# **MAUNGATAPERE SCHOOL**

Ka whawhai tonu, ake, ake, ake!

Term 3 17 September 2020

Kia ora Parents and Whanau

We are almost in the final week of term 3 – it has certainly gone quickly!

The last week has been very busy with Te Wiki o Te Reo Maori/Maori Language week activities and our Hangi and concert today. There has also been the school Book Fair and photos. We have appreciated everyone's assistance and contribution to the week and hope you all enjoyed the hangi kai and books purchased! Next week will be a little quieter, but hopefully the interschool cross country will take place on Wednesday if we are back in level 1. There will also be the Y5-8 Dance day and Disco on Wednesday night – further information is below. As yet we have not heard any results from our Y7/8 science fair entries but understand these will be sent out later this week.

Welcome to Amelia Kelly and her family who has started over the last fortnight.

#### MAORI LANGUAGE WEEK/SCHOOL HANGI

All classes have been involved in a variety of activities to promote Maori Language this week. We had a great team of parents helping prepare the vegetables on Wednesday with students learning new skills peeling potatoes and kumara. Thank you to those parents and whanau that came in early this morning to prepare the hangi packs and get them in the cookers.

A special thanks to the Neumann whanau for the cooking, Barbara Burt for making all the stuffing and the Caie whanau for organising transportation of the cookers. While we were not able to have our community on site to share the event we did live stream our Kapa Haka group, Junior school waiata and Elly Neumann Y8 and Paige Karl Y7 sharing their winning speeches. Our students enjoyed their hangi at school and many whanau collected them from the school gate. Our senior students appreciate the support of everyone to make the hangi and fundraiser a success. It all helps reduce the cost of EOTC events in the future.

We hope everyone enjoyed the live stream.

# **BOOK FAIR**

The school Scholastic Book Fair this week was well supported by our community, thank you. There has been a steady number of families and students purchasing books with over \$4000 spent. Our school gets 35% of this to purchase books for the school library. Thank you to Mrs Leanne Kemp, our librarian, for all her work to make the book fair so successful. Well done to the following students who received \$10 book vouchers and posters for their original/inventive jungle themed dress up costumes:

Y0-2 - Connor Boylan and Sam Seeley

Y3-5 - Declan Halford and Louise Ferreira

Y6-8 - David Azar and Kate Batty



And Brad Jensen our Teacher winner!

# **SCHOOL PHOTOS**

Class and family photos were completed yesterday morning. After the holidays you will receive a personalised order envelope, orders can then be placed either online or by returning the envelope.

# **SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY**

Being positive, we will be at Level 1 next week and the interschool cross country will go ahead on Wednesday 23 September. We have about 40 students participating from Y4 to Y8. It has been a while since our school event but we hope everyone will just get out and have fun. The event is at Barge Park with races starting at 10am with - 8 years and under through to 12.50pm for the 12+ year old boys.

Students will need food and drink for the day plus warm clothing. Information is on the letter that the students have taken home.

# **MANGAKAHIA LIONS SPEECH CONTEST**

This is being held at Mangakahia Complex, hosted by Poroti School at 7.30pm tonight. We have three Y8 students participating — Elly Neumann, Lily-Anna Duffy and Pippi Woolston. We know they will do themselves and our school proud with their efforts.

# **TERM 4 STAFFING CHANGES**

Next term Mrs Sherilyn Bennett has received a 10-week sabbatical to look at Learning Through Discovery and play based learning. This will allow her to undertake some research, visit schools and also have some refreshment and reflection time. Only 100 sabbaticals a year are available for all NZ primary teachers so this is a well-deserved opportunity. Mrs Sarah Cullen will be teaching in R10 four days per week and Ms Jewel Matheson will teach one day per week (generally Friday). R10 know both these teachers as they have been in R10 at times during the year and are also familiar in our school. There will be a comprehensive hand over that will ensure the students' learning continues with minimal disruption.

Mrs Kim Neumann is returning to full time teaching of R6 next term, so Sarah Cullen will no longer be working in R6. We would like to acknowledge the wonderful job she has done teaching in R6 over the last year and appreciate the work she does in our school.

# Y3/4 KIWI NORTH MUSEUM VISITS

Last week R1, 2 and 3 visited the museum at Maunu to learn about small animals and insects. They visited the Kiwi House, saw Tuatara, insects and spiders and made bug hotels.

