

# Newsletter

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Kia Ora Koutou  
Greetings



## Kawanga Responsibility

Children learn to make informed and responsible choices as they go about their work and learning while at school.

Children who nurture and care for others are developing the virtue of Responsibility. It involves looking after the well being of others, children in their classroom and in the playground.

Responsibility : Kawanga is about caring for others and their well being.



### Term 3 Upcoming Events

- Fri 26 August
- Daffodil Day
- Gym Festival
- Weds 31 August
- BOT Meeting 5:30pm
- Mon 19 Sept- Thurs 22 Sept
- Y6/7/8 Snow Camp
- Tues 27 Sept
- Soccer Hockey Funday
- Weds 28 Sept
- BOT Meeting 5:30pm
- Fri 30 Sept
- Last day Term 3

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MONDAY

**Beef Stew & Mash**

Beef pieces with mashed potato, mixed veggies and gravy.

**Dietary Alternatives:**

V, VE: Mushroom and grain super sausage. H, NB: Chicken. DF, VE: DF mashed potato. H, NB, DF, VE: Vegan gravy.

**Snack: Chickpeas**

**Snack Dietary Alternatives:** None.

TUESDAY

**Pizza**

Wholemeal pizza base with pizza sauce, ham & cheese, served with carrot batons & corn chips.

**Dietary Alternatives:**

V, DF, VE: Falafel. GF: GF pizza base. DF, VE: Vegan cheese. H, NP, SF: Chicken.

**Snack: Yoghurt**  
+ Fruit for High Schools

**Snack Dietary Alternatives:** Trail mix, chickpeas or popcorn.

WEDNESDAY

**Butter Chicken**

Butter chicken sauce with chicken, chickpeas & veggies served with brown rice.

**Dietary Alternatives:**

V, VE: Butter chickpeas with brown rice.

**Snack: Muffin**

**Snack Dietary Alternatives:** Trail mix, chickpeas or popcorn.



THURSDAY

**Cheese Burger**

Wholemeal burger bun with beef pattie, cheese, salad & kumara rosti.

**Dietary Alternatives:**

V, GF, H, VE, SF: Black bean burger pattie. NB: Chicken pattie. GF, SF: GF SF Burger bun. EF, VE: Vegan mayo. DF, VE: Vegan cheese.

**Snack: Cookie**

**Snack Dietary Alternatives:** Trail mix, chickpeas or popcorn.

FRIDAY

**Pasta Bolognese**

Wholemeal pasta with beef & lentil bolognese sauce served with carrots & cheese.

**Dietary Alternatives:**

V, NB, VE: Lentil Bolognese. GF: GF pasta. DF, VE: Vegan cheese.

**Snack: Trail Mix**

**Snack Dietary Alternatives:** None.

**Key:** (V) Vegetarian. (GF) Gluten Free. (DF) Dairy Free. (EF) Egg Free. (H) Halal. (NB) No Beef. (NP) No Pork. (SF) Soy Free.

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.

Morrinsville Combined Schools  
Livestock Day 2022

Livestock Day is being hosted by Morrinsville School on Wednesday 19th October.

Entry forms will be available later in Term 3.

Please note animal birth dates as below...

Calves (Dairy/Beef):

**Early:** July 1st - July 20th

**Late:** July 21st - September 1st

Lambs and Kids:

**Early:** July 1st - July 31st

**Late:** August 1st - September 1st

Additional Information:

There is to be NO sharing of animals by students.

All calves must have a NAIT tag.

Lambs/Goats - rams/bucks are allowed.

Important Dates:

Morrinsville Group Day - Thursday October 27th.

Waikato A & P Show - Friday October 28th.



Morrinsville School  
Livestock Day  
Lamb Packs

\$80 per pack

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PTA LAMB PACK

To encourage more participation in our Schools Livestock Day event our PTA have organised an opportunity for children to purchase a "Lamb Pack" for \$80 (plus \$5 for Vaccination).

The Lamb would be available for collection early September.

Please contact the School Office if you are interested in purchasing this pack.

