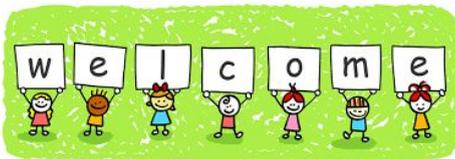




PAPARANGI SCHOOL
NEWSLETTER

Dear Parents, Whānau and Caregivers



Nau mai, haere mai, A very warm welcome to the following student and their family who has started at Paparanghi School: Fletcher Yong in Uenuku (year 1)



Rakau Nui Production – “A Journey Through Time”

Last week was the 'Journey Through Time' production. All the Rakau Nui children had a great time putting on a show for their friends and families. We hope everyone enjoyed watching one of the shows. Everything went to plan because we practised lots and lots displaying plenty of **perseverance**! At first some of us were a little nervous but we showed **courage** and ended up having lots of fun! Speaking of courage, a special thank you to performers who filled in at the last minute when someone was away! Thanks also to all our teachers, parents and teacher aides who helped out with props, scripts, costumes, dances, music, filming, learning lines ..in fact thanks for everything! What a great **community** we belong to! (Written by Sia, Jacqui and Angus, Year 6)

Learning highlights:

- ★ We worked together and helped each other by teaching each other the dance moves - Zahra
- ★ I learnt that it is hard to speak loud and clear to a big audience - Emma D
- ★ I learnt that you can't do everything yourself when you're doing a big performance like this. I also learnt that it's fun performing in front of an audience even though it's nerve-wracking!- Bailey
- ★ What I learned is that by stepping up and working harder and harder, it made the production better and better! - Vinayak
- ★ I learned to speak clear and slow because the microphone makes our voices fuzzy - Caleb

Guidelines for Photographs and Videos at School

Events like a school production are a good time to be reminded about our duty of care. With access to technology and multiple social media platforms images and recordings can be readily shared online. However the school and our community has a duty of care to protect students from unexpected use of any images or recordings of them while they are at school.

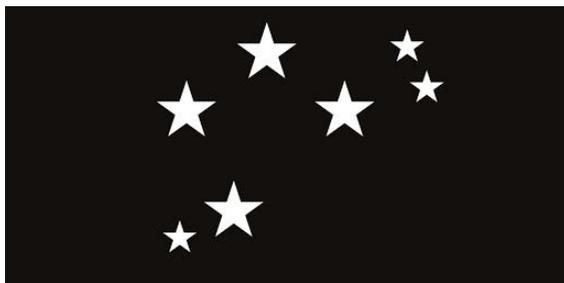
During 'public event' times: There are many times when we invite parents and others to 'public' events in the school or events outside the school that students are taking part in. Examples would be school sports events such as the cross-country, trips to public places such as the Zoo, assemblies and performances such as School productions, Dance Splash and Kapa Haka festivals. These are occasions where many parents would reasonably like to capture the performance of their child(ren). At these 'public' times those attending are able to take photos and videos and the school has no authority to limit their use. *However we do request that parents are especially considerate of the privacy of others and refrain from sharing images and recordings of other students online. Some families do not give permission for images of their children to be displayed online.*

The school does display photos of learning in action on its website, facebook page and online learning portfolios. The school seeks consent from parents for permission to use children's images upon enrolment. Please contact the office to update your consent at any time.

Assembly Invitation - Teams are taking turns once each term to run assemblies so we can make sure that we can comfortably fit classes and an audience in the hall without restricting viewing enjoyment. This term Pounamu are hosting and presenting the end of term assembly. **Parents are warmly invited to their assembly on Friday 6 July at 9.15am.** Please note that Uenuku children will be the audience and Rakau Nui students will be attending the dress rehearsal.



MATARIKI CELEBRATIONS



We are in the season of MATARIKI, the Māori New Year. The stars have risen in the early morning sky. It is a time to remember things past and forward into the future. It is also a time to plant for the future. We will be celebrating Matariki next week.

Our celebrations start with an assembly and tree planting on Monday. This is behind the Uenuku block and will be used as a 'wilderness' play zone when the trees have grown a bit stronger. Watch this space!

After the tree planting each team will have lunch together as part of the tradition of getting together and sharing.

