



NEWSLETTER: TERM 4 - WEEK 7
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Tena koutou nga matua nga whaea me nga whanau katoa,

We are all very excited about the Cultural Festival this Friday. Please fill out the form that children bring home today to indicate if you will be transporting your children to and from the event. This will be very helpful with our planning.

SCHOOL LUNCH ORDERS WILL BE THURSDAY 26TH NOVEMBER.

UP & COMING EVENTS	
Friday, 27th November	Cultural Festival (Te Kura Kaupapa Māori o Hokianga)
Tuesday, 1st December: 8.30am	Swim safe - dry land delivery for all students
Tuesday, 1st December: 11.00am	Santa will arrive to deliver gifts to all students - organised by Sasha Toia
Wednesday, 2nd December	Prize giving - come along and enter your name to be in the draw to win a christmas hamper
Friday, 4th December	Term 4 ends
Tuesday, 2nd February 2021	Term 1 begins - 2021
Nights of 17th - 18th February 2021	School Camp - Coopers Beach 18th Feb - Surf School - teaching students to surf!!
Tuesday, 2nd March 2021	Senior class to visit Waitangi Treaty Grounds (to compliment Treaty of Waitangi study)
Thursday, 11 March 2021	TMT Community Hub
Friday, 12th March 2021	Teacher only day. Staff to meet with Te Arahura - