



Kia ora Parents and Whanau

It has been good to see a bit of sunshine this week – it has certainly helped with our production practices!

We would like to congratulate Mr Yaron Overeem – Yaron has been DP at our school for almost 9 years and has been appointed as principal of Kokopu School from the beginning of 2020. Well done Yaron.

Last week was Maori Language week and our teachers and students have been positively using Te Reo throughout. Several of our staff have been involved in Te Reo language sessions taken by Joanne Watts on Wednesday afternoon, to increase their language skills. This has supported our regular weekly Te Reo sessions with Matua Shane each week.

This will be our last newsletter for this term, so we hope everyone has an enjoyable term break and those Ag Day animals and gardens are growing well.

Y7/8 SPEECHES

Our Y7/8 students have been writing and presenting their speeches during the last few weeks. This is always a challenge for the majority of students, as they write an argument about their selected topic. Each year the Mangakahia Lions Club run a Y8 speech contest amongst the schools in the local area. Our students use the selected topics to base their speeches on and then present them at school. 4 students from each year were selected to present their speeches in our school final and then the 2 top year 8 students present their speeches at the Mangakahia Lions competition.

This year it will be at the Mangakahia Complex. Year 8 Pupils from Kokopu, Poroti, Tangiteroria, Mangakahia Area School and Pakotai present their speeches.

The standard of writing and presenting this year was very high, so well done to all Year 7 & 8 students for their efforts.

Congratulations to our speech winners for this year:

Year 7: 1st Isak Thompson 2nd Casey Worsfold 3rd Sage Wickline

Year 8: 1st Dillon Worsfold 2nd Ava Iraia 3rd = Keira Ripley and Bella Tissink

Dillon Worsfold and Ava Iraia will be representing our school at this years Lions Speech contest tonight at 7.30pm.

TERM 4 CURRICULUM ASSESSMENT TEACHER ONLY DAY

The Board of Trustees has approved the school being closed on Monday 11 November. This is so teachers can complete curriculum assessment and reporting. 8 teacher only days were given as part of the teacher agreement to address workload over the next 3 years. We wanted to give you plenty of notice so you are able to make arrangements as needed.

NORTHLAND INTERSCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY

Well done to those students who ran in the Northland Cross country yesterday, they can be very proud of their efforts: We had a team of 8 representing the school with some excellent results – Josh McRae 2nd 11 yr boys, Joe Taylor 9th 8 yr boys. Trent Barrell, Tokoaitua Owen, Jessica Kalkhovan, Ellie McRae and Francesca Provan all ran well also.

PTA MOVIE NIGHT

Reminder this is tomorrow night starting at 6pm.

SCHOOL PRODUCTION 'THE GREATEST SHOW ON EARTH'

The production will be held at Forum North in the big hall, not the theatre, on Tuesday 22 & Wednesday 23 October. On Tuesday there will be a matinee/dress rehearsal at 12.30pm and evening shows on both Tuesday and Wednesday at 7pm – we do require all students to be there on both nights, as they are all involved. Unfortunately, we are not able to cater for everyone wanting to attend in one night as there is limited seating. You will need to buy tickets for the night you are wanting to attend. It may be worthwhile car-pooling with someone or dropping your children off and going into town for an hour to fill the time on the alternate night. There will be no entry without a ticket. People are also able to attend the dress rehearsal on Tuesday 12.30pm. More information will be sent home at the beginning of next term regarding times to be there and what students will need to wear.

Tickets are \$10 per seat and are available from the school office. These can be bought online, but please state what evening you want. Tickets will be sent home once payment has been received. Children 2yrs and under do not require a ticket provided they sit on your lap.

Y7/8 FUNDRAISING

A very big thank you to all those families who helped raise funds selling the reusable produce bags for the Y7/8 camp.

Prizes for those that sold the most went to:

1st Anya Miller, 2nd Elly Neumann, and 3rd Casey and Dillon Worsfold.

There were also lots of spot prizes given out at assembly on Wednesday to those who were involved.

MORE FM VISIT TO R12

Next Wednesday 25 September, More FM and Eric Rush from Regent New World will be visiting R12 and presenting every child with a lunchbox and lunch and spending an hour with them – from 9.15-10.15am. They share these visits on the radio also the next day. There will be some information coming home to the class around what they need for lunch etc before the event.

