

Newsletter

26 April 2023

Number 10/23

**Kia Ora Koutou
Greetings**



Whakawhānaungatanga

“establishing extended family like relationships”



Welcome back

Nau Mai hoki mai ki te kura.

Welcome back all our children, whānau and families. We hope that all our children enjoy the term. We are very focussed on ensuring all our tamariki attend school everyday.



ANZAC Day

Many thanks to Lycinda (BOT Rep), Mackenna and Macy Lett who attend the Anzac Day Civic Service yesterday and laid a wreath on behalf of Morrinsville School.

Term 2 Upcoming Events

- Weds 26 Apr**
- BOT Meeting 5:30pm
- Mon 1 May**
- Port Waikato Camp departs
- Fri 5 May**
- Port Waikato Camp returns
- Fri 19 May**
- Pink Shirt Day
- Tues 23 May**
- Rugby Netball Funday (postponement date Thurs 25 May)
- Weds 31 May**
- BOT Meeting 5:30pm
- Mon 5 June**
- King's Birthday
- Weds 7 June**
- School Cross Country (postponement date Thurs 8 June)
- Fri 9 June**
- Y5/6 Basketball Funday
- Fri 16 June**
- Interschool Cross Country

ANZAC DAY MUFTI DAY

We raised \$225 for the RSA for ANZAC Day.

Many thanks for your kind donations.



READING FOR ROTARY

Congratulations to Jahsia Tuhakaraina-Tuira, Miles Elliot and Nathaniel Connor who received a certificate and \$20 Paper Plus voucher for their improvement in reading at our last assembly at the end of the term. The awards were presented by Andrew May (Rotary) and Tracey Waite (Paper Plus).



Mackenna and Macy Lett in front of the Cenotaph on Anzac Day.

Bus Tickets - Message from Greenline Motors
 Please note there will be a ticket fee increase for those students using the paid school buses to and from school. From the start of Term 2 the ticket price will be \$8 (previously \$6). This notice will be displayed in the buses also.

Virtues

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

Junior: Melah Wood Room 12 for showing the virtue of RESPONSIBILITY/KAWANGA.

Middle: Miles Elliot Room 11 for showing the virtue of RESPONSIBILITY/KAWANGA.

Senior: Mariana Renata-Ratu Room 5 for showing the virtue of MANAAKITANGA/ KINDNESS.

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



Melah Wood, Mariana Renata-Ratu and Miles Elliot.

KAWANGA

Responsibility

A TRUE LEADER TAKES
RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE TEAM
AND HELPS THEM ACHIEVE
GOALS



AROHA

KINDNESS

KINDNESS IS NOT A
REWARD OR BENEFIT IT
IS A PART OF HUMANITY,
BEING IN THE HUMAN
RACE.



TUKUMARIE

Tolerance

*Tolerance is like money
Some people
have a lot of it
Some people
don't have enough
Some have just the right
amount*

*Tolerance is when you
can put up with people.*



PUKUMAHĪ

Diligence

What we hope to do
with ease,
we must first learn
to do with Diligence.



MANAKITANGA

Kindness

KINDNESS
BEGINS WITH THE
UNDERSTANDING THAT
WE ALL STRUGGLE



TUKUMARIE

TOLEANCE

THE ABILITY OR
WILLINGNESS TO TOLERATE
THE EXISTENCE OF OPINIONS
OR BEHAVIOUR THAT YOU
DISLIKE OR DISAGREE WITH.



PUKUMAHĪ

DILIGENCE

Diligence is where
you never give up,
and always try your
best



HIRANGA

Resilience

Life is not about
how fast you run, or
how high you climb.
It's about how well
you bounce.



AT THE END OF TERM 1 ROOM 4 LOOKED INTO OUR SCHOOL VIRTUES AND WHAT THEY MEAN TO US. THEY WROTE OR FOUND QUOTES THAT HELPED DESCRIBE THEIR CHOSEN VIRTUE AND MADE UP DIGITAL POSTERS TO DISPLAY IN CLASS

PORT WAIKATO CAMP - YEAR 5 & 6

Port Waikato Camp will now be departing for camp on Monday 1st May and will return on Friday 5th May.

The programme for camp is: Baldspur walk, Waterfall walk, Stream study, Low ropes, BMX, Tent Pitching, Camp Concert, Burma Trail, Devlin's Dash, Museum Visit, Archery, Confidence Course, Volleyball, Rocky Shore Trip, Mud Fight, Disco.

Parents attending camp are: Heather Briscoe, Riroiti Manihera, Mudguard Stephenson, Nick Moore, Tokaanu Thompson, John McTainsh, Vonny Marsh, Megan Beck, Lincoln Marsh, Amanda Vincent, Bubbles Marsh, Whaea Ngapera Thompson, Annette Silcock and Rachel Hatwell.

Staff attending are: Mrs Aimee Morrison-Cowley, Whaea Tya Robinson, Miss Nicole Healey and Mr Shay Noonan (Tues/Weds).

Payment of fees is due and should have been paid by now. Fees have been reduced to \$120 - any over payments will be refunded or the remaining money can be kept towards netball fees. Please let the classroom teacher or office know if you would like them kept towards sports fees.

All food donations are to be brought into school by Friday 28th April (any home baking can come into school on Monday).



POPPY ART BY ROOM 11