

# Newsletter

20 September 2021

Number 26/21

**Kia Ora Koutou  
Greetings**



## Whakaute Respect



### Staffing

On Thursday last, our staff farewelled Shannon (Room 12). Shannon and her partner Nikhil are expecting their baby and we wish them both the very best. Mrs Aimee Morrison-Cowley and Mrs Steph Mangin are job sharing in Room 12 for the remainder of the school year. Both teachers are well known to all the children and many of our families.

### Term 3

#### Upcoming Events

- Fri 24 Sept**
- Ear Clinic at Morrinsville School by appointment only
- Weds 29 Sept**
- BOT Meeting 5:30pm
- Fri 1 Oct**
- Term 3 ends
- Mon 18 Oct**
- Term 4 commences

### Occupational Therapy Students

We would like to give a warm welcome to Tess Nemorin and Raksha Chand who are Occupational Therapy Students in Room 11 and Room 12 until 12 November.

## Morrinsville Athletics Club

2021/2022 Season Register online at  
[www.sporty.co.nz/morrinsvilleaa](http://www.sporty.co.nz/morrinsvilleaa)

First Club night

Tuesday Oct 26, 5.45pm, Morrinsville  
College grounds

Ages 2-14

Enquiries: [morrinsvilleaac@gmail.com](mailto:morrinsvilleaac@gmail.com)

## School Photos

Photolife apologises for the delay but photo orders cannot be sent until Auckland reaches Alert Level 3.



• Need a helping hand?

• Do you know anyone who needs food support?

• Want to talk to someone about money?

**Morrinsville Ezekiel Trust  
Budgeting and Food Bank**

**Call or Text 02108277890 or 078897451  
or find us on Facebook**

**We are here for you. No Judgement. No hoops to go through. Just help.**

## Room 5 Wood Tech at Morrinsville College



**LUNCH  
BY  
LIBELLE**

Term 3, 2021

**PURIRI WEEK**

**20/09-24/09**

### MONDAY

#### Mac & Cheese

White & wholemeal pasta, Libelle cauliflower cheese sauce, white beans & mixed veggies.

**Dietary Alternatives:**  
GF: GF pasta  
DF, VE: Pumpkin ravioli (contains cashew) with tomato pasta sauce, vegan cheese

**Snack: Seasonal Fruit**

**Snack Dietary Alternatives:**  
None

### TUESDAY

#### Pork Taco

Wholemeal wrap, pulled pork, cheese, salad with corn, BBQ mayo.

**Dietary Alternatives:**  
V, VE: Mexican beans  
GF: GF wrap  
DF, VE: Vegan cheese  
H, NP: Roast chicken

**Snack:**  
Fruity Yoghurt \*Pikelet

**Snack Dietary Alternatives:**  
DF, VE: Fruit salad or mixed nuts  
\*GF, DF, EF, VE: Blissbites

### WEDNESDAY

#### Beef & Bean Nachos

Mexican beans with beef, corn, kumara & capsicum on corn chips topped with cheese, served hot.

**Dietary Alternatives:**  
NB, H: Shredded chicken  
V, VE: Mushroom chickpea magic mince  
DF, VE: Vegan cheese

**Snack: Cookie**

**Snack Dietary Alternatives:**  
GF, DF, EF, VE: Blissbites

### THURSDAY

#### Ham & Cheese Filled Roll

Long roll, ham, cheese, mayo, lettuce.

**Dietary Alternatives:**  
GF: GF roll  
V: Egg mayo filled roll  
VE: Vegan cheese salad & chickpea corn patty roll  
EF, VE: Vegan mayo

**Snack: Carrot & celery munch n' crunch sticks with dip** \*Seasonal fruit

**Snack Dietary Alternatives:**  
None

### FRIDAY

#### Butter Chicken & Rice

A classic favourite.

**Dietary Alternatives:**  
V, VE: Butter chickpeas & rice

**Snack: Seasonal Fruit**

**Snack Dietary Alternatives:**  
None



Key: (V) Vegetarian, (GF) Gluten Free, (DF) Dairy Free, (EF) Egg Free, (H) Halal, (NB) No Beef, (NP) No Pork. \*Senior students additional item.

Meals will be prepared to cater for children with specific allergies or cultural requirements. If you need these options please make the school aware two weeks in advance. Meals are prepared in a non-allergen controlled environment. If you have low tolerance towards certain allergens please notify the school immediately. Items may vary subject to supply.

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## Fabulous Flowers

Spring slowly awakens from her graceful beauty sleep, while she still has some youth left.

She wanders around the field gazing at the baby animals being born. Flowers blooming every second step she takes, she frolics over to the hibernating animals and whispers in their ears.

“Time to wake up - my children, it’s your turn to shine”.

Her flowy dress is a pastel pink and yellow.

Covered in flowers, all of them gorgeous.

She plays her flute, a calm relaxing tune.

She attracts all the bees and monarch butterflies with her warm appearance.

They surround her, after all she is Spring.

By Kanneka



# SPRING HAS FINALLY ARRIVED

Spring slowly awakens from her long slumber,  
Gracefully cherishing every young animal in her arms.

Spring carefully tiptoes around the meadow,  
Gazing at the horizon while the flowers bloom to their best ability.

She finally has blown away winter -for it's her turn to shine.  
Keeping the temperature reasonable, she extends the string on  
her bright yellow balloon allowing the sun to gaze down for longer.

BY MADISON SYMON

*Room 3 has been focusing on using vivid verbs, adverbs and personification in their writing. Check out their Spring writing - can you spot their human features?*

## Spring is back!

By Meisha Coetzer

Spring finally awakens with a huge yawn,  
While observing the frost slowly melting away.  
A while after awakening she goes to visit and calls forth her pet  
Ducklings, Lambs and bunnies.

Everywhere she steps flowers start to beautifully bloom.  
While Springs feet dance around, every bud will bloom.  
When she lets her hair down the sun starts to brightly and gorgeously  
Shine. Spring brings back the birds and bees, telling them it's warm  
Again. She's Only here for 3 months then her 9 month slumber  
returns...

