

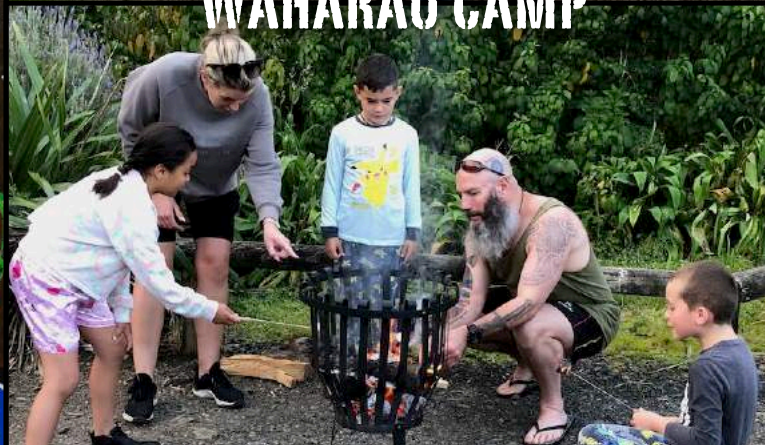
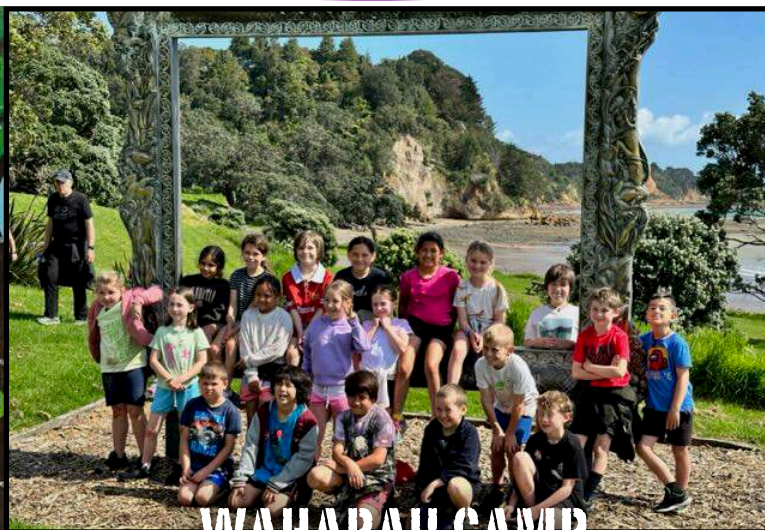
Newsletter

30 October 2023

Number 33/23

Kia Ora Koutou
Greetings

Manaakitanga
Kindness



Term 4 Upcoming Events

- Tues 31st Oct -
- Thurs 2nd Nov
- Waitawheta Camp (Year 4)
- Weds 8th Nov
- School Athletics
- Fri 10th Nov
- Grandparents Day
- Mon 13th Nov
- Teacher Only Day
- Thurs 23rd Nov
- Interschool Athletics
- Weds 29th Nov
- Family Festive Evening
- Tues 12th Dec
- Final Assembly
- Weds 13th Dec
- Last day term 4

TOUCH DRAW

- Time 3:30pm Touch Draw Year 3/4 - 1st Nov**
MS Sharks vs DSS Tigers (Field 1)
MS Titans - Bye
- Time 4:00pm Touch Draw Year 5/6 - 1st Nov**
MS Storm vs St Josephs Yellow (Field 1)
MS Broncos vs St Josephs Blue (Field 2)
MS Warriors vs St Josephs Green (Field 3)

CALENDAR ART

Children have been working hard on their Calendar Art. Order forms have been sent home. They are due back by Friday 10th November.

Payment can be made in cash or online to the Morrinsville School PTA bank account 03-0371-0098465-00.

Prices are: Calendars \$15, Cards \$15.50, Diaries \$18.

They make great Christmas presents for family!

WAITAWHETA CAMP - YEAR 4

Tomorrow, Tuesday 31st October our Year 4 students are heading off to an exciting new camp based out of Waitawheta in the Karangahake Gorge.

Tamariki will be exposed to a variety of experiences which support our in class learning. We start our week by exploring the history of mining in the area and finish up the day with an exciting trip on the train. On Wednesday tamariki will embark on a trip to Rocktopia where they will be provided with a rock climbing and abseiling session before heading to Athenree hot pools for a dip. On our last day at camp we will stay on site engaging in a rotation of fun activities before packing up and heading home. Return time is approximately 1:30pm-2pm on Thursday 2nd November.

Whaea Rosé and Whaea Tray will be the teachers accompanying our tamariki.

A huge shout out to the parent helpers that have made this excursion possible: Trish Harding, Adriana Leask, Warren Wright, Nick Hunter, Penny McHardy, Danielle Hotene, Sarah Brenchley, and Nga Gifford.

We look forward to sharing about our time away when we get back!

Senior Athletics

Our Senior Athletics is scheduled for next Wednesday 8th November. Children will be participating in their age groups as at the age they will be on 23rd November. We welcome all our families/whaanau to come down and watch our Athletics day.

