



MANGOREI SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

Week 7 , Term 3
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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

Kia Ora Koutou Mangorei Whānau,

I want to acknowledge the passing of one of the great leaders of our generation of Te Arikinui Kiingi Tuheitia. He has been credited by our Prime Minister **Chris Luxon** as bringing Māori together with a focus on unity and kotahitanga. Tuheitia was a very humble leader and it was through this that he held his influence, not just with Māori but with the leaders of our nation. Tuheitia had been Māori King for 18 years and will be remembered for his legacy of work around working towards greater equity for Māori and building a stronger treaty partnership. Our school flag has been flown at half mast over this week and our school staff will wear black on Thursday which will be the day of his burial. We don't have the expectation for our tamariki to do this also.

The Draft English Curriculum has arrived at schools and so, together with the Draft Maths Curriculum from a few weeks ago there has been some hefty reading done in a short time. We are able to provide feedback in a very short window of four weeks and so our three roopu (Te Tihi o Taranaki Y0-3, Ahuwhenua Y4-6, and Te Tai o Rēhua Y7-8) are giving their professional feedback to the Ministry of Education this week. On the surface it is good to have greater clarity around the sequence of learning that ākonga have at each phase of learning, as well as have these grounded in the science of learning - the greatest hindrance is the timeframe and the big pressure point put on educators with two crucial curriculum areas (totalling 210 pages) in the space of weeks, and then implement into planning for teaching the new Maths Curriculum and English (Years 0-6) from start of 2025.

I want to acknowledge the wonderful work of our PTA - I'm not certain the value of this group is really fully known throughout the school! This group builds a parent team through working together. It fundraises for the school for sure, but while doing so it helps to bring together our community members. This last week alone **Natalie McLeod** and **Angela Kirby**, with others, coordinated the set up of the phone book deliveries, patiently waiting for the pallet of books to arrive and unload, and then sort the system for us as a community to do the drops. **Linda Armstrong** and her team sorted pizza money, and then did the deliveries around the school the other week and are gearing up for another. **Rachel Deegan** coordinated another successful High Tea at Tūpare with great community support in behind this - thank you all so much!

Finally I want to say a big thank you to the staff - I was away with my family who had come together due to a family tragedy. Our staff have been a wonderful support, and in turn continued the wonderful work in school. We have a strong and experienced leadership team at school and an excellent office team. A big thanks to **Emma Saywell** who coordinated the complexities of the week with me away. Ka rawe kia koe, and ka rawe kia koutou to the Mangorei staff - much appreciated.

This included coordinating the Endurance and Resilience Run on Friday with the most changeable of days. Thank you for rolling with the changes while the staff made timetable adjustments etc. To **Anne Stuck** and the Te Tihi o Taranaki Roopu a big thanks for organising the day and getting the kids through it. I know they are looking to do the obstacle course on a fine day to continue promote fun through movement with the school.

Ngā Mihi,
Gary Poulgrain (TUMUAKI)

EVENTS

Thursday 5 th September	-	TOPEC Trip - Miromiro
	-	Year 7/8 Omata Cross Country
	-	Rugby Sessions Te Tihi o Taranaki and Te Tai o Rehua
Saturday 7 th - 13 th September	-	AIMS Games
Tuesday 10 th September	-	TOPEC Trip - Pīwakawaka
Thursday 12 th September	-	Walking Bus Day
Friday 13 th September	-	Tatarakihi Kapa Haka Competition
Monday 16 th September	-	NPPA - Cross Country @Vogletown Park
Tuesday 17 th September	-	NPPA - Cross Country @Vogletown Park (postponement date)
Wednesday 18 th September	-	Raising Resilient Children With Kathryn Berkett
Friday 20 th September	-	SCHOOL PHOTOS
	-	Pizza Lunch Day
Monday 23 rd September	-	Board Meeting @6pm in the Library
Tuesday 24 th September	-	Year 6 Swim Safe Group 1 - Aquatic Centre (11am - 12pm)
	-	Year 6 Swim Safe Group 2 - Aquatic Centre (1pm - 2pm)
Wednesday 25 th September	-	Year 6 Swim Safe Group 1 - Aquatic Centre (11am - 12pm)
	-	Year 6 Swim Safe Group 2 - Aquatic Centre (1pm - 2pm)
Thursday 26 th September	-	Year 6 Swim Safe Group 1 - Aquatic Centre (11am - 12pm)
	-	Year 6 Swim Safe Group 2 - Aquatic Centre (1pm - 2pm)
Friday 27 th September	-	LAST DAY OF TERM 3
Monday 14 th October	-	FIRST DAY OF TERM 4
Thursday 17 th October	-	Otago Problem solving #6 (FINAL)
Friday 25 th October	-	PETS DAY
Friday 15 th November	-	TEACHER ONLY DAY (FOCUS on CURRICULUM REFRESH)
Friday 20 th December	-	LAST DAY OF TERM 4

WELCOME - HAERE MAI! To Kingsley Haddon who has started with us in Pīwakawaka this week.

