

Newsletter

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**Kia Ora Koutou
Greetings**

**Manaakitanga
Kindness**



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Our sincere condolences to the Noonan family on the passing of Lynda Noonan (wife, mother, grandmother).

Our thoughts are with the Noonan whanāu at this time.

Ngā mihi aroha.



ANZAC DAY
Thursday 25th April.

Morrinsville School was very well represented at the Civic Service by Hawaiiki Taupo, Georgia Taupo, James Carrington and Paige Carrington who laid a wreath on behalf of our school community. Thank you children. Our Board of Trustees was represented by Marcus Taupo. Thank you Marcus.



Ear Clinic

The free mobile ear and hearing testing service will be at Morrinsville School, Lincoln Street, **Wednesday 8th May 9:00am till 2:30pm (lunch 12-1pm)**. 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. No appointment is necessary. A parent or caregiver must attend with children.

Board Of Trustees Elections

With the upcoming Board of Trustee elections coming up we ask if parents could please make sure the office has your current postal address.

Reading with Rotary

Congratulations to Bronzin Mark-Edwards, Te Rongo Karauria and Amaiya-Rose Barclay who all were presented with a \$20 voucher for Paper Plus by Debra Rodgerson and Pip Feast for great improvement in their reading.



Term 2 Upcoming Events

- Weds 1 May
-BOT Meeting 5:30pm
- Thurs 2 May
-Netball commences
- Weds 8 May
-Tape Ae at Morrinsville Intermediate
- Tues 21 May
-Rugby Netball Fun Day (postponement date Thurs 23 May)
- Weds 29 May
-School Cross Country (postponement date Fri 31 May)
- BOT Meeting 5:30pm
- Mon 3 June
-Queen's Birthday
- Fri 7 June
-BOT Elections
- Tues 18 June
-School Photos
- Fri 21 June
-Interschool Cross Country

Virtues

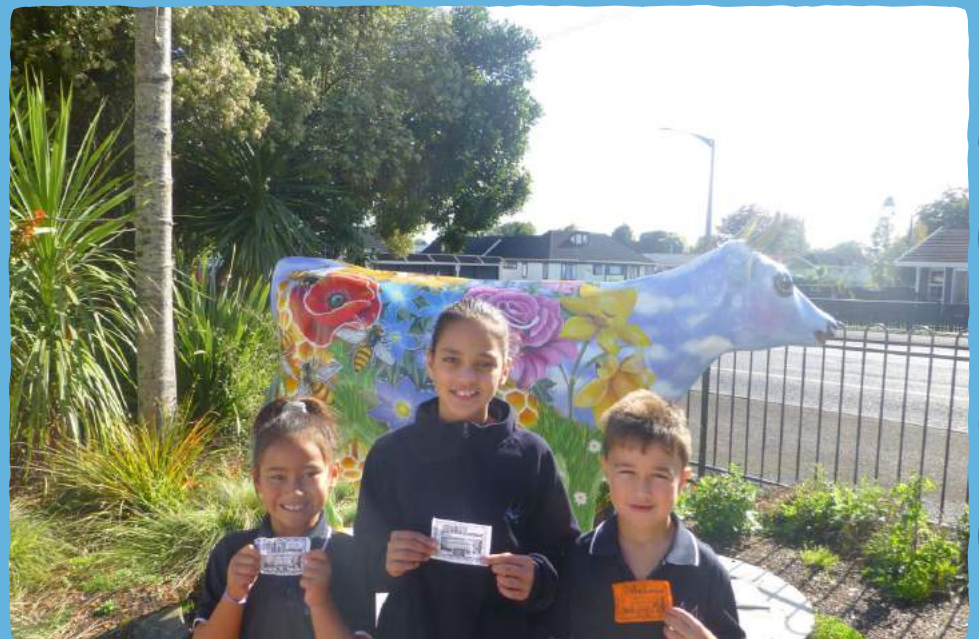
The following children's names were drawn out for virtue rewards:

Junior: Jordan Osai Room 11 for showing the virtue of STRIVING.

Middle: Georgia Taupo Room 16 for showing the virtue of STRIVING.

Senior: Bella Simpson Room 5 for showing the virtue of RESPONSIBILITY.

