

# Newsletter

29 August 2022

Number 26/22

**Kia Ora Koutou  
Greetings**

**Looking after each other...  
being kind and caring**



Te Oranga. Well Being

## Looking after each other... being kind and caring...

Over the past few weeks we have been putting some emphasis on caring for each other and being aware of others feelings. Children and adults are encouraged to help those who are sad and upset. Sharing friendship is a great way to show kindness.

## Snow and Waitomo Camps BBQ Raffle

We have had a new BBQ donated to our school to help with our school camps programme. We are going to raffle the BBQ and funds raised will go to offset some of our Snow and Waitomo Camps costs. We will be sending home a raffle book tomorrow per Year 5, 6, 7 and 8 child. Tickets are \$2 each and there are ten tickets per book. The raffle will be drawn on Wednesday 14th September. Thank you in advance for your support.

**Please return your book by Friday 9th September.**

## Term 3 Upcoming Events

- **Weds 31 August**
- BOT Meeting 5:30pm
- **Thurs 1 Sept**
- Junior Marae Trip
- **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

## DAFFODIL DAY

Thank you for your kind donations. We raised \$221 for the Cancer Society.



## WHOLE SCHOOL PHOTO ON DAFFODIL DAY



# ROOM 1 - DAFFODIL MAKING USING ORIGAMI



# ROOM 11 - DAFFODIL ART



WEEK 6: 31/08

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

SJ Ballers v SJ Dribblers to be 10min halves game

## MINIBALL

4:00pm - MS BULLS

5:30pm - MS LAKERS

5:30pm - MS GIANTS



## ROOM 12 - PAPER CRAFT DAFFODIL ART

### Room 7, 8, 11 & 12 Kai a te Mata Marae Trip - Thursday 1st September 2022

Rooms 7, 8, 11 and 12 will be visiting Kai a te Mata marae. Our focus is to learn about our local marae and tikanga māori. We will take part in the pōwhiri. We will explore its history and importance to local iwi Ngaati Hauaa. Children will travel by bus to Kai a te Mata marae.

#### Children will need:

- School uniform
- Covered Shoes
- Jacket (School Black Jacket if they have one)
- Morning tea and a water bottle.
- Gold coin koha - handed in to Class teachers by Thursday

Thursday 1st September. Time: Leave school at 9:15am and return at approximately 12:00pm. 9:00am - Parent meeting outside Room 7 with Whaea Julie.

Please dress in black and women are required to wear a black skirt/dress to the knee or below. Masks are required to be worn by adults on the school site and at the marae.

#### Parent Helpers:

Room 7 - Casey McCaskill-Pakinga, Charles Green, Rebecca Bowden, Sudhanshu Kaushik, Jamie Burr, Mel Tataurangi

Room 8 - Hilton Ryder, Nicole Paulse, Rebecca Taulu, Trish Harding, John McCaskill-Pakinga

Room 12 - Nga Gifford, Eva Muriwai, Davey Walker, Donna Bjerring, Lycinda Lett, Amanda Stephenson

Room 11 - Angela Beck, Dorothy McHardy, Danielle Hotene, Jazmin Lane

Parents will need to make their own way to Kai a te Mata marae after the meeting - Carpooling is a great option.

Nga mihi,

Whaea Julie, Whaea Rosé, Penny McHardy, Steph Mangin, Tracey Seifert and Gay Pert.

# Piako School Gymsport Competition

We had a great day on Friday participating in the Matamata Piako School GymFest event. I would like to thank Rebecca Taulu and Donna Bjerring for being fantastic parent helpers for the day. It was so good to see so many family members in the crowd too. Also thanks to the team at school Miss Healey and Karen who were getting the children organised before and after their time at the event centre. This was the first time this event has been on since 2019.

It was just great to see our Morrinsville School kids going to this special event after all the hard work they had put in to training during lunchtimes and at home. We had a total of 38 children competing in 4 different grades. The challenge of the training and then the day of competition offered the children a chance of having a real sense of achievement. The pride they had in themselves for a job well done was terrific to see.

Congratulations go to all those who took part. Specific congratulations go to our step 1 competition gymnasts for placing in their event. Abigail McDonald - 2nd, Casey Noonan - 3rd and Leanne Hotene - 4th.

A massive shout out to the coaches who gave up a lot of their lunchtimes! This year we had a team on the job, Mrs Mangin, Whaea Tray, Whaea Rosè and Miss Healey did a great job teaching the kids the routines and getting them ready for the competition. Looking forward to next year already!

