

KAI IWI SCHOOL NEWSFLASH!

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PRINCIPAL'S COMMENT

Hi Everyone Tena Koutou Katoa

This week has been a fun week for the students with the arrival of the Life Education bus, which has been running programmes for all the students across the school.

Last week the Principal of Hunterville School and some students visited our school to look at our trampolines and playground, as they had heard we had in-ground trampolines, and are looking at getting some for their school. They thought we were very lucky to have swings and amazed we were soon to have a bike track.

On Tuesday 22nd November we will be having our school athletics day and have invited Waitotara and Ngamatapouri Schools to join us. We will then be selecting some children to represent Kai Iwi School in the Cluster Athletics at Cooks Gardens on Tuesday the 29th November.

Then on December 2nd many of the children will be going to the Tough Kids Mitre 10 Mega competition, which is always challenging but a lot of fun for everyone.

Headlice - Please check your child's hair regularly and treat it when it needs to be treated. Remember, doctors are free and you can get a prescription for headlice treatment so it doesn't have to be a costly exercise. The most annoying thing about headlice is when most parents treat their children but are let down by the parents who don't.

This year we are finishing school with a trip to the Whanganui East Pool on Friday the 16th December and will restart in 2017 on the 1st of February.

Have a great weekend everyone.

Ross Harvey, **Principal**



REMINDER

A reminder that if your child will be taking part in the Tough Kids Challenge they need to pay \$3 each. Please send along ASAP.

CRICKET DRAW - Tomorrow (18/11)

Victoria Park - 5.15pm

Kai Iwi 1 vs Kaitoke Field 7

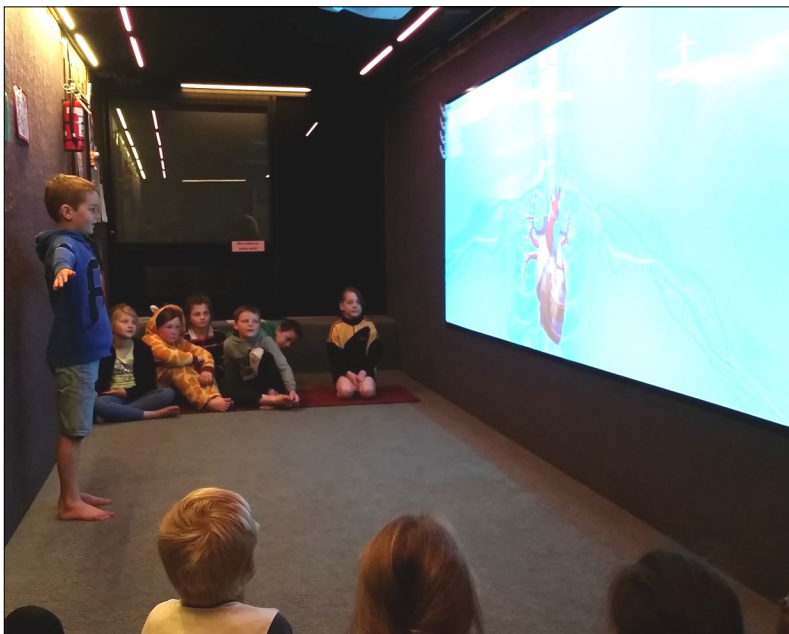
Kai Iwi 2 vs Churton Field 13

Please remember it is very important that all our players turn up for the games as we have no reserves.



TOUCH RUGBY

This week we played Durie Hill and won the game 3-2. Congratulations to Yuri who was Player of The Day, and also to Samuel and Oliver Jones who won the Fair Play Award. Good work team.



PHOTOS STILL TO BE COLLECTED

Could the following please pick up their photos from the school office. Thank you.
 White, Isiah
 Valentine, Gabby, Joshua & Nicole
 Coe, Izaac & Nellie
 Roberts, Emma
 Pearce, Ana
 Rogerson- Kearse, Gemma.
 Please ring the office or send a note if it's okay for your child to pick up their photo(s).

STAR Room having lessons in the Life Education caravan.

WANGANUI TENNIS

Junior Club Tennis 2016/2017 season: Every Wednesday from 3.30 - 5.30pm all junior member of the club are invited to come to the courts and participate in the weekly junior club day. **Our very new and young members have a "Hotshots" session using short racquets, smaller nets, and smaller courts which runs from 3.30 & finishes at 4.15pm,** parents, grandparents, and caregivers are encouraged to play with the juniors in fun rally filled sessions. **All other junior members of all ages and levels are invited to start at the same time (3.30pm) and stay for the full 2 hours finishing at 5.30pm.** This is a combination of some coaching with the club coach to increase skill level, some drills to increase consistency, and casual matches to build experience and confidence. We are very lucky to have the support of **Pita Pit Wanganui** who are offering weekly Player of the Day awards that will be given out for the first time this week!

Saturday Morning Matches: Every Saturday weekly match play days and competitions are held between 9 - 10.30am. Players must register with Gene (02102523147) by Friday evening so the matches can be organised for the Saturday morning. Players must know how to score, be starting to serve from the back of the court, able to hold a very small rally, and be willing to have fun! If this is you, please contact Gene this week to start on Saturday, more Pita Pit Player prizes to be won each week and the results are loaded on to the Tennis NZ national ranking system!

These are for junior club members, so your students would need to join the club which is \$70 per person for an annual membership. This does get cheaper for more family members (eg \$105 total for two juniors from the same family), so please check the website www.wanganuitennis.co.nz for more info.
 Thank you, Gene Ridgway