- Rakau Nui will be sitting together to eat their lunch, either on the courts outside Rooms 11 and 12 or in Room 10 if it is raining.
- Pounamu will be sharing fruit platters after the assembly and tree planting. Please could your child bring one piece of fruit to share.
- Uenuku will have a shared lunch. Could your child bring a plate of finger food suitable for lunch with about 10 pieces please? If you have a special dish from your family's culture you would like to prepare that would be fabulous.

NZEI Paid Union Meeting (PUM)

Thank you to everyone for making arrangements for your child/ren on Tuesday 19 June, enabling teachers to attend their Paid Union Meeting. Your support was much appreciated. At this meeting the teachers discussed and voted on the offer for settlement of their Collective Agreement. There are three big issues to resolve so that teaching remains a viable career choice and our children receive the attention to their learning needs they require.

- Pay and career framework to recruit and retain teachers.
- Time to teach - addressing very real workload issues.
- Support for children with learning needs.

We will hear during next week, what teachers and principals around the country have decided.

Royal Jelly!

The whole school attended this awesome show on Monday, 18 June.

Reminder: The actual cost to attend the show was \$5 per child but thanks to Home and School fundraising this event is subsidised. **If you have not already done so please send \$2.50 in a named envelope to the office.**

Student-Led-Workshops

'A CELEBRATION OF LEARNING'

When: Tuesday 3 July and Wednesday 4 July

Tuesday 3 July	Wednesday 4 July
3:30-4pm	3:30-4pm
5:30 pm to 6pm	5:30 pm to 6pm
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Student Led Workshops are a time for parents and whanau to find out more about their child's learning. It is your child's opportunity to tell their parents about their learning, a 'special time' when they do the talking and for parents to listen, encourage and ask questions.

Student Led Workshops are most successful when children have their parents' complete attention - therefore we ask that siblings do not attend the Student Led Workshops. The library in Room 9 will be open for supervision of other school-age children. If you have younger children it would be appreciated if families could make alternative arrangements for their care and supervision for the duration of your child's Student Led Workshop (about 30 minutes).

Bookings for Student Led Workshops are available online. The number of families booked at any one time is restricted. See the instructions for online bookings at the end of this newsletter.



"Kiwis for Kiwi"

Kiwis for Kiwi is the national charity working to protect kiwi and the places they live. Alexia and Hector Kalyonis have been fundraising and supporting the Charity "Kiwis for Kiwi." They are hoping to raise lots more money for this awesome charity. **Please come and support this wonderful cause outside Room 6 after school on the 5th and 6th of July.** We commend Alexia and Hector on being awesome guardians of the environment!



Guess the lollies in the Jars - \$1.00

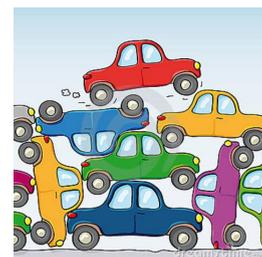
Kiwi Silver Necklaces - \$5.00

Kiwi Silver Earrings - \$5.00

Raffle Tickets - \$2.00

Ice Blocks - \$1.00

Parking in the car park and school grounds is restricted to staff and cars with a mobility permit between 8am and 3:30pm. All other drivers please park on nearby streets. For parents of older children we encourage you to park a little further away on surrounding streets to give your child the opportunity to walk part of the way to school themselves. The following Police advice is for parents and caregivers to teach their child how to get safely to and from school and other places they go – whether they walk, bike or go by bus.



- Make clear rules about getting home.
- Go to school with your child so that you can show them the safest route.
- Teach them to deal with hazards like narrow footpaths or busy roads.
- If they walk, make sure they always use pedestrian crossings.
- Who can your child walk home with? Meet the parents of children in your area and keep in touch. Teach the children to walk home together in twos or small groups, not alone. Make other arrangements if someone is away.
- Anyone who has an immediate concern for their safety should not hesitate to call 111.
- We actively encourage students to report anything that makes them feel unsafe or uncomfortable. This can be to a trusted adult, a teacher or the Police.

Adventurous Learner Awards - Term 2 2018	
Uenuku	Pounamu
Amy Kennington	Niko Savaii
Eliza Fulton	Mila Rangihaeata
Max Seefa	Angus Cameron
	Lototele Brown

Home and School Committee Update



Raffle Tickets: Thanks to all of you that have sold your raffle tickets so far. These were due back today, Friday 29th June. If you have paid by internet banking, please ensure that you return the ticket butts to the box in the office. Please write the date on the butt when you paid via the internet so they can be included in the draw..