# MINIBALL

WEEK 4: 17/08

TIME	COURT 1			COURT 2		
	TEAM A	TEAM B	RESULT	TEAM A	TEAM B	RESULT
3.30PM	MS LAKERS	SJ BALLERS		DSS PISTONS	DSS HEAT	
4.00PM	DSS BUCKS	TATUANUI GOLD		SJ HOT SHOTS	MS GIANTS	
4.30PM	DSS CLIPPERS	TATUANUI SILVER		DSS ROCKETS	TAHUNA AVENGERS	
5.00PM	SJ DRIBBLERS	TAHUNA MARVELS		BYE	TATUANUI BRONZE	
5.30PM	DSS SUNS	TAUHEI CELTICS		DSS PELICANS	MS BULLS	
6.00PM	DSS MAGIC	DSS WARRIORS		SJ SPINNERS	KIWITAHU	

# NETBALL

This is our last week of Netball

Thurs

18/8 4:15pm

Y5/6 Players to meet at  
Campbell Park

18/8 5:30pm Court 1

MS Maungatautari  
vs MIS Leopards

## Virtues

The following children's names were drawn out for virtue rewards:

**Junior:** Atiksh Bhattarai Room 12 for showing the virtue of RESPONSIBILITY/ KAWANGA.

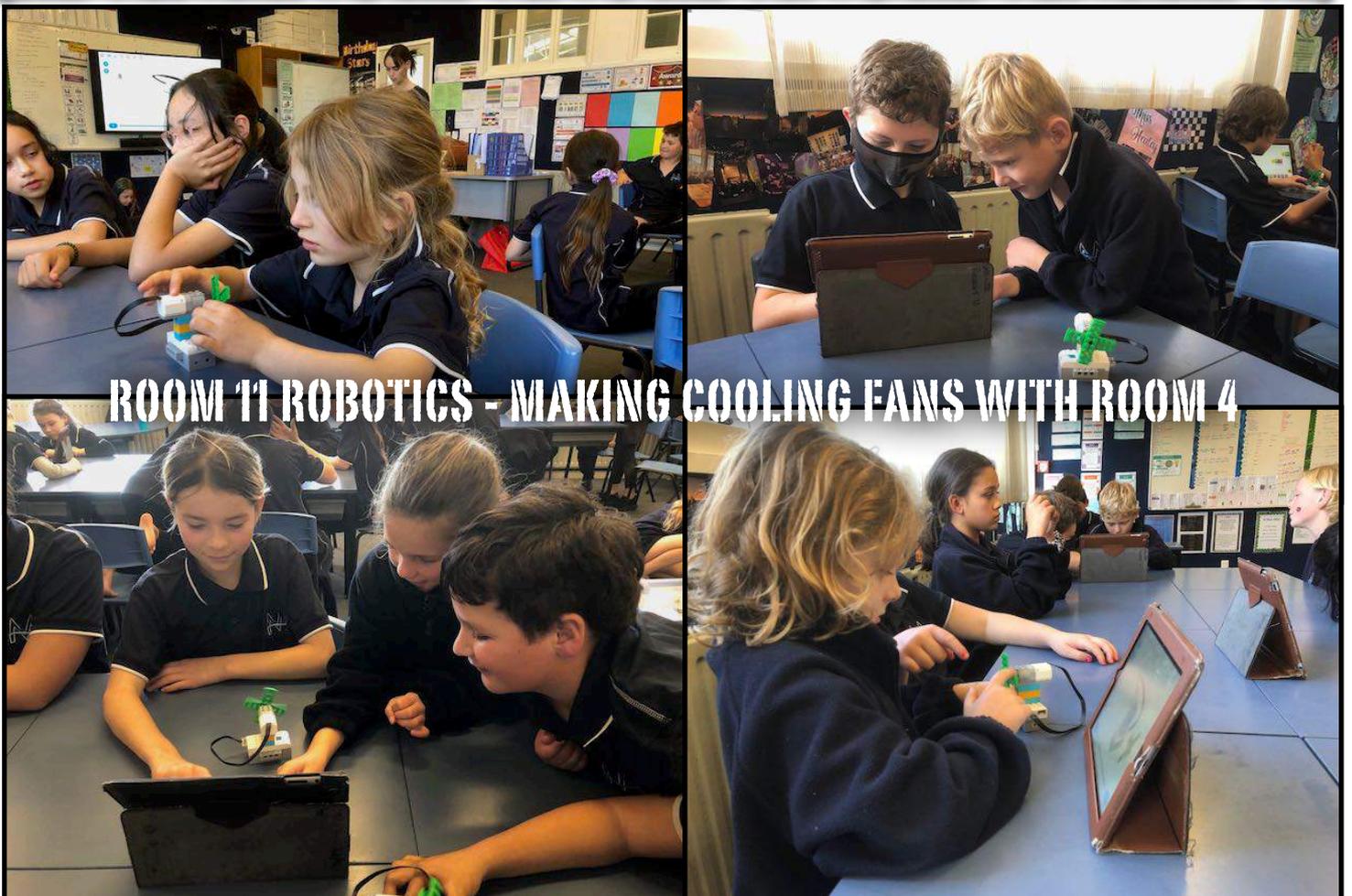
**Middle:** Declan Mossong Room 1 for showing the virtue of RESPONSIBILITY/ KAWANGA.