ATHLETICS ROTATION

	High Jump	Bowls	Sprints	Long Jump	Obstacle Course	Long Distance	Cricket Throw	Elastics/Skipping	Gutterboard
Round 1 9:20-9:40	Yr 7 & 8	9 Boys	11 Girls	11 Boys	8 Girls	8 Boys	10 Girls	10 Boys	9 Girls
Round 2 9:40-10:00	9 Girls	Yr 7 & 8	9 Boys	11 Girls	11 Boys	8 Girls	8 Boys	10 Girls	10 Boys
Round 3 10:00-10:20	10 Boys	9 Girls	Yr 7 & 8	9 Boys	11 Girls	11 Boys	8 Girls	8 Boys	10 Girls
Round 4 10:20-10:40	10 Girls	10 Boys	9 Girls	Yr 7 & 8	9 Boys	11 Girls	11 Boys	8 Girls	8 Boys
Morning Tea									
Round 5 11:00-11:20	8 Boys	10 Girls	10 Boys	9 Girls	Yr 7 & 8	9 Boys	11 Girls	11 Boys	8 Girls
Round 6 11:20-11:40	8 Girls	8 Boys	10 Girls	10 Boys	9 Girls	Yr 7 & 8	9 Boys	11 Girls	11 Boys
Round 7 11:40-12:00	11 Boys	8 Girls	8 Boys	10 Girls	10 Boys	9 Girls	Yr 7 & 8	9 Boys	11 Girls
Round 8 12:00-12:20	11 Girls	11 Boys	8 Girls	8 Boys	10 Girls	10 Boys	9 Girls	Yr 7 & 8	9 Boys
Lunch Break (35 mins) Eat together in wakas under the oaks along the fence line. Meet back under oaks at 12.55pm									
Round 9 1.00-1.20	9 Boys	11 Girls	11 Boys	8 Girls	8 Boys	10 Girls	10 Boys	9 Girls	Yr 7 & 8



GRANDPARENT'S DAY

10TH NOVEMBER

The tamariki of Morrinsville School would love to invite you, their Grandparents & whaanau to our 2023 Grandparents Day.

Each class will be working hard to create a variety of arts and crafts for you to come and check out, both our junior and senior kapa haka groups will perform and some of our wonderful parents will be running a sausage sizzle for us all to enjoy as well!

So naumai, haere mai and we look forward to seeing you!



10TH NOVEMBER

TIMELINE OF THE DAY

- 11:50am: All Grandparents and whaanau arrive and meet us in the sports dome
- 12pm: Welcome and assembly
Junior Kapa Haka group perform
Senior Kapa Haka group preform
- 12:30pm: Whole school shared picnic with whaanau
- 12:45 - 1:45pm: Classes are open for viewing
- 1:45pm onwards: Children are welcome to go home with whaanau

GUMDROPS DESSERTS

MORRINSVILLE SCHOOL FUNDRAISING MENU

CHEF'S CHOICE	Banoffee Pie A malt biscuit base topped with our top secret Gumdrops caramel, with a layer of fresh banana & fresh whipped cream topped with a Cadbury flake to finish! Gumdrops Famous! (Can be made Gluten-Free)
	Trifle A Gumdrops take on a kiwi-classic! Made with fresh in-house sponge, jelly, berries and a smooth custard fromage
	Ambrosia A light and fluffy mix of yoghurt, cream, fruit salad, chocolate & marshmallow
GROUP FAVE!	Steam Pudding & Custard Soft, fresh, light steam pudding covered in homemade custard. Heat it before you eat it for full flavour
	Apple Crumble * Juicy NZ apples wrapped in cinnamon with a crunchy buttery topping (Can be made Vegan/Dairy-Free)
BEST SELLER!	Oreo Cheesecake * An Oreo biscuit base with an Oreo cream cheese filling, topped with choc sauce & an Oreo biscuit (Can be made Vegan/Dairy-Free)
	Black Forest Cheesecake * An Oreo biscuit base with a decadent dark chocolate cream cheese middle. Topped with a tangy cherry compote
	Strawberry Cheesecake * Our classic Vanilla base with a smooth vanilla cream cheese filling & strawberry compote to finish
	Passionfruit Cheesecake * A vanilla base meets our smooth vanilla cream cheese middle & is topped with our passionfruit compote (Can be made Gluten-Free)

LOW-CARB, LOW-SUGAR, KETO-FRIENDLY OPTIONS: *
These are also available in the following flavours: Hot Chocolate & Orange Chocolate for those with low-carb/low-sugar/keto dietary requirements. These are smaller portions to keep carbohydrates under 7g, of which Sugar is under 4g.

Each dessert comes in its own 375ml container. The following symbol indicates freezer-friendly desserts which can be frozen & defrosted once for longevity *.

GUMDROPS DESSERTS FUNDRAISER

Get excited! The Morrinsville School Fundraising group is taking orders for these tried and true delicious desserts. NB: Desserts are delivered fresh but can be frozen if indicated

Order forms were sent home with our school families on Monday 16th October. Order forms can also be collected from the Morrinsville School office or email reception@morrinsville.school.nz and we will email you a form.

Orders are due back by 3pm on Thursday 16th November.
Pick up date is Wednesday 29th November.
Spread the word and tell your friends, whanau, neighbours!



WAHARAU CAMP - YEAR 3

We had an amazing camp with a wonderful group of tamariki who showed they could look after themselves independently and support each other collaboratively. A huge thank you to our fantastic group of parent helpers who supported our children and teachers and made this camp possible and fun. Special thanks to our cooks Casey Paraku and Jenelle van der Heyden who kept us all well fed.