Student Led workshops	Tuesday 3 July & Wednesday 4 July
Assembly - Pounamu Hosting	Friday 6 July. 9.15am
Last day of Term 2	Friday 6 July

TOMORROW'S SCHOOLS REVIEW - HAVE YOUR SAY

The Tomorrow's Schools Taskforce is asking for the public's thoughts on the current education system and what needs to change. There are three easy options for people to participate:

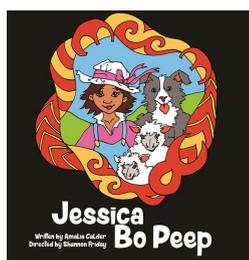
A quick survey (3 questions), a more detailed survey (12 questions) or they can email submissions directly to the Secretariat at tomorrows.schools@education.govt.nz Surveys

and submissions will be open until **Monday 6 August**. Click [here](#) to have your say.



Community Section

Marrzipan Drama Holiday Workshops – developing self confidence and public speaking ability in a fun, relaxed atmosphere. 1-5 day courses available running 8.30am-5.00pm for \$60 per day or \$270 for the whole week. For more information check out our website. Spaces limited to 16 per group so your child gets the special attention they deserve! Website: www.marrzipandrama.co.nz Email: workshops@marrzipandrama.co.nz Phone: 027 2170693



KidzStuff Theatre for Children are presenting *Jessica Bo Peep*, Written by Amalia Calder and Directed by Shannon Friday. **When:** 9th – 20th July 2018

Where: Tararua Tramping Club, 4 Moncrieff Street, Mt Victoria, Wellington **Times:** Weekdays 10am & 11:30am, Saturdays 10am, no show Sundays

Tickets \$10.50pp, Children under 2 Free, Special \$7 preview on Saturday the 7th of July 2018! Bookings: www.eventspronto.co.nz/KidzStuff

Big Buddy Mentoring: Big Buddy Mentoring Trust is a secular organisation and registered Charitable Trust, with branches in Wellington and Auckland. We have successfully matched over 600 boys and mentors since 1997. For more information on the programme please go to www.bigbuddy.org.nz

Drama Remedy Holiday Programme: *Drama Remedy* July holiday programme will be 3 days of activities on the 9th, 10th & 11th of July based on Poetry, Prose & Scripted Plays. To enrol or find out more details of these exciting and enjoyable workshops contact (04) 478 5962 or 022 027 3316 dramaremedy@gmail.com or visit our website www.dramaremedy.co.nz

Beyond the Page - An exciting literacy festival for children 7-22 July 2018:

Wellington City Libraries, Hutt City Libraries, Upper Hutt Libraries and Kapiti Coast District Libraries are the creative force behind *Beyond the Page* and are excited to bring this festival to you free of charge.

Featuring well known authors, illustrators and performers children will have the opportunity to explore their creative side, be inspired by performances, pick up new skills and even chat to a robot.

For updates and Further information follow the Beyond the Page on Facebook, visit www.beyondthepage.nz or contact Adrienne Hannan at adrienne.Hannan@wcc.govt.nz



Book School Interviews Online

Student-Led Workshops – “A Celebration of Learning” will be held at the following times:

- 3:30pm - 4:00pm / 5.30pm – 6.00pm / 6.00pm – 6.30pm Tuesday 3 July
- 3:30pm - 4:00pm / 5.30pm – 6.00pm Wednesday 4 July

To book your Student-Led Workshop, go to www.schoolinterviews.co.nz/code in your browser, and enter the event code **6maqw**. Then follow these three simple steps:

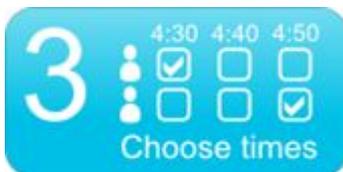


First enter your name, your student's name, and your email address.

If you need to book for more than one student, change the “Book for x students” setting, and enter the other student's name.



On the next page, pick your child's syndicate. (e.g. Pounamu, Uenuku or Rakau Nui) All teachers will be available at the workshops.



Then you'll see a timetable showing what times are available. Simply click on the times that suit you.

When you have finished, your interview timetable will be emailed to you. You can return to the site and enter the event code **6maqw** again to change your time.

For families without internet access, please see your child's classroom teacher. They will be able to make a booking for you.