

Monday 27th July, 2020

Week 2 of 10



Wow last week flew past. A lot happening. We had the school van up and running. Great to see so many children in the van in the morning and after school. We also welcomed back Mia, Carys and Ivy Barron last week. They had been home schooling after Covid and have now come back to us. Everyone was so happy to see them.

Mahi Club:

This starts back this week – Friday afternoon. The tamariki are buzzing to get back into this. We have some spectacular opportunities happening this term. We have the volunteer army where their mission will be to save the native birds and insects of NZ. We have baking, art and gardening as well to offer. The art with Mrs Bleasel will bring out all the creative sides of our children. Exciting times ahead.

Ripper Rugby:

Lee Bennett will be taking the children for ripper rugby at lunchtimes for a few days this week. We are lucky to have some fine weather with us.

Learning Conferences:

Due to Covid this year we are not sending out a mid-year report, however we are having learning conferences in Week 3. The tamariki will be bringing home their Goals this week that they have discussed with their teachers. All our tamariki know where they are at and where they need to be by the end of the year. These goals will help them to get there. We ask that you discuss these goals with your child and bring them with you to your child's conference. Please send back the form attached with the newsletter to book a time to meet with your child's teacher.

Ag Day:

This year we are having our school Ag day here on Thursday 15th October. Then we are hosting Group Day on Tuesday 20th October. More information will be coming out later. Watch this space.

Scholastic Book Club:

The orders are due back by Friday 31st July.

Assembly:

This term we are going to run with Monday afternoon assemblies. Our assembly will be every second Monday. Our next school assembly is on Monday 3rd August.

Thank you:

You may have noticed in the Pekanui Road carpark the large Magnolia tree has been removed. This happened in the holidays. Lee Bennett and Greg Crake removed the tree and plants along the entrance way. A huge thank you to Ryan at Ryken Quarry for donating the metal for the huge hole that needed filling. If you require any farm metal please contact Ryan on 027 294 6654. He will be happy to help you out. The digger work was donated by WPL (Waikato Pastoral LTD). If you require any digger work around home or on the farm please ring Dallan on 027 250 2552. He will be happy to come and help you.

Buzzy Bee:

Last Friday we had Buzzy Bee and the Ōtorohanga District Council come to the hall for community consultation. Not many people including ourselves knew about this, however here are the dates and times that they will be in our area so you can go and have your say. You can also have your say online – go onto their website and click on Ōtorohanga 2050.

Fri 31st July Kāwhaia Hall 10am -12noon.

Mon 3rd August Oparau Hall 10am -12noon.

Tuesday 4th August Hauturu Hall 10am -12noon.

Ngā mihi

Cleonie Whyte

Principal

Term Three Dates to Remember:

Mon 27 th July	Senior Leaders working with Project Energize
Tues 28 th July	BOT Hui (Meeting) in the staffroom @ 6.30pm
Wed 29 th July	Enviro Group to Rhode St School in Hamilton
Wed 29 th July	Lunches - Pies
Fri 31 st July	Whole School Ripper Rugby Lessons
Fri 31 st July	Mahi Club begins
Wed 5 th Aug	Lunches – Soup
Wed 5 th Aug	Parent/Teacher Learning Conferences
Fri 7 th Aug	Mahi Club
Wed 12 th Aug	Ngutunui Enviro School Cross Country
Wed 12 th Aug	Lunches – BBQ Sausage and Ice Block
Fri 14 th Aug	No Mahi Club
Mon 17 th Aug	2.15pm Assembly
Tues 18 th Aug	Enviro Group to Hamilton Zoo – Conservation Professional Development
Wed 19 th Aug	Lunches – Hot beef rolls
Thurs 20 th Aug	Ngutunui Enviro School Speech Finalists 4pm
Fri 21 st Aug	Lower Waipa Cross Country
Fri 21 st Aug	Mahi Club
Tues 25 th Aug	Year 8 visit to Te Awamutu College 9-11am
Wed 26 th Aug	Lunches – Mac and Cheese
Fri 28 th Aug	Mahi Club
Mon 31 Aug	2.15pm Assembly
Wed 2 nd Sept	Lunches – Chicken Fried Rice
Thurs 5 th Sept	Waipa Speech Contest – Ohaupo School
Fri 6 th Sept	Mahi Club
Wed 9 th Sept	Tough Guy and Gal Challenge – Ngaruawahia
Wed 9 th Sept	NO LUNCHES
Thurs 10 th Sept	Kids for Kids Concert – Claudelands Event Centre Hamilton
Fri 11 th Sept	Mahi Club
Mon 14 th Sept	2.15pm Assembly
Mon 14 th Sept	Book Fair Arrives
Wed 16 th Sept	Dress up as your favourite Book Character Day
Wed 16 th Sept	Lunches – Hamburgers
Thurs 17 th Sept	Book Fair PJ Evening
Fri 18 th Sept	Mahi Club
Wed 23 rd Sept	Lunches: Bacon and Egg Pie
Fri 25 th Sept	Mahi Club
Fri 25 th Sept	Last day of Term 3

Our New Bank Accounts:

Our everyday account:

03-0442-0030952-02

Fundraising account: Lunches

03-0442-0030952-00

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Please indicate a time you would like to meet with your child's teacher:

Tui will be starting at 1pm.

Pukeko and Piwakawaka will be starting at 3:15pm.

When choosing a time please indicate 3-30, 4-5pm. This will be easier for us to find a time that suits you.

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