REMINDERS

- SPORT TOPS/UNIFORMS - Thank you to those who have already returned their sports tops/uniforms. We would like all of these returned, clean, in a bag with your child's name, room number and placed in the uniform bin in the front foyer as soon as possible please.
- TEACHER ONLY DAY (CURRICULUM REFRESH) - We are holding a Teacher Only Day next term on **Friday 15th November**. Our kura will be closed for students on this day, so please make alternative arrangements for your tamariki.

THANK YOU!

We would like to thank Merrilands New World who continue to supply free apples to our school. We appreciate their generosity and support.

CALLING ALL TOUCH PLAYERS FOR TERM 4! REGISTER TODAY!!!

As mentioned in last weeks newsletter, we are looking for students who are keen to play **Touch Rugby** in Term 4. This takes place on **Monday nights** at **Devon Intermediate School**. Grades are U6s, U8s, U10s, U12s, and Year 7/8. All teams play 5 a side with mixed teams of boys and girls. The subs are yet to be confirmed but once we have the information, players will be invoiced through their school account. The Games are two 15 minute halves which makes it fast and exciting.

If you are interested, please fill in the form on the link to register. By completing this form you are **confirming** that your child can **definitely** play.

[Touch Rugby 2024](#)

Devon is a very popular venue and teams fill up fast so we need to know player numbers by **Wednesday 11th September**. Once players are identified we will allocate you a team.

If you have any questions please email craig.henson@mangorei.school.nz

OMATA CROSS COUNTRY - YEAR 7/8 - TOMORROW

The Full Primary Country is being held tomorrow at Omata School. This event is for our Year 7 and 8 runners. We will be traveling by bus to the event and your child's account will be charged once we have a final cost.

We recommend that all runners wear sports shoes as the course contains hard edged gravel. Please bring warm clothing, your own water bottles and a substantial packed lunch.

Parking is on Omata School field, parents and children can walk down the gravel drive to the start of course on the Matthews property, Waireka Road East.

****Please Note!!!****

This is private property that we are very fortunate to have access to for the event. We will walk the course on the day, prior to racing. **NO DOGS or VEHICLES** are to enter the property (except for emergency vehicles).

The following students have been selected from the results of our own Cross Country to attend this event. Please note some of these students will be away at Aims Games or are unable to attend as they have other commitments but we would still like to recognise them as part of the team.

13 YEAR OLD GIRLS	13 YEAR OLD BOYS
<i>Ayaka McKenzie</i> <i>Mackenzie Austin</i> <i>Rosabella Gavisian-Moratti</i>	<i>Brodie Stewart</i> <i>Jacob Gregory</i>
12 YEAR OLD GIRLS	12 YEAR OLD BOYS
<i>Evie Ander</i> <i>Emmanuelle Ashman</i> <i>Olivia Kilgour</i> <i>Savannah Lightfoot</i>	<i>Archer Jones</i> <i>Carlo Brana</i> <i>Donny McLeod</i> <i>Freddie Westell</i> <i>Isaac Peters</i> <i>Israel Grimmer</i> <i>Kaeden Noblet</i> <i>Reagan May</i>
11 YEAR OLD GIRLS	11 YEAR OLD BOYS
<i>Amelia Tooley</i> <i>Ilse Janse van Rensburg</i> <i>Olivia Carruthers</i>	<i>Carter Crawford</i> <i>Fletcher Barnes</i> <i>Hadley Erb</i>

TATARAKIHI KAPA HAKA COMPETITION

Our Tatarakihi Kapa Haka competition is on Friday 13th September at Owae Marae in Waitara. We would love for families to attend and come and watch our performance. A bus will pick us up from school at 11.30am and we compete at roughly 12.45pm and will head back to school at approximately 1.30pm. A small fee will be charged onto your child's account for the travel costs. If you have any queries please email Miss Reade on: aaliyah.reade@mangorei.school.nz

AIMS GAMES COMPETITORS - GOOD LUCK TO YOU ALL!

