



MANGOREI SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

Week 6
Term 2
Wednesday 5th June 2024

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KNOWING MYSELF, KNOWING OUR PLACE, FINDING MY FUTURE

'E mohio pū ko wai au, e mōhio pū ki tāku turanga, kia rapu tāku huarahi'

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Ahiahī Mārie Mangorei Whānau,

As a staff we very much appreciated the time in having the Teacher Only Day on Friday. We were able to work alongside Ministry of Education Advisor Brigitte Luke as she furthered us along the journey around the Curriculum Refresh. Some key information we got was around the changing timeframe for the implementation of different curriculum areas. I've included the graphic below.

| 2023 | 2024 | 2025 | 2026 | 2027 |
|--|------|------|------|------|
| Te Mātaiaho The Refreshed Curriculum Framework | | | | |
| The Common Practice Model | | | | |
| Te ao tangata Social sciences | | | | |
| Aotearoa New Zealand histories | | | | |
| Mathematics and statistics | | | | |
| English | | | | |
| NCEA Level 1 | | | | |
| Sciences | | | | |
| Technology | | | | |
| The Arts | | | | |
| Health and physical education | | | | |
| Learning languages | | | | |
| NCEA Level 2 | | | | |
| NCEA Level 3 | | | | |

Key: Available to explore and use
Must be used

We were also told that these timeframes are under revision by the government at present but you can see we are still in the 'explore and use' phase for all areas, except for the Histories Curriculum which we must be using. Science, Technology and The Arts refreshed curriculums are due at the end of the term but no word yet on dates. We will update you if there are changes to the timeline. We like having the community aware of what curriculum changes we are experiencing here so you know that Teacher Only Days are like gold for us to be able to work through these changes - some parents told a teacher 'enjoy your day off' on Thursday - it certainly wasn't that!

As part of the day we also looked at the Science of Learning where we watched Nina Hood, educationalist, researcher and secondary trained teacher speak on memory, how students need time to encode new learning by building onto existing schema and then practice at retrieving it. This fits in strongly with the learning we have done with educationalist Lane Clark and is encouraging to know that all schools are looking at this research.

On a separate topic it was brilliant to have a positive group of supportive parents come to the AGM meeting for the PTA. I want to acknowledge the amazing work of **Rebecca Collier** who came into our PTA when her tamariki were so young to fill the Chairperson role 5 years ago. The PTA was in danger of no longer existing and Rebecca kept the home fires burning which saw some big wins for our tamariki, including a donation to the school board which saw the new Blue Playground built at school - 4 years later and we still have arguments over swings - that's

how cool they are! We also had **Tracey Gregory** stand down as Treasurer. Tracey has also been in the role for 5 years and has done a stellar job of keeping her finger on the pulse of fundraising. This is a time consuming role and we have very much appreciated the effort put into this job for our school - personally I want to really say thank you to you both - the Covid journey posed all sorts of twists and turns yet you kept getting good wins for our students - Ka rawe kia kōrua! Special thanks to the new torchbearers **Andrea Matthews** and **Emma Hall** who have stepped into these roles - your enthusiasm and openness to learn and get involved is very much valued!

Brace yourself - A NEW EVENT that our PTA are running is coming up in a month! We would **love** school support with the first **Mangorei Musical Quiz** here in the school hall on the last Friday of term! It is a great chance to collect some friends and have a good night. It's a quiz that starts as a quiz and quickly becomes a night of dancing, socialising and fun! A huge thanks to **Kim Cleaver**, **Rachel Deegan** and the organising team for putting this together. **See the information below and get booking** - workmates/family members/in-laws/teammates - get a team together and have a great night!

I'd like to finish with just how wonderful it was to see our whānau of Te Tihi o Taranaki come in and share with their tamariki what they had been learning in our ANZAC Social Sciences/Aotearoa NZ Histories Curriculum. As mentioned lots over the years we love having family onsite to be part of their children's learning.



INFORMATION FROM THE ORGANISERS AROUND THE QUIZ NIGHT!

The PTA is holding a major fundraiser "The Musical Quiz Night" on Friday 5th July from 6.30pm. We are looking for any school families in business or families who are able to help by **sponsoring** either an item/prize for a raffle or a larger prize that we can auction off. We can bundle items together so beauty/hair vouchers or items or restaurant vouchers, anything would be really appreciated! For more information and to purchase tickets, please follow this link:

[Mangorei School Musical Quiz Night Tickets](#)

We are also asking each family to **donate a nice grocery item** to contribute to a raffle prize. Can these items please be dropped into the school office by Thursday 13th June. Our school has a wish list and we would love to get as close to \$10,000 as we can to make these dreams come true - three key items are **New Library Books**, **PR1ME Mathematics Resources** and funding to get our **Matariki Mara (Matariki Raised Garden)** over the line. (The PTA donated some to this last year - now a final push to get construction underway - NPBHS are assisting with this - getting it resourced and ready for growing!)

Please book your table as soon as you can and bring your dancing shoes – we promise this will be a super fun night!

Please contact us if you can offer anything to help support this fundraiser!

Kim Cleaver: 027 857 1462 & **Rachel Deegan:** 027680 8200

Ngā Mihi,
Gary Poulgrain
TUMUAKI

EVENTS

| | | |
|------------------------------------|---|--|
| Thursday 6 th June | - | Cycle Skills Grade 2 - Year 7/8 - Toroa |
| | - | Year 5/6 Inter-school Exchange Mangorei School vs Waitara Central (HOME) |
| Friday 7 th June | - | Cycle Skills Grade 1 - Year 7/8- Tūturiwhatu |
| | - | Blue Light Police Challenge |
| Tuesday 11 th June | - | Pizza Lunch Day |
| Wednesday 12 th June | - | Year 7/8 Rippa Tournament |
| | - | Cycle Skills Grade 2 - Year 6 - Kōtare |
| Thursday 13 th June | - | Cycle Skills Grade 2 - Year 7/8 - Tūturiwhatu |
| | - | Year 5/6 Inter-school Exchange Mangorei School vs St John Bosco (AWAY) |
| Friday 14 th June | - | Year 7/8 Rippa Tournament (Postponement Date) |
| Monday 17 th June | - | Kiwi Exam- English |
| Wednesday 19 th June | - | Year 5/6 Rippa Tournament (Postponement Date) |
| Thursday 20 th June | - | Otago Problem Solving #3 |
| Friday 21 st June | - | Puanga Assembly at 12pm - All whānau welcome |
| | | Whanau Kai Tahi Day 12.30pm |
| Monday 24 th June | - | Kiwi Exam - Maths |
| Monday 24 th June until | - | Taranaki Hockey Sessions - All Year Groups |
| Friday 5 th July | | |
| Thursday 27 th June | - | Year 7/8 Volleyball Tournament |
| Friday 28th June | - | Matariki - School Closed |
| Monday 1 st July | - | Kiwi Exam - Science |
| Tuesday 2 nd July | - | Pizza Lunch Day |
| Wednesday 3 rd July | - | Year 5/6 Inter-school Exchange Mangorei School vs Inglewood (AWAY) |
| Friday 5th July | - | Last Day of Term |
| | - | PTA 'Musical Quiz Night' |
| Monday 22nd July | - | First Day of Term 3 |

WELCOME - NAU MAI HAERE MAI

A huge warm welcome to our new students that have started with us recently,
April Hagenson, Lila Hagenson, Walter Hagenson, Violet Venizelou & Richie Venizelou

MATARIKI - SCHOOL CLOSED

The school will be closed on Friday 28th June 2024 as this is a public holiday.
What new traditions can you set up for your family to follow at New Years?

HERO FOR NEW FAMILIES

Just a reminder to all of your new families, we use the student management app called HERO for our communication with you. This app has lots of cool features such as reporting absences, notices, accounts, newsletters, calendar events, reporting and much more!!!

Here is the link for you to sign up to the App:

[HERO LOGIN](#)

YEAR 5/6 INTERSCHOOL SPORTS EXCHANGE Vs WAITARA CENTRAL

We are very excited to be hosting Waitara Central tomorrow for our Interschool competition. Waitara Central will be arriving at 11:30 and we will have the mihi whakatau on our turf (or in the hall if a bit wet). All games will start at 12pm, on the turf for Netball A, the football field, and with chess being played in Kōtare. Our Netball B and Rugby students will be having a friendly game of Rippa in mixed teams. They won't need their Interschool gear and this is just for fun to keep them involved in our exchange. However, we are on the hunt for a referee! Please get in touch with penelope.moffat@mangorei.school.nz if you are able to referee this game, our usual rugby coach is unavailable.

