



The Pukeko Call

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SUCCESSING TOGETHER - TE ANGITU TAHI

Motto: 'Learning for the future' *Akoranga wa hou*

Tena Koutou

Board of Trustee Elections

You will all receive election Nomination Forms this week. If you are interested in having a say in the future of our school, this is the perfect way to do it. Anyone can stand for election to the board of trustees, you can nominate yourself or someone else. Nominations close at noon on 24 May.

Pink Shirt Day

On 17th May we will be holding a Pink Shirt Day at the end of our Bully Free NZ week. We would like as many children as possible wearing pink shirts for the day. We will send out some further details about the day next week.

Anxiety Information Evening


Please see the poster below regarding an evening organised by our Kahu Ako. Anxiety has become a huge issue in our society and the speaker at this event comes highly recommended.

Mothers Day

All of our amazing mums have a great day on Sunday, that you are all totally spoilt and have a relaxing time with you families. Make sure you put your feet up, you deserve to.

Debbie Hamer

Principal





MAHURANGI KĀHUI AKO

Understanding
Anxiety
in our learners

INFORMATION EVENING
Everyone Welcome

15th May 6.30 - 8.30pm
Horizon School Auditorium
Create Campus Goodall Road

**Speaker : Dr Ruth
Lawson-McConnell**

Ruth is a sought-after counsellor with over 28 years experience of counselling adults, children, adolescents and families.

Suitable for teachers, parents and older students. She will be speaking on what is happening in the brain for **Anxious Learners** and will be providing tools for how we can practically work with them to achieve greater success and wellbeing.

Important Dates Term 2, 2019:

First Day of Term 2 - Monday 29th April

Last Day of Term 2 - Friday 5th July

Week 2:

9th May - Whitebait Connection Introduction Day

12th May - Mother's Day

Week 3:

15th May - Inter-school Ripa Competition

16th May - BoT meeting at 7pm at school

Week 4:

20th May - Whitebait Connection field trip preparation

Week 5:

28th May - Whitebait Connection Field Trip

29th May - Inter-school Netball

30th May - rain day for field trip

Week 6:

7th June - BoT Elections

Week 7:

11th June - Whitebait Connection Field Trip

Week 8:

19th June - Inter-school Soccer

Week 9:

24th June - The Sound of Music at Mahurangi College

27th June - BoT meeting at 7pm at school

Week 10:

5th July - Reports home

ASSEMBLIES IN TERM 2

Week 1 - House Buddy Reading

Week 2 - House Assembly

Week 3 - House Buddy Reading

Week 4 - House Assembly

Week 5 - House Buddy Reading

Week 6 - House Assembly

Week 7 - House Buddy Reading

Week 8 - House Assembly

Week 9 - House Buddy Reading

Week 10 - House Assembly

Spare Clothes

Now we're heading towards Winter, please pop a spare set of labelled clothes into your child's school bag just in case they fall over and get all muddy.

Please label coats, shoes, gumboots and jumpers so that we can get lost property back to you rather than building a lost property mountain in school.

Property

General Notices

Pool Keys - Keys for our pool need to be returned this week please.

Stationery Accounts - stationery accounts need to be paid as soon as possible as does the **school donation**.

End of Day Routine - During the winter months teachers and bus monitors will line the children, travelling by bus, up in their classrooms. The monitors will then take the children directly to the bus where I will wait for them. This change is so that the children are not lining up in the rain and cold. It is more important than ever, that you let us know as early as you can, if your plans have changed. Please ring the office on 09 422 5819 or send a note in with your children. Please do not send a verbal message with your children as they often get confused.

Parents collecting their children from school, please park your car and come into the school grounds to collect them. They will be waiting with their teacher at the front of the school or in their classroom if the weather is bad. There is considerable congestion and lots of vehicular movements on School Road at 3pm-3.20pm and we want the children to be safe.

Thank you

Pukeko Points Winners Term 1

The overall winners for Term One was **KAURI!**
Congratulations to Mrs Morley, Nic and Lottie and their house! They will be celebrating with pizza at their house assembly on Friday. I'm sure they would be happy for parents to join them.

Board of Trustees Elections



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Schools need us all to **step forward.**

Nominate yourself or someone you know to be a school trustee.
Contact your local school for a nomination form.

Step forward for our schools ✓
Find out more www.trustee-election.co.nz

Jan Kose
Returning Officer
Kaipara Flats School

 SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTIONS

Pukeko Points

Our 3Rs

Respect Yourself

(respect, integrity, ambition)

Respect Others

(respect, inclusion, integrity and community)

Respect Our Environment

(respect, inclusion, integrity and community)

KAURI Have cleaned up in our first week back at school. Mrs Morley, Nic and Lotties are doing an amazing job at leading their house and sharing our school values.

Community Notices

Piano Lessons at School

Last term I asked for expressions of interest in relation to piano lessons at school and at the time, had a good response. We have now secured a piano, a space and a teacher. Ana Williamson is a fully qualified piano teacher who teaches at Mahurangi College as well as from home. If you are interested in lessons at school, please contact Ana for further details on 021293 1443 or 09 422 2219 where you can leave a message.

Guitar and Drum Lessons at School

Lessons are continuing at school. If you would like your child to have guitar or drum lessons, please contact Stephen Fulford for further details. stephen.fulford@musiqhub.co.nz or 022-190-7218

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Our Staff in 2019

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