The annual AIMS games are approaching quickly and we'd like to wish **Brodie Stewart, Blake Hotter & Daniel Feltoe** 'good luck' in competing next week in their chosen sports.

ENDURANCE AND RESILIENCE RESULTS

Congratulations all those who competed in the Endurance and Resilience Run last Friday, you all did amazing - especially with the mixed bag of weather!! The results are as follows:

AGE GROUP	PLACING	GIRLS	BOYS
13 Year Olds	1 st 2 nd 3 rd	<i>Evie Ander</i> <i>Mackenzie Austin</i> <i>Ayaka McKenzie</i>	<i>Jacob Gregory</i> <i>Brodie Stewart</i> <i>Freddie Westell</i>
12 Year Olds	1 st 2 nd 3 rd	<i>Emmanuelle Ashman</i> <i>Savannah Lightfoot</i> <i>Olivia Kilgour</i>	<i>Kaeden Noblet</i> <i>Israel Grimmer</i> <i>Reagan May</i>
11 Year Olds	1 st 2 nd 3 rd	<i>Ilse Janse van Rensburg</i> <i>Olivia Carruthers</i> <i>Amelia Tooley</i>	<i>Hadley Erb</i> <i>Carter Crawford</i> <i>Fletcher Barnes</i>
10 Year Olds	1 st 2 nd 3 rd	<i>Erin van Deventer</i> <i>Olivia Grimmer</i> <i>Sophia Danych</i>	<i>Julien Johnson-Saywell</i> <i>Ishy Lashin</i> <i>Jerome Ma</i>
9 Year Olds	1 st 2 nd 3 rd	<i>Seul Lee</i> <i>Lily Tutavaha</i> <i>Ellie Parker</i>	<i>Mason Noblet</i> <i>Ofek Cohen</i> <i>Tate Espin</i>
8 Year Olds	1 st 2 nd 3 rd	<i>Lila Hagensen</i> <i>Molly Rosser</i> <i>McKenzie Parker</i>	<i>Levi Crawford</i> <i>Geetham Addagada</i> <i>Lachlan Hamnett</i>
7 Year Olds	1 st 2 nd 3 rd	<i>Lexi Dodunski</i> <i>Sophia Matthews</i> <i>An Thapa</i>	<i>Seb Weaver</i> <i>Ritchie Fifita</i> <i>Lucah Giles</i>
6 Year Olds	1 st 2 nd 3 rd	<i>Mila Noblet</i> <i>Isla Rosser</i> <i>Evelyn Yu</i>	<i>Richie Venizelou</i> <i>Walter Hagenson</i> <i>Hugo Rolfe</i>



HOUSE PLACINGS

TŪPARE	BURGESS	MANGAMAHOE	NGAHERE
1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th

YEARS 0-8 CRICKET – TERM 4 2024

Is your child interested in playing cricket In Term 4?

If so, please complete the registration through following the link to the PlayHQ website below by **Friday 20th September**. Only those children who have registered and paid their subscription online by this date will be able to be placed into teams.



The subscription for this term will be:

Years 0-2 Students \$20 per player

Year 3-8 Students \$30 per player

Due by Friday 20th September, Payments are to be made to Mangorei School: **15-3957-0536753-00**

SUPERSTAR KIWI (Years 1 & 2) and **SUPERSTAR INCREDIBALL** (Years 3-6) will be played on a Friday evening between 5pm and 7pm. The first game of the season will be played on **Friday 25th October**.

SUPER SMASH (Years 5 & 6) & **SUPER BASH** (Years 7 & 8) will be played on Saturday mornings with the first game starting on **Saturday 26th October**.

Each team requires a Coach and Manager for the season before we enter teams,. Parents/Caregivers who are able to assist teams with coaching, managing, scoring or umpiring this season, could you please also register interest using the same link below, or please email me to let me know in a capacity you can assist the team in. Should you have any questions or concerns please contact cody.chilcott@mangorei.school.nz, or the school office.

If you are new to cricket, an explanation of expectations for each grade and rules can be found on the Taranaki Cricket website: <http://www.taranakicricket.co.nz> - Click on the 'Junior' tab at the top of the home page then follow the links. To register your child, please follow the link below. You may link your previous seasons CricHQ stats at this stage of registration

[Term 4 Cricket Registration - Play HQ](#)

***** PLEASE NOTE – Registering is a commitment that your child will play in a team for the full term and once teams are confirmed and registered, fees will be due for payment and not refundable. *****

YEAR 1 & 2 NETBALL - TERM 4 2024

Registrations are now open for Year 1&2 Netball!!

