

KAI IWI SCHOOL NEWSFLASH!

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PRINCIPAL'S COMMENT

Hi Everyone, Tena Koutou katoa

Professional Development - Yesterday two teachers attended a course introducing a programme called Smart Moves which has been devised by an occupational Therapist. The programme is based on child development and set within the context of the PE curriculum.

The programme comes with a 3 part comprehensive package consisting of;

- A screening tool to assist in the early identification of children with motor co-ordination difficulties through a series of tasks based on the PE curriculum.

- An extensive activity bank related to each of the PE curriculum areas. These activities can be differentiated according to the ability of the child, allowing the children to develop key physical skills at their own pace.

- The programme also provides a flexible means of ongoing evaluation and monitoring tailored to each individual child.

The programme can be used as a whole class

approach by integrating them into PE or it can be used with individuals or small groups.

Nga Rauru - Te Kooiwiroa o Nga Rauru Kiitahi (Nga Rauru Curriculum)

Last night we had our second meeting with local Iwi in regards to the portal they have set up to assist our teachers with accessing some really amazing resources and information around the language and history of Nga Rauru.

They will also have available Pouako (Teachers) to assist our teachers when needed.

Uniform - Please remember your child is required to wear the correct school uniform to school.

Sport - Hockey is now underway and soon netball will be starting too.

I would like to thank all the parents who have taken on coaching or managing positions.

FOKIS - Our fundraising team 'Friends of Kai Iwi School' (FOKIS) lead by Louise Hartell, is always looking for more parents who are willing to assist with any fundraising events or have any brilliant ideas to help raise funds for our school.

If you think you can be available at times or have any ideas to share please contact Louise Hartell or Mrs Baker through the school office.

Remember we have a Quiz night coming up next month so anything you can donate for the raffles or the Auction would be appreciated.

Ross Harvey
Principal



Room 1 set up for Autumn learning.

REMINDER - ASSEMBLIES

Just a reminder that assemblies are now at **9.10am** in the library every second Friday, starting TOMORROW.

REQUEST FROM ROOM 1

With the money raised through Room 1's lunches fundraiser Debra is setting up a 'Construction Table'. If anyone has any suitable materials or equipment they could donate (eg nails, hammers, wood offcuts, bottle tops, etc) they would be much appreciated.

KINDLING FOR SALE

Mitchell is still cutting and selling kindling. Winter's nearly here!! Please place your order with his Mum, Lisa, on 027 3040 725.

KINDLING:-

Small bag	\$5	Medium bag	\$10
Large bag	\$20		

iBike4kids Event

Sunday May 20th, 2018. 9.45am start
Victoria Esplanade, Palmerston North

A fun event for kids who just love being out on their bikes.

Enter Online - www.ibike4kids.co.nz

COST Only \$15.00! All participants get a medal and a goody bag too!

All ages up to 15 years. If you can ride a bike, you can enter. Easy, medium and long courses and a 'Balance bike/16in wheels for 3-5 year olds' section on a shorter course, for only \$10 (and they get a medal and goodie bag too).

T-SHIRTS and BEANIES available to order at time of entry.

Loads of cool spot prizes up for grabs.

Schools participation prizes up for grabs .

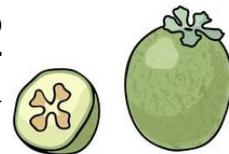
More info at www.ibike4kids.co.nz or www.facebook.com/IBike4kids

FEIJOA FUNDRAISER

Rooms 1 and 2 are once again selling feijoas as a fundraiser for their classes.

They will be available from Tuesday next week. Please either pop into school or send along a note with how many bags you require and payment. They will be sent home with your eldest child.

A BIG THANK YOU to Gemma & John Bartley for offering them to us as a fundraiser.



\$5 for 2 kilos

6 Ideas For Feijoas

1. Use feijoas to make a fruity, spicy salsa to add to grilled chicken, pork or fish. Just finely chop feijoa flesh, and combine with chopped mint and basil, fresh red chilli, finely diced red onion and lemon or lime juice and a pinch of salt to taste.
2. Feijoas were made for smoothies – try them with a drizzle of honey, yoghurt, mint, spinach, green apple and water or juice to blend.
3. Feijoa and blue cheese are a perfect match – peel a few feijoas, chop in half and grill until caramelised, then enjoy on crackers with slices of your favourite blue and an optional drizzle of clear runny honey.
4. Peel and poach your feijoas whole for about 10–15 minutes in a combination of red wine, cloves, sugar, star anise and cinnamon.
5. Kids love feijoas peeled, chopped and stirred through a pottle of their favourite yoghurt.
6. Feijoa cake, muffins & desserts are delicious. Just google for a suitable recipe.



FAMILY WORKS PROGRAMMES

'Free To Be Me' Domestic Violence Programme.
2 programmes - 1 for adults and 1 for children (parent also needs to attend).

'Growing Together' Parenting Programme.

'Boundaries for Women'

Phone: 345 6681 or email

Familyworks@wanganui.psc.org

(Programmes are FREE to attend).

Their flyer is too big to put in this newsletter but if you would like a copy with more information about these programmes please ring or email Wendy in the office and she will print one off or email it to you.