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



Georgia Taupo, Bella Simpson and Jordan Osai.

NETBALL

The Netball season starts this Thursday 2nd May (Week 1, Term 2).

A reminder that all netball fees must be paid in full by Wednesday 1st May 2019.

No netball uniforms will be issued to anyone who has not paid their fees.

It is important that your child is prepared for their first game and is able to a part of their team by having their fees paid and their uniform issued.

Fees: \$50.00 - Year 7&8 Players. \$45.00 - Year 5&6 Players. \$25.00 - Year 3&4 Players

THIS THURSDAY'S DRAW UNAVAILABLE AT THE TIME OF PRINTING

Please check our Facebook page or the Morrinsville Netball Centre Facebook page.

YEAR 1 & 2 Netball Skills sessions (that will be held at Morrinsville School) will commence next Thursday 9th May (3:10pm-3:50pm).

Make a difference. Become a school trustee.

Nominate yourself or someone you know today.

Being a school trustee is an important role that needs people with a range of skills and experiences, who will make a positive difference to our children's learning. Make a difference and nominate yourself or someone you know by filling out a nomination form available from your school.

Learn more at www.trustee-election.co.nz



Nomination forms will be posted to all eligible voters this week. If you haven't received them you can pick up a copy from the office.

YOUR RETURNING OFFICER IS:

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WINTER UNIFORM

Now that Term 2 has commenced we now move into our winter uniform outlined as follows:

Uniform Items:

1. **Navy Blue Polo** (short sleeved with school logo) – Harrys Menswear & Surf
2. **Navy Blue Fleece** (long sleeved with school logo) – Harrys Menswear & Surf (**It is expected that all children have a NAMED Navy Blue Fleece during the winter months**)
3. **Black shorts, trousers or skort** – Harrys Menswear & Surf or alternative retailer of your choice
4. **Black Sandals or Shoes** (plain black footwear only – no multi coloured soles, stitching, stripes etc) – retailer of your choice
5. **Black, navy or white socks** (when wearing shoes) – retailer of your choice

Seasonal options:

6. Black or navy sunhat or cap (summer) – retailer of your choice
7. Black or navy beanie (winter) – retailer of your choice
8. Black or navy tights (or footless leggings) in winter *please see below for clarification on leggings/jeggings/track-pants/jeans.

Important Please Note:

Whilst we are careful to ensure parents are given some flexibility and choice with certain aspects of the uniform, we have identified specific items of clothing that are **NOT** considered acceptable/appropriate for school. These items mainly relate to winter months of the uniform and should be carefully noted. Decisions about uniform are made with the consideration of ALL children in the school and the needs of the group as a whole.

If you have questions regarding the points below please contact your class teacher or Mrs Pert.

- During the winter months tights/footless leggings may be worn under skorts and must be in school colours – navy or black. Stockings are a problem when children are expected to participate in fitness and other physical activities in bare feet.
- School trousers should be plain black (no side stripes, coloured pockets etc). We recommend a 'drill' type fabric (e.g cargo pants), which are hardwearing and durable school wear.
- Jeans (all styles) are not school uniform and are not appropriate school wear.
- Some styles of track-pants are acceptable, but we would advise parents not to purchase "overly-baggy or slouchy" styles.

If in doubt please speak with Mrs Pert.

ROOM 3 WORLD RECORDS

The children from Room 3 had a fun last day of term creating our own crazy World Records and trying to break current ones!



The most dice stacked on the back of your hand in 30 seconds



THE TALLEST LEGO TOWER BUILT WHILE BLINDFOLDED IN 10 MINUTES



THE MOST CARTWHEELS WEARING A TUTU IN 2 MINUTES



THE TALLEST LEGO TOWER BUILT WHILE BLINDFOLDED IN 10 MINUTES



THE MOST JUMPS ON A POGO STICK WHILE WEARING A TUTU IN 60 SECONDS



FASTEST TIME ROLLER BLADING OVER 20M WEARING A TUTU



Leon Gilroy



Edith Matete



Braydon Simpson



Aliyah Garnham-Richmond



Lucas Belmar

**ROOM 2
SILHOUETTE
ANZAC DAY ART**