**Senior:** Braydon Simpson Room 5 for showing the virtue of RESPONSIBILITY/ KAWANGA

The children will join me at the Wagon Wheel for a Hot Chocolate.



Declan Mossong, Braydon Simpson and Atiksh Bhattarai.



### READY TO RACE!

Six, seven, eight... feels like a hundred. My body is exhausted. I feel like my lungs have turned into ashes. All I can think is "I hope this training pays off". I get to my seat as the attendant says "buckle up". 13 hours later my feet touch the ground and I am surrounded with busy people. I hear talking and beeping everywhere. I clutch my luggage tight. I already feel like a champion!

My toes are shaking as the people strap my feet to my bike. I line up with my teammates, but when the man starts to count down my nerves grow higher and higher. 5, 4, 3, 2, 1...**BEEP!!!!** Now the race has started and the competition is on. My heart is pumping as fast as my wheels are spinning. I see my opponents chasing me. I felt like I'm racing a cheetah. My ears feel like they are going to burst, the crowd is going wild. They sound like a big herd of hungry elephants. Guess what I see now? **IT'S THE FINISH LINE!!!!**  
My opponents are right beside me. I'm fighting for my life. I desperately need this win!

**ZOOM!!!!** We race across the finish line like cars from a car race. But there's one question remaining. Who won? It sounds like it was a draw between NZ and AUS. But, they made a decision. "And the winner of the race is...**NZ!!!!** By 1 millimeter. "**YAY, HOORAY!!!!**  
Everybody shouts loudly. Victory is now ours.

At the end of the day, I am as tired as anything and I'm sweating like a pig. I am very proud of myself today. We definitely deserved that gold medal. I would love to do that again!

By Paige Carrington, Year 6, Room 4.

### **Ready to Race**

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When I arrived at Birmingham I could already see the stadium from the airport. After checking in I headed to the stadium where I'd meet my teammates and opponents. As the crowd grew I was more nervous by the second, as I strapped my feet ready for the race. The timer ticked down from 10,9,8,7,6,5,4,3,2,1 go. I tried as hard as I could and so did my teammates we were pushing, I could see the finish line in sight, but the opponents were feet away. We already crossed the finish line.

It felt so good to win, when we got unstrapped we all hugged each other. All of us were in tears, but the opponents were sad, but we still congratulated them on trying and even crossing the finishing line. It was time for the presentation where we would get our medals, as we got handed our medals I was still shocked that we won gold at Birmingham 2022. Then in the change rooms our coach congratulated us on winning the gold medal.

**By Jax Cameron, Year 6, Room 4.**

### *Ready to Race*

6,7,8.... Feels like 100. My body is exhausted. I feel like my lungs have turned to ashes. All I can think is "I hope this training pays off". I get to my seat as the flight attendant says "buckle up". 12 hours later, my feet touch the ground and I'm surrounded by busy people. I hear talking and beeping everywhere. I clutch my luggage tight. I already feel like a champion.

As I'm on the starting line, I can feel my heart pumping out of me. Victory is mine. I can already feel it. I look my opponents in the eye and give them a sly look. "3,2,1 beep". The cold breeze blows me back. My head went blank but my legs carried on. The finish line was near and my opponents were raging. I knew right then and there that I had to pick up the pace if I wanted to carry my team to a win.

I could see the finish line and I was hungry for a win. As I finished my final lap I froze. I couldn't believe what I had just done. Was it real? Had I won or was I just dreaming. It was real. My eyes went all hazy in disbelief. All the training went into this win. All my training had paid off. My family was proud of me, my teammates were proud of me, I was proud of me.

After all that hard work I finally got the win I've wanted my entire life. I'm proud of this win. I'm proud I made it to this moment in my life.

By Madison Symon, Year 6, Room 4.