We are also requiring the wonderful expertise of volunteers and helpers to make these teams a success; if you are happy to help or wanting to learn to **coach or umpire please email** angela.duncan@mangorei.school.nz **before Wednesday 18th September**.

Coaches are required to attend a star helper workshop. Information for Star Helper workshops is now live on the Netball Taranaki [website](#) and you can now register ([click here](#))

Games are played on Wednesdays from 3.30pm onwards. There is plenty of excitement to go around with **dress up days** and **30-minute skill development sessions** delivered by the friendly Junior Co-ordinators.

The Netball season begins on Wednesday 16th October (Term 4) through until 11th December - 9 weeks. Any further questions feel free to contact me.

Angela Duncan (Toutouwai, angela.duncan@mangorei.school.nz)



Registrations close Wednesday 18th Sept. Please follow the link [Registration Link](#)

A REMINDER ABOUT BEING SAFE AT 3PM

At 3pm when the bell goes can we please ask our community to do some important actions to ensure the safety of our tamariki and other footpath and road users.

1. **Use the Kea Crossing when it is operational between 3pm and 3.10pm** if needing to cross the road. Our tamariki are impressionable and so if you cross over on the Tūpare bend or at other places on the busy Mangorei Road it is sending messages to them about taking these chances themselves
2. Do not park on the yellow lines/or double park in the school driveway/ or the neighbours driveways or attempt to squeeze past cones in the bus bay. Please be considerate of the visibility that our patrollers need to see up and down Mangorei Road.



PHOTOLIFE SCHOOL PHOTOS - FRIDAY 20th SEPTEMBER

Photolife will be coming into school on Friday 20th September to take school photos and your child will be bringing home an information sheet about this. If you would like sibling photos (the children must be attending this school) the completed form must be returned to the office by Thursday 19th September. Unfortunately we are unable to predict what time photos will be taken for each class.

SAVE THE DATE

WEDNESDAY 18th SEPTEMBER

RAISING RESILIENT CHILDREN WITH KATHRYN BERKETT

We are lucky to have Kathryn Berkett working at our school on Wednesday 18th September. *Kathryn Berkett* is an Educational Psychologist who has been presenting to audiences since 2007. Kathryn has a unique ability to convey complex information in an easy-to-listen to, easy-to-understand way. She will be working with our staff during an after school session as well as presenting for parents in the evening. More information will follow in next week's newsletter.

HOW ARE YOUR ANIMALS FOR PETS DAY!?

Pets day will be upon us next term, if you are in need of a pet lamb - please see information below for a great way to celebrate the Rural roots of Mangorei School!

PET LAMBS AVAILABLE FOR PET DAY

- 4 days old
- Drinking Milligans Go Whey
- Available for loan, or for sale \$50
- Breed: Perendale/Romney

Phone or text Sarah 027 6548485 Tarata (Delivery can be arranged)

PTA NEWS

PIZZA LUNCH DAY

On Friday 20th September 2024 Mangorei School PTA are running the second Pizza Lunch Day for this term. A slice of ham and cheese pizza is \$2.50 for standard or gluten free.

If you wish to order some pizza, please fill in the form sent home with you child and place it in the 'Pizza Lunch Day' box in the school office foyer **by 9am Wednesday 18th September 2024** with the exact amount of cash in an envelope or sealed bag.

If the form didn't make it home, no problem! Just include a note with you order money including your child's name and room, number of slices and whether you require gluten free. Thanks for your support!

IMPORTANT UPCOMING ROAD CLOSURE INFORMATION

 **SH3 UPCOMING LANE CLOSURES | NZ Transport Agency Waka Kotahi** have announced upcoming lane closures at SH3 Burgess Park (between Mangorei and Kent Roads) for 8 weeks from 16 September 2024.

During this time, SH3 between Mangorei and Kent Roads will be under a 24/7 single lane closure to southbound traffic from midnight to midday, and to northbound traffic from midday to midnight every day for the duration of works.



IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR OUR BUS STUDENTS DURING THE ROAD CLOSURE

Our students who travel to and from school on the bus will go via the normal route into Mangorei School in the morning. We would suggest the departure time from the Hall in the morning, be brought forward by 10 minutes during these works to ensure we meet the transfer with Withers at your school on time. The morning departure time during these works will be 7.50am. The afternoon bus will collect the students from Mangorei School as normal, travel out to Mangorei Hall as normal, the traffic will determine if we arrive at the hall slightly later or not.



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- Edventure Art. \$65/day. a workshop where children create, draw and paint. (Fitzroy only)