AGRICULTURE DAY

Please remember to return Central Day and Maungatapere School Ag Day trophies ASAP. Keep working on those great projects and animal preparation for the day also.

SCHOOL COUNCIL EVENTS

Thank you to those that supported the Pink Ribbon pyjama day last Tuesday. \$227.50 was raised for breast cancer.

SCHOOL AWARDS

Congratulations to the following pupils:

Spencer Foot R3 - For making good progress with his reading and writing. Ka Pai

Heidi Bayerke R11 - For having a positive, happy attitude towards her learning.

Daisy-Lee Duffy R9 - For being such a kind, hard working young lady.

Clara Fagan R8 - For stepping up with her learning.

Declan McConachie R4 - For taking extra care and being responsible for the school garden.

Charlie Sparks R5 - For being a role model for others. Making responsible decisions and working hard to achieve his goals.

REMINDERS

2020 - If you are not returning next year can you please inform the office, also Y6 if you have not returned your form for Y7 & 8 can you please do so.

Term 4 Hats - During T4 students will need to have a NAMED sunhat at school every day. These are worn at playtime, lunchtime and sports times. Classes will be involved in athletics, leading up to our athletic sports, as well as other sports events and production practices in week 1. Sunhats are part of the school's sun safe policy.

Bible in Schools Programme - This will finish next week at the end of Term 3. Students will continue with their normal classroom programme from the beginning of Term 4. We would like to acknowledge the time and effort the volunteers who have taught the Bible in Schools programme, have given during the last 2 terms (many from our school community).

Maunga Mayhem 2020 - This will be held on Saturday 21 March, so put it in your diary now. This is the major PTA fundraiser for the year so please get involved.

CONGRATULATIONS

- Josh McRae (captain) and Kody George (vice captain) of the Whangarei Rugby Reps under 12 team.
- Dillon Worsfold, achieved 93% with Distinction in his Grade 2 Rock & Pop Drums exam.

TERM CALENDAR

Fri 20 Sept	- PTA Movie Night
Wed 25 Sept	- Whg Netball prize giving
Fri 27 Sept	- End of Term 3
Mon 14 Oct	- Start of Term 4
Tue/Wed 22/23 Oct	- Production, 7pm Forum North
Sat 2 Nov	- Ag Day
Mon 4 Nov	- PTA Meeting

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Mangakahia Rugby Club - 10 weeks of Touch Rugby. Social, family friendly environment. No experience needed. Team reg now open until 1st Oct. For Info and reg see the Mangakahia Rugby facebook, Hayley Taylor 021 2621674, or Email: Mangakahia.touchrugby@gmail. Starts Thur 17 Oct @ 4:30pm

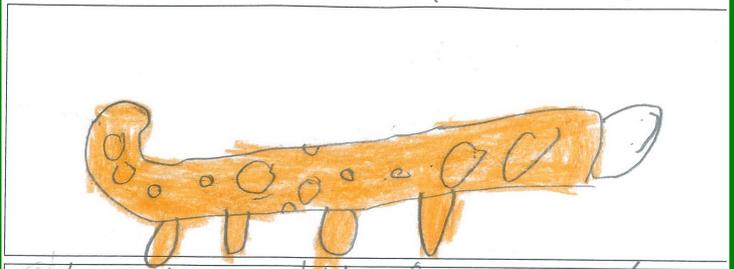
Room 10 Published Story

I am learning to publish my work. Name Emily Morgan Term 3



Schnitzel von Krumm has a very low tum and is very small. He's a reddish brown colour. He's got floppy ears with a pointy tail and a green collar. He has sharp claws and smooth fur.

I am learning to publish my work. Name Aiden Cliffe Term 3



Bob from family. Pats all colored in black spots. He is black and white. He is so adorable colored in dots.

School Holiday Programme

Maunu Educare is running a school holiday programme - see school office for registration forms and info.

Scout Group Fundraiser - Wave Rave at Whg Aquatic Centre, see Dylan Blackburn or Case & Dillon Worsfold for info and tickets.

Frazzled Kiwi Adventure Race

The Frazzled Kiwi is an adventure race for families, students and beginners and is brand new to Whangarei. Take your map and clue sheet make your way around the course collecting points and completing mystery activities. Get your teams of up to 5 people and make a day of it. Enter as a Family Team, Student Team or Social Adult Team. For more information or to enter online go to www.soakedinadventure.co.nz or contact Fiona on 0276267910.



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