As we are hosting, to show manaakitanga (hospitality) we will provide some kai (food) to share with our visitors. We are asking students involved in the sports exchange to please bring something to contribute for this. The kind of food we would like is anything that can be shared easily; such as small baked goods, sandwiches, cut fruit, savouries that can be eaten cold and other foods that children like to eat after a tough game! Thank you!

CYCLE SKILLS REMINDER - YEAR 7/8 (SEE EVENTS FOR CLASSROOM DATES)

Please remind your child to bring their **bike** and **helmet** on the day that they are due to do cycle skills! (There will be bikes provided to those that don't have one but these are limited in number). Everyone must have **covered shoes** for this session and our second session next week (Crocs **do not** count as covered shoes!). There are a few people that have not returned their forms and we need to have these back tomorrow!

PLEASE NOTE: If your child is involved in the Police Blue Light Challenge, they will come to school at the normal time and will attend that instead as they have already completed Cycle Skills Session 1.

YEAR 7/8 BLUE LIGHT POLICE CHALLENGE - FRIDAY 7th JUNE

Selected students have made it through the selection process and are part of our Blue Light Police Challenge Team. Students that are taking part in the PCT competition will wear a Mangorei T Shirt which they will be provided with, comfortable shorts/track pants/tights suitable for running, jumping and climbing. Closed in footwear that is non-marking is a **MUST**. As mentioned, Blue Light T-shirts are being provided again this year but we will compete in our school shirts.

Students need their lunch and drink bottle for the day. The cafeteria will be operating from 10am until 2.00pm, but there is a large number of students attending and lines might be quite long for this. Students may purchase food or drinks but they need to be responsible for their own money or card.

We will be leaving from school at 9.05am and returning before 3pm.

We are in need of one more parent transport for the day. If you are available to help please email emma.saywell@mangorei.school.nz with numbers you are able to transport.

Please make sure that you have sent in the consent form as we need to hand these to the organisers on the day.

Feel free to pop into the stadium during the day if you would like to see the day in action.

RIPPA RUGBY TOURNAMENT YEAR 5/6 (FOR SOME!)

A new date was chosen for the Year 5/6 Rippa Rugby and it is now on Wednesday 19th June. If you are able to help (or still help) with your child's team moving between games and subbing the students on and off for this new date can you please let **Mrs VGB** know: kirsten.vangreevenbroek@mangorei.school.nz

RIPPA RUGBY TOURNAMENT - YEAR 7/8

Your child is one of the Year 7/8 students who have put their name down for the annual New Plymouth Primary School Rippa Rugby event to be held on Wednesday 12th June at New Plymouth Race Course (**reserve day Friday 14th June**). Could you please follow this link for your child to ensure they are registered, as this is a TRFU requirement:

[Year 7/8 Rippa Rugby Registration Form](#)

We have had some Friday afternoon sessions to learn/revisit the rules and practice skills for Rippa. We have entered 5 teams, three boys teams and two girls teams for the event. There are no grades as such at this tournament.

We will be catching a bus to the racecourse for the event, and we are needing two parent helpers to help manage the players movement between games and for rolling subs. If you are able to help us out with your child's team can you please email **Emma Saywell** at emma.saywell@mangorei.school.nz

The cost of the bus is \$3.50 and will be charged to your child's account.

WHĀNAU KAI TAHI DAY - FRIDAY 21st JUNE - WE NEED YOUR HELP!!

Do you have some time to spare and help us on our Whānau Kai Tahī Day on Friday 21st June???? If so could you please contact **David Nips** for more details: dnips@me.com

This one would be a great one for Uncles, Aunties, Grandparents to come along and help with the BBQ and serving up the kai!

ACCOUNTS

Thank you to all those who have finalised their child's accounts, we appreciate your prompt payment as always. We would like to remind you that you can view your current invoices through your HERO app. If you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact the school office.

PUANGA DAY - FRIDAY 21st JUNE

As mentioned in our newsletter last week, our national Matariki celebration will be 28th June. However in Taranaki it is puanga (rigel) that we look for in the skies to help welcome in the the coming year. Therefore, our school will be celebrating puanga the week before Matariki by having a whole school Puanga Day.

