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Week 1, Term 3

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PRINCIPAL'S COMMENT

Hi Everyone Tena Koutou Katoa

Well I hope everyone had a good two-week break and are ready for another exciting term.

We would like to welcome three new students to our school:- Savarna Holder (STAR Rm), Hannah Butler and Taylah-Marie White (both Room 1). We hope you have many happy days at our school.

Miss Kidd has resigned and will be leaving at the end of next week after nearly 11 year's teaching at Kai Iwi School. We will say our goodbyes at assembly next week.

I would like to take this opportunity to welcome Mrs Lennox who will be taking her place as the Star Room teacher until the end of 2018.

This term our integrated study is all about disasters

UNIFORM ORDERS

There will be a uniform order going in at the end of next week if your child(ren) needs anything. We have some 2nd hand items and some giveaways but these are becoming depleted. If your child has grown out of their uniform and it's still in good condition we can advertise it in the newsletter for you, or if you'd just like to return uniform items we're sure a child (& their parents) would appreciate it.

FRIDAY FUNDRAISING LUNCHES

On the last day of Term 2 Room 4 did their fundraising lunches and raised \$216.00 which they decided will go towards Senior Camp.

Next week it is Room 1's turn again so watch out on Monday for order forms. The children love these lunches and it's a great way to raise money for 'extra's' for their classes. Thank you for supporting them. from earthquakes to tsunamis, and learning about who helps us when disasters hit.

Super Six this term is Racquet sports with Tennis, Squash and Badminton. The Year 7 & 8's will be having practices on Tuesdays after technology at the various courts.

Rugby Tackle Sevens are back and we have a school year 7-8 team training hard already to try and retain our last years title of champions.

Ross Harvey, PRINCIPAL

ROOM 4 CAMP FUNDRAISING

Hangi - We would like to thank everyone who supported our Hangi Fundraiser. We raised approximately \$900 and had some great feedback on the meals. Thanks also to Rms 1 & 2 for donating some of their kumara to the hangi that they had grown at school. It was delicious!

Pamper Hamper Raffle - Tickets are **only \$2**!! Our Seniors have 10 tickets each to sell which are going like hotcakes!! You can view the hampers (1st & 2nd prizes) in the office foyer and buy your tickets from Wendy.



<u>SPORTS</u>

NETBALL:-

<u>CHANGE OF GAME TIME:</u>- KAI IWI GOLD your game is <u>at 10AM</u> (not 9am).

10am	Kai Iwi Gold vs Gonville	Ct 11
11am	Westmere B vs WIS 7B	Ct 9

HOCKEY:-

<u>Report:-</u> On Tuesday, after a 2 week holiday break, our senior hockey team played Brunswick. The kids were eager to get the game going and were pumped to be back playing. I couldn't pick a player of the day as each and every one played amazingly. There were some awesome ball and sticks skills shown and spot on passes which resulted in our highest score to date. A massive win to us 17-1. Fantastic team work and positive encouragement by all. Keep up the good work. **Renee Henry**

P.S. - A Brunswick parent rang this morning to say how much their team enjoyed playing Kai Iwi even though they lost by a big margin. She said our team were great to play against and gave advice, helped and encouraged their players. She said 'Well done on our Sportsmanship'.

What wonderful feedback team. We are very proud of you.

Draw next week (31st July):- The only draw available today is for Kai Iwi Black.

3.45pm Kai Iwi Black vs Fordell Blue Sticks, Gonville H2.

TERM 3 CALENDAR

Aug 2nd	BOT Meeting 4pm	
и и	Sport Whanganui Rms 1 & 2	
	(every Thursday)	
Aug 7th	Hockey Whanganui visit	
Aug 22nd	School Cross Country	
Aug 23rd	Super Six Racquet Sport	
Aug 31st	West Country Cross Country	
Sep 6th	School Photos	
Sep 25th	Senior Camp	
Sep 28th	Last Day of Term 3.	

BIG CONGRATULATIONS to Mason and Sam for their achievement in making the 2018 Wanganui U11 Rugby Rep Team. GREAT NEWS BOYS!

UNDER THE SEA BOTTLE TOP SCHOOL MURAL

In 2017, Mrs Foote and I had a big colourful idea entitled 'Under the Sea'. What was it, you wonder...the Room 3 and the STAR Room class' embarked on designing and creating a mural made from plywood, bottle tops and glue! We wanted the children to be part of something for our community, participating in making a public artwork and looking after our environment by recycling / reusing. The children and families at our school busily collected a range of bottle tops in a variety of sizes and colours all year so we could create a decorative mural to beautify our school pool changing room wall. We needed around 3200 bottle tops!

I would like to take this opportunity to thank both Wanganui Bunnings and Shane Stone for their generous donation of 2300 Zenith Timber Screws and a loan of a drill so we could complete our bottle top school mural. Thank you so much for your support of our school art project! Those screws will ensure those bottle tops stay in place for many years to come. Thank you also to Louise Hartell who helped Mrs Foote and I screw the bottle tops onto the mural - you were awesome!

This has been a very positive art project for our children. The mural looks spectacular and I can't wait to see it installed on the swimming pool changing shed wall.

Well done the 2017 Room 3 and STAR Room children!

Emma Kidd, STAR Room Teacher

PS - Watch for photo of the mural in next week's newsletter.



KINDLING FOR SALE

Mitchell is still	cutting and s	selling kindling.	Please place your o	order with his l	Mum, Lisa, or	n 027 3040 725.
KINDLING:-	Small bag	\$5	Medium bag \$	10 I	Large bag	\$20