

Newsletter

15 June 2020

Number 13/20

Kia Ora Koutou
Greetings

Aroha

Aroha mai, Aroha Ahu

In the wider sense, Aroha reflects ways people relate to one another including with respect, empathy, generosity, kindness and caring.

Aroha connects with our core values of Whāngai, Whakatipu and Whakamanawa.

Teacher Only Day - Friday 3rd July

We have a teacher only day on the last day of term. The date was set at the beginning of the school year. It forms part of our teachers professional development with a focus on learning and teaching mathematics.

TERM 2 - UPCOMING EVENTS

Weds 24th June

- School Cross
Country
(Postponement
date - Fri 26th
June)

- BOT Meeting
5:30pm

Thurs 25th June

- School Photos

Thurs 2nd July

- Last day of

Term 2

Fri 3rd July

- Teachers Only
Day



Second Hand Uniform Donations

We are looking for donations of second hand uniform.

These are greatly appreciated.

Please send them to school with your child or drop at the school office.

COVID-19 - LEVEL 1

It is great enjoying the freedom of Level one. In our conversations at school it is often remarked how well our children managed the guidelines and imposition of COVID-19.

We request that children continue taking care of the start of their day, getting organised with their bag etc.

We ask parents to continue dropping the children outside the classroom. If you need to see your child's teacher please arrange it in advance by phoning the office.

SCHOOL PHOTOS

School Photos are scheduled for next Thursday 25th June.

This year photographs will be available for you to view and order Online with PhotoLife Studios. Your son or daughter will shortly bring home an online slip with their unique Access Key detailed on it. This Access Key will display all the photographs of your child. It is then an easy process for you to shop online and purchase the photographs you want. If you place your order within three weeks of receiving your Access Key you will receive free delivery for your photo orders. PhotoLife has agreed to despatch all the orders back to the school and your child will bring their photographs home. Any orders placed after this three week period will be sent directly to your specified delivery address and will incur a \$6.00 Postage & Packing charge. You will see this message when you go online to view and order your photographs.



Rooms 11 & 12 enjoying a visit from "Danny Boy" last week.

Morrinsville Combined Schools Livestock Day and Group Day 2020

The Morrinsville Group Day Committee held its AGM last Tuesday. The committee wishes to confirm that these events will be going ahead with all animal sections in attendance; calves, lambs and goats.

David Street School will be hosting the Morrinsville Combined Schools Event this year on Monday 19th October. Followed by Group Day on Friday 23rd October. Below are the dates for animals.

More information will be sent at the beginning of Term 3.

Animal Birth Dates - Birth dates are as follows...

Calves:	Early	1st July - 20th July
	Late	21st July - 1st September

Lambs & Goats:	Early	1st July - 31st July
	Late	1st August - 1st September

Scholastic Book Club Term 2 Bumper Issue 2020

Term 2 Bumper Issue of the Lucky Book Club was sent home with your child last week.

- To order books online with Scholastic, go to [scholastic.co.nz/LOOP](https://www.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 this Friday 19th June.**
- **Please note: The school office is unable to process credit cards - so cash or cheque only.**

SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY

Next Wednesday 24 June. Morrinsville Recreation Grounds.

(Postponement date - Friday 26th June)

- Come dressed in your Waka colour.
- Please send children with a large drink bottle of water and lots of snacks for morning tea.
- Parents are invited to attend to support their children. First race 10am and event finished by 12 noon.
- Children are being bused to the Recreation Grounds after the 9am morning roll and will be returning to school at the conclusion of events (approximately 12 noon).

10:00am	Race 1	7 Year Old Boys	11:00am	Race 9	9 Year Old Boys
	Race 2	7 Year Old Girls		Race 10	9 Year Old Girls
	Race 3	8 Year Old Boys		Race 11	10 Year Old Boys
	Race 4	8 Year Old Girls		Race 12	10 Year Old Girls
10:30am	Race 5	5 Year Old Boys	11:15am	Race 13	11 Year Old Boys & Year 6 Girls
	Race 6	5 Year Old Girls		Race 14	Year 7/8 Boys & Girls
	Race 7	6 Year Old Boys			
	Race 8	6 Year Old Girls			

UKULELE LESSONS

Starting Week 1 of Term 3 are Ukulele lessons with John Howlett. Please complete the permission form and return it to the school office if your child(ren) wish to participate. Lessons are held on a Thursday afternoon during school time. Cost for the term is \$50 per child (\$25 per child for subsequent children from the same family).



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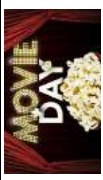




ELECTIVES

This term the Senior School spends two afternoons each week attending "Electives". Students had the choice to choose which class they wanted to attend. They had 5 different options which include; Māori crafts, Visual Arts, Coding, Boot Camp, Rongoa Māori & Kai Māori.

Last week our group learned how to make Rongoa Māori (kawakawa balm). We needed kawakawa leaves but before you pick them you need to say a karakia. This is our way of saying thank you to Papatūānuku (Earth Mother) and Tāne Māhuta (God of the forest) for growing plants for us to use. We also needed beeswax and oil. We prepared the kawakawa leaves and soaked them overnight in grape seed oil. The next day we put the kawakawa leaves and the oil into the croc pot and heated them for 6 hours, finally we added the beeswax. Our class were so excited to take home our kawakawa ... Next week we are learning how to make a 'Rewena Bug'.

By Tayla, Sativa & Nacorsha-Lee.



 CHILDSPLAY JULY SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAMME		Week 1 6th – 10th July	
Monday 6th	Get to Know Me & Self Portraits (Tell us all about your favourite things and then paint a self portrait)	Tuesday 7th	Pizza or Toastie Making Day
Wednesday 8th	Walk to the Park (Lolly scramble and hot chip lunch) <i>Weather permitting</i>	Thursday 9th	Mosaic Art (Dream up your design)
Friday 10th	 (bring your favourite movie)	Friday 17th  Shared Lunch & Movie Day	
Week 2 13th – 17th July		Monday 13th	Fun Sports Day in the Dome
Tuesday 14th	 Baking Day	Wednesday 15th	Trip Day - Lets Jump for Joy at Leap!
Thursday 16th	 Lets try making music with lots of instruments.	Friday 17th	 Shared Lunch & Movie Day

Activities are subject to change due to weather
Any Queries phone Raewyn 0278897250



Māori Crafts - Soap Carving