Each class had a great authentic learning experience and a wonderful group of parent helpers to provide transport and supervision. Everyone did lots of learning!

#### **2021 OUT OF ZONE ENROLMENTS**

Applications for new entrant out of zone enrolments are open until Wednesday 14 October. Please remember if you are out of zone and have a sibling starting you do need to apply, even if you have a child at school currently.

#### **AG DAY**

We hope all those animals and gardens are growing well. Remember to take photos as they grow so you will have them for your photo-board that will be on display at school. The beginning of next term will include a range of activities leading up to the day and the term break is a great time to work on those garden art and pot creations.

### **MAUNGATAPERE SCHOOL NETBALL**

Thank you to all the parents and families that supported their students to play netball this year – despite the lack of games. A special thanks to Hayley Taylor and those coaches that have been organising Saturday games for the junior teams against other schools. This weekend is the last games for everyone, with the juniors playing each other here and the Intermediates having fun games at Kensington Park. We will not be having a netball prize giving as we usually do at the end of the season but congratulations to our two intermediate teams - Pumas won Section 5 and Hotshots came runner up in Section 2.

Well done to players and coaches who have given their time and support to teams this year.

We would like all netball uniforms washed and returned by the end of the term thank you.

#### **REMINDERS**

**Lost Property** - there is plenty of gear in our lost property. We will try to put it out in front of R1/2 next Wednesday and Thursday so please come in and have a look.

**School Lunches** - Available every Thursday, lunches are being provided by Tee Café. Go to www.lunchonline.co.nz to see the menu and place an order.

**Y5-8 Dance & Disco** - Next Wednesday 23 September a dance teacher Mr David Gall will teach our senior classes during the day then take a disco in the evening 6.30-7.30pm. Students can be dropped off and collected at these times.

**Pizza Day** - Friday 25 September – end of term pizza Day. Order forms will go home next week.

**General Election dates** - The school hall is open for voting/registraton on 10/11 Oct 9-4pm and 17 Oct 8.30-7pm

#### **SCHOOL AWARDS**

Congratulations to the following pupils:

**BOT Account Details - 12 3099 0836089 00** 

**Ally McIvor R6** - For her fantastic attitude towards learning and giving her best.

**Evie Wright R10** - For her great attitude towards her learning and becoming a good role model.

**Elijah Hovell R1 -** Great attitude during gymnastics. He is really working hard to follow direction and control his body.

**Declan Halford R1 -** For really engaging in all aspects of his day - a pleasure to work with.

**Cleo Fox-Jerry R9** - Outstanding effort towards all areas of her learning.

**Tamsyn Booth R4 -** For working really hard to write complex sentences. Great work.

#### **SCHOOL VALUES**



The final school value is Mana/Pride. This is about being proud of who you are, knowing your whakapapa and family history. It is about being proud of the work you do and the choices you make - because they reflect respect and responsibility for others, our place and environment. Knowing you have done your best, developing resilience to try again and learn even if things are hard, means you can stand tall and strong like the Nikau palm that stands at our school entrance. It also includes being humble, in that you do not consider yourself to be better than others, and are able to recognise the strengths we all have can work better if we work as a team and cooperate.

# **TERM CALENDAR**

Wed 23 Sep - Y5-8 Disco

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Fri 25 Sep - Last day of Term 3

#### **TERM 4 DATES:**

Mon 12 Oct - Term 4 start

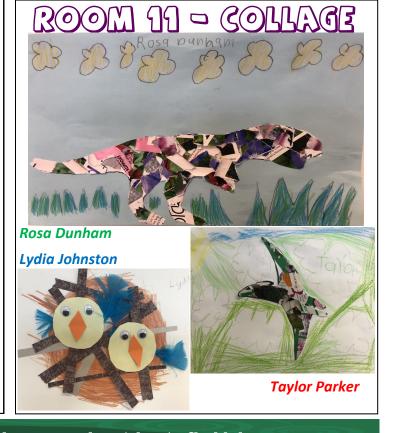
Sat 31 Oct - Agriculture Day

Thur 5 Nov - Central Day

Mon 9 Nov - Teacher Only Day

Sat 14 Nov - Maunga Mayhem

2021 Start Date - Term 1 2021 will start Tue 9 Feb





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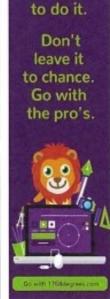
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