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Week 11, Term 1

13th April 2017

PRINCIPAL'S COMMENT

Hi everyone Tena Koutou Katoa

Term 1

Well here we are one term of 2017 already gone. It has been a busy term as usual at Kai Iwi School with lots of different sporting events on, our Kapa Haka once a week, which the children are really enjoying, and Choir practices where the children have been preparing for Anzac Day.

The new Prime maths programme and many other special learning programmes we have going at Kai Iwi School to meet the diverse needs of our students, are all up and running and are being constantly assessed by the teachers during the year to make sure the programmes are still meeting the students needs as they progress.

Super Six Softball - On Tuesday two Teams from Kai Iwi went to the Super Six Softball tournament at Springvale Park and our competitive team won four games and drew one so we ended up winning the tournament. Our non-competitive team won all their games and so won their competition too. So great effort by all players.

Bike Track - The bike track has been a great success and is used every lunch and interval time weather permitting.

Lost Property - Please remember to label your • child's clothing as we have a lot of clothing in the lost property unnamed and unclaimed at the end of each term.

Head Lice - Over the holiday period please check your child's hair for head lice as it would be great to start term 2 with no little creatures in our kids hair. It only takes one family not to treat their child's hair and other families end up paying for treatment after treatment.

If your child has head lice at school our policy is to ring and inform you and then we will ask you to take your child home and then bring them back when they have had their hair treated for the condition.

'Wouldn't it be nice to get rid of the Lice'

Term 2

In term 2 we have Super Six Netball and Football and school hockey and netball begins. We also have a junior tabloid sports day at Waverley School on Friday 19th May, for years 1-3 which should be fun.

At the end of term 2 is our Cluster Speech competition of which we currently hold the title for.

I would like to wish everyone a fun and safe holiday from all the Staff and Board of Trustees at Kai Iwi School.

Ross Harvey Principal

Our amazing sailors:- Lexie, Leo and Ana.



Friends of Kai Iwi School (FOKIS)

Dear Parent/Caregivers

FOKIS is the "Friends of Kai Iwi School". A group of mums, dads, and sometimes teachers. Our aim is to provide fabulous fresh new ideas that benefit all children, teachers and parents in our community, to make our school the best school for our children to attend.

We love to help supplement school trips, organise discos for our children and look for ways to support and fundraise for the school.

Any new suggestions on what we can do are always welcome and we are now looking for new members to join FOKIS for 2017.

I will be sending out a meeting date and time the first week back after the holidays, so think about it during the holidays and I look forward to setting up a new and revitalised FOKIS team for 2017.

Ross Harvey, PRINCIPAL

NETBALL - 2nd Team

Yay, we now have enough girls for a second netball team who will be entered into the Yr 5 & 6 competition. Our players for this team are:-

Brooke Richardson, Chloe Godsiff, Alicia Ross, Charlotte Osborn, Addison Jenkins, Gemma Rogerson-Kearse, Waina Maui Papuni, Mary Butters & Maddy Parkes. Mia Henry will be your Coach and will take a couple of practices at lunchtime during the week and Tanya Richardson will be your Manager on Saturdays.

SCHOOL RAFFLE

Nicky Galbraith has kindly organised a raffle to raise funds for ICT (I-pads & chromebooks).

The prizes are as follows:-

1st Horse cover or voucher (value \$150)
2nd \$100 horse feed/dog food, hay (value \$100)
3rd 2 halters & lead ropes \$25 combo. (value \$50).

Tickets are \$10 each (60 tickets) and available at School, Farm Supplies and from Nicky.

Big thanks to **Wanganui Farm Supplies** for their sponsorship.

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Applications close 20th May 2017

"RIVER CITY UKES"

Looking to join a friendly group? Dust off your ukulele. All skill levels welcome. Improve your ukulele skills. Gain more confidence. Learn some uke tricks. Bring percussion instruments. Ukes available. RSA Bunker Bar, 170 St Hill St. Fortnightly starting Tuesday 9th May, 7-9pm. Gold coin donation. For more info phone Alan (021 194 3816), Sue (027

276 1776) or Colin (021 645 365).

NEXT BOT MEETING

Thursday, 4th May *All welcome*.

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