



The Pukeko Call

OUR VISION - SUCCEEDING TOGETHER - TE ANGITU TAHI

INTER-SCHOOL TABLOID GAMES

Kereru, Kotare and Tui went to the inter-school tabloid games on Wednesday with Ms Mehaary and Ms Donnell. They had great fun participating in lots of activities with children from other schools. They followed our school values by respecting the other children and adults who were there to help them. Thanks to the parents that came to support our school, to Ms Meharry and Ms Donnell, Carol and Anne who took our children to the event and helped them enjoy the day.

GRADUATION TREE PLANTING

Our Y6 children were gifted two trees by Bunning Warehouse as part of the garden to table initiative, to plant in order to celebrate their graduation from Kaipara Flats Primary. They were gifted a flowering cherry tree and an apple tree. Two ladies from Bunning came to school to help us plant the trees (thanks to Mr Brown for digging the holes). Once the trees were planted, Mrs Brown spoke to the Y6 children about reaching for the stars, chasing their dreams. She brought tears to our eyes. The Y6 children spoke about fond memories of our school and the things they would miss. Mrs Douglas has a tear in her eye as they spoke. She has done a magnificent job in preparing the children for their next steps but it takes the whole team to get them there. Thanks to Mrs Brown for organising this event for us.



Hibiscus Coast Athletics Competition

Congratulations to Marshall, Max W and Chelsea for representing our school at this event as part of the Mahurangi Team. You put in a great effort with very stiff competition, showing real resilience.



Our last few weeks of school are really busy. To help with this, please find a list of upcoming events:

- **Week 8 - 2nd - 6th December**

6th December - 7th December Y6 Farewell Family Camp at Tawharanui

- **Week 9 - 9th - 13th December**

11th December - Junior Jingle - 1.30-3pm at school

12th December - Senior Prize Giving - 1-3pm Ranfurly Hall

- **Week 10 - 16th - 18th December**

17th December - Special Assembly at 11am followed by a whole school shared Christmas lunch

18th December - Last Day - school closes 12.30pm

Debbie

Principal

Notices

Stationery Accounts

End of year stationery accounts have been sent home. These are due now please. You can send cash or pay online to Kaipara Flats School 12-3011-0165322-00.

Lost Property

We still have lots of lost property at school. If you are missing clothes, shoes, hats etc please check in the lost property at school. Unclaimed items will be disposed of at the end of term.

School Donations can still be paid. It is \$75 per child or \$150 for a family. As a decile 9 school sadly we do not qualify for the new Government scheme which pays a donation of \$150 per child

Term Dates 2020

For those of you making plans for 2020, here are the school dates. You will notice that we have more than the usual Teacher Only Days. This is to comply with the new teachers employment contract which awarded 8 extra teacher only days over 3 years. We have tried, where we can, to match the Teacher Only days with the college and other Primary Schools in the area to reduce stress on parents having to find child care.

Term 1 - 3rd February - 9th April

Term 2 - 28th April - 3rd July

Term 3 - 20th July - 25th September

Term 4 - 12th October - 15th December

Teacher Only Days

- 7th February
- 31st August
- 20th November

Pukeko Points

Week 7 Term 4 WINNERS **RIMU** Well done to Mrs Douglas, Olivia and

William

Our 3Rs

Respect Yourself

(respect, integrity, ambition)

Respect Others

(respect, inclusion, integrity and community)

Respect Our Environment

(respect, inclusion, integrity and community)

Health and Safety

- **Sun Safe** - It is really important that we keep our children safe from the sun. Please make sure you have applied sunscreen before they arrive at school and that they do have a school hat. We now have bucket style school hats on sale at school.
- **Road Safety** - If you collect your child from school, please make sure you come into the school grounds to collect your child from their teacher. Waiting in your car, calling them to you or waiting on the kerbside causes a danger as there is so much traffic movement around the school at the end of the day.
- **Bus** - If your children travel by school bus, it is important to let us know before 2pm on the day if any changes have been made and your child is not travelling by bus. If the bus roll indicates that no changes have been made, I am obliged to put your child on the bus. It is very stressful for them if they know that they are not on the bus, but you have not made contact with us. If you are not home and the bus drops your child off, that is a danger. Contacting school after 2pm, may mean that we do not get the message in time, especially if Jan is away from the office.

Important Dates Term 4, 2019:
First Day of Term 4 - Monday 14th October
Last Day of Term 4 - Wednesday 18th December at 12.30pm

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ASSEMBLIES IN TERM 4
Week 7 Assembly
Week 8 - House Buddy Reading
Week 9 - Prize Giving and Junior Jingle

Community Notices

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Our Staff in 2019

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<p>Tina Donnell: Tui Class Teacher tinad@kaiparaflats.school.nz</p> <p>Sandy Meharry: Sandym@kaiparaflats.school.nz Kotare Class Teacher</p> <p>Gael Adamson: Takahe Class Teacher gaela@kaiparaflats.school.nz</p> <p>Christine Wilson: Takahe Class Teacher christinew@kaiparaflats.school.nz</p> <p>Roxanne Morley: Piwakawaka Class Teacher roxannem@kaiparaflats.school.nz</p> <p>Stevie Douglas:Kea Class Teacher stevied@kaiparaflats.school.nz</p>	<p>Margaret Gibbens: Cleaner JD: Just about everything!</p>
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