

Newsletter

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Kia Ora Koutou
Greetings

Tukumarie Tolerance



Te Oranga. Well Being.



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Teacher Strike - Wednesday 29th May
The New Zealand Education Institute (NZEI) has indicated that its members will strike on Wednesday 29th May. During the previous one day strike the school was closed by the Board of Trustees as the Board could not provide teachers to cover class programmes. Parents and caregivers are advised that should the strike go ahead that NZEI members will not be available for work.

Virtue: Tukumarie : Tolerance
Tolerance is a moral virtue. It relates to fairness, justice and respect. The tolerant person avoids causing harm to others. Tolerance is being accepting and celebrating human diversity. Tolerance means that one is sensitive to the thoughts, feelings and experiences of others. Children usually demonstrate a strong sense of fairness and empathy towards others different from themselves. Respecting and supporting differences goes a long way to helping show/live the virtue of tolerance.

- Term 2 Upcoming Events**
- Tues 21 May**
 - Rugby Netball Fun Day (postponement date Thurs 23 May)
 - Weds 29 May**
 - Teacher Strike
 - BOT Meeting 5:30pm
 - Thurs 30 May**
 - School Cross Country - New Date! (postponement date Fri 31 May)
 - Fri 31 May**
 - PTA Disco
 - Mon 3 June**
 - Queen's Birthday
 - Fri 7 June**
 - BOT Elections
 - Tough Guy/Tough Girl
 - Tues 18 June**
 - School Photos
 - Fri 21 June**
 - Interschool Cross Country



PINK SHIRT DAY MUFTI DAY

This Friday (17th) we are raising money for "Pink shirt day" (the Mental Health Foundation). Please come dressed in a brightly coloured shirt/outfit and bring a gold coin donation.

Children with no gold coin donation need to come dressed in uniform.



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.

NETBALL DRAW

3:30pm	MS Mystics	Court 1
4:20pm	MS Diamonds	Court 3
5:05pm	MS Magic	Court 2
5:05pm	MS Pulse	Court 4
5:40pm	MS Stars	Court 6
TBC	MS Steel	TBC

YEAR 1 & 2 JUNIOR NETBALL

YEAR 1 & 2 Netball Skills sessions held at Morrinsville School this Thursday (3:10pm-3:50pm).

PTA Rugby Netball Fun Day Fundraiser for Outdoor Education

We have had donated a trailer load of firewood (old man pine worth approx \$200), a signed Chiefs Rugby (away) jersey and a Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic Netball dress. These prizes have been donated to help raise funds for our Outdoor Education Programmes.

We are now sending home one raffle book per family and if families wish they can request extra books.

If you do not wish to sell these books please return them to school tomorrow, Tuesday 13th May.

Tickets are \$1 each or \$5 per book (there are five tickets per book).

The raffle will be drawn on Friday 31st May.

We will have a number of prizes for those who sell the most books and also a number of prizes in a draw. All children who sell a book are included for this draw.

Thank you in advance for your support. **Please return your book by Friday 24th May.**

6 week TOOLBOX Parenting course for parents of children aged 5-9

Tuesday 28th May - 2nd July 2019 - 10am - 12pm at Morrinsville School

Contact: Nicola - 022 629 1079

No childcare available babies under 1 year can attend with their caregiver/parent. Cost \$75 per person or \$110 per couple - if you're unable to contribute in this way, we'd still love you to join us - Get in touch and we'll get you booked in.

PRIMARY YEARS 5-9



Tuesday 28th May - Tuesday 2nd July 2019
10am - 12pm
Morrinsville school Lincoln St
Contact: Nicola - 022 629 1079
email: nicola.spencer16@yahoo.co.nz

Cost \$75 pp \$110 per couple

The cost is \$75 per person or \$110 per couple. However, if you're unable to contribute in this way, we'd still love you to join us. Get in touch and we'll get you booked in.

What to expect

6 sessions per course.
Run in small groups by a trained facilitator. Fun, practical and inspirational.

Topics include

- The importance of love and connection
- Different parenting styles
- Understanding your child and their big feelings
- Discipline and boundaries
- Play, and lots more!

**BUILD A GREAT FAMILY TEAM AND
HAVE FUN ALONG THE WAY**

book online
parentingplace.nz



MORRINSVILLE SCHOOL - Board of Trustees' Election

Nominations are invited for the election of five parent representatives to the Board of Trustees.

A nomination form and a notice calling for nominations has been posted to all eligible voters.

You can nominate another person to stand as a candidate or you can nominate yourself. Both parts of the form must be signed.

Additional nomination forms can be obtained from the school office.

Nominations close at noon on Friday 24th May 2019 and may be accompanied by signed candidates' statement and photograph.

The voting roll is open for inspection at the school and can be viewed during normal school hours.

There will also be a list of candidates' names, as they come to hand, for inspection at the school.

Voting closes at noon on Friday 7th June 2019.

Sue Kelly, Returning Officer.

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 have been posted to all eligible voters. If you haven't received them you can pick up a copy from the office.

YOUR RETURNING OFFICER IS:

Sue Kelly
Morrinsville School
Lincoln St
Morrinsville
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reception@morrinsville.school.nz

MORRINSVILLE COLLEGE YEAR 8 OPEN EVENING

Wednesday 5th
June, 7.00pm –
8.30pm in the
College Hall.

SCHOLASTIC BOOK CLUB - Issue 3

Issue 3 of the Lucky Book Club was sent home two weeks ago. To order books online with Scholastic, go to scholastic.co.nz/LOOP and follow the instructions, download the scholastic app, or continue with the traditional ordering system of bringing the paper order form to the school office and paying by cash or cheque. If ordering with the paper order form, please ensure you fill the form out correctly with your child's name and class number.

Every book purchased earns our school library free books, so your support is greatly appreciated. All book club orders are due back Friday 17th May.

The school office is unable to process credit cards - so cash or cheque only.

Virtues

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

Junior: Jennifer Hun Room 7 for showing the virtue of RESPONSIBILITY.

Middle: Lisa Po Room 1 for showing the virtue of EXCELLENCE.

Aliyah Garnham-Richmond Room 1 for showing the virtue of RESPECT.

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

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



Lisa Po, Jennifer Hun, Bella Simpson and Aliyah Garnham-Richmond



My Mum By Erin Hamer, Year 3, Room 16.

Love from Erin

Shiny blue eyes and the Best smile. She has beautiful blond hair that sways behind her when she walks. She is an amazing Juggler and a brilliant runner. She helps me do my homework. We like jumping on the tramp together. My Mum loves to go out tramping with the family. My Mum likes to go swimming in the sea. At night she gives me a Hug and a kiss. She is the Best Mum in the world! I Love my Mum and she loves me!



my mum

Fergus By Fergus Beachen, Year 3, Room 16.

She has brownish green eyes and a beautiful smile. My mum is the best with dinner. I like to make hot dogs with my mam and burgers as well. My mum likes going shopping with the family and she likes to go to my rugby training and she likes to make cupcakes. My mum has beautiful brown curly hair and she helps me with homework. My mum likes to go on walks. I love my mum and she loves me too.



ROOM 8 - ACORNS

Room 8 went out exploring and found acorns. They used them to make numbers on the cricket pitch!

Nga mihi nui
Regards

Shay Noonan
Principal

