

Newsletter

11 March 2024

Number 06/24

Kia Ora Koutou
Greetings

Whakaute
Respect



Children's absences

We wish to advise that when your child is absent from school you need to let us know that they will be absent and provide a reason for their absence. For those who are absent longer than 3 days for medical reasons a medical certificate is required otherwise children absent from school will be deemed to be truant.

Ear Clinic

The free mobile ear and hearing testing service will be outside the Countdown carpark on **Tuesday 25th March 8:30am till 11:30am**. There is a trained ear nurse available at the Caravan. The service includes assessment of children in all aspects of ear infection treatment; grommet checks; cleaning of running ear; safe removal of wax and foreign bodies. This is a drop in clinic no appointments needed, but ring Gallagher Drive on 07 838 3565 as things can change at the last moment. A parent or caregiver must attend with children.

Term 1 Upcoming Events

- Sun 10th - Fri 15th March
- Y5/6 Port Waikato Camp
- Tues 12th March
- Y4 Pukemokemo ke Bush Walk
- Tues 26th March
- Junior Beach Trip
- Fri 29th March
- Good Friday - School Closed
- Mon 1 April
- Easter Monday - School closed
- Tues 2 April
- Easter Tuesday - School closed
- Fri 12 April
- Last day Term 1

Y4 PUKEMOKEMOKE BUSH WALK

The Year 4's will be going on their bush walk at Pukemokemoke tomorrow, Tuesday 12th March.

The children will not only be walking to the summit but also studying the flora and fauna and enjoying a picnic lunch.

We will be leaving the school at 9:15am and returning by 2:00pm.

A huge thank you to our parent helpers: Bronwyn Cameron, Amanda Stephenson, Kathy Stewart, Donna Bjerring, Davey Walker, Jo Autridge.

Junior Beach Trip

Rooms 7, 8, 9, 11 and 12 - Tuesday 26th March

As part of our class programme, the Junior classes have planned a trip to Anzac Bay in Bowentown for Tuesday 26th March.

The children will not be swimming as our focus for the day will be related to the shores, life in the rock pool and caring for the beach. A change of clothes can be packed however.

The cost will be \$5 per child to pay for the bus. Please send the money and permission slip to school as soon as possible.

We need parent helpers on the day to help supervise a small group. Sorry no pre-schoolers. Children will travel on the bus and parents will travel by car. Further details will be given nearer the date.

Nga mihi, Nicole Healey, Taimarina Johnson, Tash Hall, Maria Revell and Gay Pert.

INTERSCHOOL SWIMMING

We had a wonderful day hosting the Interschool Swimming last Tuesday. Congratulations to all our swimmers who participated.

Results:

Alyssa Marsh - 1st - Open Medley

Zoe van de Pas - 6th - 7 year old girls Freestyle

Amaiyah-Louise Taulu - 2nd - 8 year old girls Freestyle

Mackenna Lett - 3rd - 8 year old girls Freestyle

Briar Walker - 4th - 8 year old girls Freestyle

Alyssa Marsh - 1st - 9 year old girls Freestyle

Maraea Nahu - 2nd - 9 year old girls Freestyle

Jesse Bredenkamp - 1st - 9 year old boys Freestyle

Nyjah Potae - 1st - 10/11 year old girls Freestyle

Amaia-Rose Tuhakaraina - 2nd - 10/11 year old girls Freestyle

Cooper Nahu - 4th - 10/11 year old boys Freestyle

CJ Wilson-Green - 5th - 10/11 year old boys Freestyle

Zoe van de Pas - 1st - 7 year old girls Backstroke

Briar Walker - 1st - 8 year old girls Backstroke

Mackenna Lett - 5th - 8 year old girls Backstroke

Alyssa Marsh - 1st - 9 year old girls Backstroke

Maraea Nahu - 2nd - 9 year old girls Backstroke

Charlene Edwards - 5th - 9 year old girls Backstroke

Jesse Bredenkamp - 1st - 9 year old boys Backstroke

Nyjah Potae - 1st - 10/11 year old girls Backstroke

Tiana Thompson - 5th - 10/11 year old girls Backstroke

Cooper Nahu - 3rd - 10/11 year old boys Backstroke

Eric Chege-Romero - 5th - 10/11 year old boys Backstroke

Mackenna Lett - 1st - 8 year old girls Breaststroke

Briar Walker - 3rd - 8 year old girls Breaststroke

Alyssa Marsh - 1st - 9 year old girls Breaststroke

Maraea Nahu - 2nd - 9 year old girls Breaststroke

Elaena Marsh - 4th - 10/11 year old girls Breaststroke

Mia Clark - 5th - 10/11 year old girls Breaststroke

Eric Chege-Romero - 2nd - 10/11 year old boys Breaststroke

6x6 Relay - 2nd - Morrinsville School

4x4 Relay - 1st - Morrinsville School



ROOM 9 SELF PORTRAITS

Room 9 has been working on mixed media self portraits. We have used paper collage to create a colourful and bright background. This shows our uniqueness and brightness. We then used a clear sheet to trace the features of our faces using lines only. This provides an abstract vision of the children on a bright and happy background.



ROOM 12 ART INSPIRED BY SANDRA SIBERZWEIG.





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