by settling to work quickly and quietly.
	Otis	Your confidence in reading has grown - you are keen to show that you can work out tricky words by looking closely at the sounds.
ROOM 4 RECOGNITION CERTIFICATES		
Week 1 30th July	Sophie	For showing respect and consideration for others in all that you say and do. You are a fine role model for others, Sophie!
	Cullan	For demonstrating the Value of Respect by listening to others, speaking politely and behaving with maturity. You set a fine example for others to follow, Cullan!
	Evan	For using your initiative when choosing your working space to ensure you remain focused and complete your best work.
ROOM 1 RECOGNITION CERTIFICATES		
Week 1 30th July	Mika	For Listening with Understanding and Empathy - 'Successful people listen with their ears, minds and feelings' A role model to those around you. Thank you!
	Lily	Valuing Respect - Aroha. Consistently considerate and caring towards others. A role model to those around her. Thank you
	Nadia	Positive learning attitude towards math. Super focus on your learning in this curriculum area.

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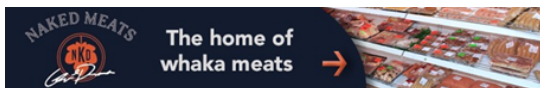
SCHOOL NOTICEBOARD

Please keep yourself up-to-date with the school newsboard that comes out fortnightly in the newsletter or the calendar on the homepage of the school website

Thursday 12th August	Y7 & 8 Technology - Remember your school shirt and closed in shoes
Friday 13th August	School Assembly @ 2:15 pm JOIN US! 😊
Thursday 19th August	Y7 & 8 Technology - Remember your school shirt and closed in shoes
Friday 20th August	Science RoadShow *P
Tuesday 24th August	Choir Rehearsal and Festival *P
Thursday 26th August	Y7 & 8 Technology - Remember your school shirt and closed in shoes
Friday 27th August	School Assembly @ 2:15 pm JOIN US! 😊
Thursday 2nd September	Year 5 & 6 Class Speeches (Time TBC)
Friday 3rd September	Year 7 & 8 Class Speeches (Time TBC)
Wednesday 8th September	Wig Wednesday
Friday 10th September	School Assembly @ 2:15 pm JOIN US! 😊
Tuesday 14th September	Board Meeting
Wednesday 15th September	Tall Poppies Speech Competition (finalists from school speeches)
Wednesday 22nd September	Tall Poppies Problem Solving (three Year 7 / 8 students) *P
Friday 24th September	School Assembly @ 2:15 pm JOIN US! 😊
Wednesday 29th September	Winter Sports Day *P
Thursday 30th September	Last day of Term 3
Friday 1st October	TEACHER ONLY DAY
Monday 18th October	Term 4 starts

*P Parent support required

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