

Inspiring a love of learning through an education that values the development of the whole child

4 August 2020

Week 3, Term 3

Kia ora koutou



Garden Project - We are all thrilled with our revamped garden area! We want to show our appreciation with an assembly and morning tea to officially re-open the garden and celebrate the wonderful result of all the hard work that has been done. If you are one of the people who gave up time to help with this project, then we invite you to a special hui on Tuesday 18 August at 10am, followed by morning tea in the staffroom, provided by the staff. Any other whānau who wish to show their appreciation are also welcome to attend.



Food drive for whānau continues - A heartfelt thanks to all who donated food items and New World vouchers recently. Your contribution is making a big difference to a family facing financial hardship in our community, as they have been able to consistently provide kai for their tamariki. The food drive will continue throughout term 3. Please drop non-perishable items and/or New World gift cards (to enable us to buy fresh produce) to a collection box inside the main office. Non-perishable items like corn flakes, rices, pasta, pasta sauce, tinned soup, baked beans, muesli bars, crackers, tinned tuna, canned fruit and toilet tissue will be gratefully received.

Te Reo Māori: Words of encouragement and praise:

He tino pai hoki koe! You're very good!
Pa Rawe! Awesome!
He tino pai to mahi. You've done a good job.
Te ataahua hoki. That's beautiful.



Taonga Horomata - Virtues



This week I focused on Compassion/Pā te aroha at hui on Monday. One of our virtues resources says the following: "Without compassion the world is a hard and lonely place. Being compassionate helps us to feel less alone. Compassion helps us to be understanding of others and ourselves."

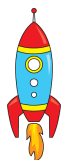
The following quotes about compassion also mention other virtues we are focusing on this term:

"A kind gesture can reach a wound that only compassion can heal." Steve Maraboli

"Compassion and tolerance are not a sign of weakness, but a sign of strength." Dalai Lama

"There is a nobility in compassion, a beauty in empathy, a grace in forgiveness." John Connolly





Perform! Education – Launch to the future! Year 5-8 students will be participating in a live-in-school science presentation on Monday 10 August that focuses on how space programmes and lunar science propel us into the future using STEM. **Cost is \$5.00 per child.**

**UPCOMING
EVENTS**



**What's
Happening**

Activity	Who's Involved	Date & Time	Cost
Matariki Lunch	Original Strand	Wed 5 Aug	
Technology	Yr 7/8s	7, 14, 21 Aug	
Gym Sessions	Junior/Middle School	10, 17, 24, 31 Aug, 7, 14 Sept	\$18
Board Meeting		Mon 10 Aug, 6.30pm	
Perform! Education Show	Yr 5-8	Mon 10 Aug	\$5.00
WZ Netball	Selected Students	Tues 11 Aug	
Trip to Space Place	Tōtara/Kererū	Wed 12 Aug	TBC
Onslow College visit	Yr 8s	Wed 19 Aug, 1.30pm	
WZ Hockey	Selected Students	Tues 8 Sept. pp 10 Sept	
Māori Language Week	Everyone	14-18 Sept	
Trip to Parliament	Tōtara/Kererū	Wed 2 Sept	TBC
EPro8	Selected Students	Tues 22 Sept	
Immunisations	Yr 8s	Thurs 24 Sept	

Have a great week everyone.

Ngā mihi
Clifford

2020 Term Dates

Term 3	Mon 20 Jul	Fri 25 Sept
Term 4	Mon 12 Oct	Tues 15 Dec
Labour Weekend: Mon 26 Oct (Staff Only Day on Friday 23 Oct)		

2021 Term Dates

Term 1	Wed 3 Feb	Fri 16 Apr	Waitangi Day: Mon 8 Feb <i>Easter Break: Fri 2 – Tues 6 Apr</i>
Term 2	Mon 3 May	Fri 9 Jul	Queen's Birthday: Mon 7 June
Term 3	Mon 26 Jul	Fri 1 Oct	
Term 4	Mon 18 Oct	Wed 15 Dec	Labour Weekend: Mon 25 Oct

There will be two Teacher Only Days added once dates have been confirmed

Upcoming
**COMMUNITY
EVENTS**

Northland Cubs, Scouts and Keas are looking for new members. Coming out of lockdown we have an exciting programme for the rest of the year, with the opportunity to get outside and have an adventure or two. We have spaces available for Keas (age 5-7), Cubs (age 8-10) or Scouts (age 11-14). Interested in developing your leadership skills, we are looking for new leaders for keas and cubs. Full training and support are available. Like to know more? Check us out at www.facebook.com/NorthlandScouts or email Northland.Scouts@gmail.com for more information.

The Circus Hub Open Day – Sat 8 August, 1-4pm. 11 Hutchison Rd, Newtown. We offer circus classes for kids & teens - fun, exciting and challenging! Circus is a great physical activity that develops coordination, perseverance, creativity and confidence! We also run school holiday programmes and birthday parties. Offered from age 3. Come join us. www.circus.org.nz.

Pride Lands Fun Holiday Adventures. Winter Holidays At South Wellington Intermediate School (Berhampore) and Otari School (Wilton). 28th Sept – 9th Oct 2020 from 7.00am-6pm daily. Interactive Activities and NO TV or Video Games, Kai Cubs Cooking, Keep Fit Karapu Fitness, and Life Skills Programme creating healthy Breakfast, Lunch and Afternoon Teas. One-on-one care and shuttle services available. Daily \$81/cub per session or \$148 for two or more siblings per session; Weekly: \$243 per cub/week or \$453 for two or more siblings/week. WINZ subsidies are available for eligible families. Please contact us: 0800 PRIDE 4 U Or Register online: www.pridelands.org.nz or [www.Facebook.com/PrideLandsChildcare](https://www.facebook.com/PrideLandsChildcare). NB: Our Home Support Service (Pride in Action) is also available per family at \$26/hr anywhere across Wellington Region.

 TE AUTE COLLEGE INFORMATION EVENING <i>Come and meet with us to discuss education & hostel life at our College</i>
6PM MONDAY 27 JULY - WAIPUKURAU VENUE: TERRACE SCHOOL PORANGAHAU RD
6PM TUESDAY 28 JULY - NAPIER VENUE: MARAENUI SCHOOL 2A LISTER CRESCENT
6PM WEDNESDAY 29 JULY - HASTINGS VENUE: HASTINGS INTERMEDIATE, 621 HASTINGS ST SOUTH
6PM MONDAY 3 AUGUST - LEVIN VENUE: LEVIN LIBRARY TE TÄKERETANGA O KURAHAUPO, BATH STREET
6PM TUESDAY 4 AUGUST - WELLINGTON VENUE: WAIWHETU MARAE 21 PUKETAPU GROVE, LOWER HUTT
6PM MONDAY 10 AUGUST - ROTORUA VENUE: PARKSYDE COMMUNITY CENTRE 7 TAREWA PLACE
6PM TUESDAY 11 AUGUST - AUCKLAND VENUE: ROSCOMMON SCHOOL 23 BURUNDI AVE, MANUREWA
4PM WEDNESDAY 12 AUGUST - TAUPO VENUE: TAUPO LIBRARY HONE TUWHARE ROOM, STORY PLACE
Scholarship Info www.teaute.maori.nz / admin@teaute.school.nz / 06 8568016 "DISCOVERY DAY @ TE AUTE 24 AUGUST 2020 10am-1pm"