This will involve all our students completing different activities throughout the day. To begin the day they will spend time with their classroom learning about puanga. After morning tea our tuakana/teina classes will work together to create whētu (stars) that will be displayed in the hall. The afternoon will be spent in our syndicates completing different traditional activities (weaving, games, art, waiata and so on).

Leading up to our Puanga Day our school whariki will go on tour around all the classes, for our akonga to take a closer look at and look after.

As part of this day we will also be holding a special puanga assembly at 12pm. We felt that this celebration was the perfect time of the term to have our **Whānau Kai Tahi**. Whānau are welcome to come and enjoy our assembly as well then spend time with your tamariki for lunch. Children will be expected to stay at school after whānau kai tahi, and take part in their syndicate activities in the afternoon.

ENVIRO GROUP - PUANGA SOUP

We would love your help Mangorei whānua, please email Mr Henson if you have any questions.



PUANGA VEGE SOUP

The Enviro Group would like to make and sell vegetable soup at our school Puanga Day Celebration on 21 June. Our end goal would be to grow our own vegetables to share at this celebration, but this year, we would love your help sourcing some produce. One of the below would be perfect. The tamariki will make the soup at school the day before.

WE NEED :

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| ✓ onions | ✓ celery |
| ✓ carrots | ✓ swede |
| ✓ kūmara | ✓ broccoli or cauliflower |
| ✓ potato | ✓ cabbage or silverbeet |
| ✓ parsley | |

PLEASE SEND TO THE OFFICE 17-20 JUNE

Any Questions?
email: craig.henson@mangorei.school.nz

ROAD SAFETY AROUND SCHOOL REMINDERS:

- 30km speed limit during peak times
- Use the Kia crossing when crossing the road
- No parking on yellow lines
- No crossing in between cars
- No parking across driveways/on corners

Thank
You

A huge 'Thank you' to **Merrilands New World** for our donation of apples for our tamariki this week.

....And also to **Stephanie Taylor** who volunteers in our uniform area ensuring our tamariki look their best when they represent our kura.

REMINDER OF OUR TEACHERS EMAILS ADDRESS

CLASSROOM/YR

Pīwakawaka - (NE)

Toutouwai - (Year 1)

Ruru - (Year 2)

Miromiro - (Year 2/3)

Tūī Year - (Year 2/3)

Kōkako -

Korimako - (Year 4/5)

Kāhu - (Year 4/5)

Kōtare (Year 5/6)

kirstenvangreevenbroek@mangorei.school.nz

Kererū - (Year 5/6)

Koroā - (Year 7/8)

Toroa - (Year 7/8)

Tūturiwhatu - (Year 7/8)

TEACHER

Mrs Anne Stuck

Mrs Shannon Small

Mrs Angela Duncan

Mrs Katrina Aitchison

Mrs Shay Orrell

Miss Aaliyah Reade

Miss Tessa Lilley

Shared space

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PTA NEWS

“THE MUSIC QUIZ NIGHT”

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Warm regards **Kim Cleaver** (027 857 1462) & **Rachel Deegan** (027 680 8200)

COMMUNITY NEWS


LEARN THE ART OF THE SAMURAI

CLASSES AT MANGOREI SCHOOL
Children's classes (ages 7+ years)
Kenjutsu (Sword) - Thursdays 6.00pm
Classes also at: Ferndale, Bell Block & Spotswood

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ARE YOU INTERESTED IN PLAYING

GIRLS RUGBY

We're working on our registrations for Girl's Only Rugby for 2024
Season kicks off 7 June

Grades for this season are:

- Ferdie 1 & 2 - Ripa Rugby for Year 1/2 Girls
- Ferdie 3 & 4 - Ripa Rugby for Year 3/4 Girls
- Ferdie 5 & 6 - Tackle for Year 5/6 Girls
- Ferdie 7 & 8 - Tackle for Year 7/8 Girls

All Games are played at the same venue on a Friday Night
Subs are \$20.00

You can play BOTH Girls Rugby and Mixed Rugby that's played on a Saturday

For More Information:

Email: cliftonjuniorrugby@gmail.com
or message us on our Facebook Page

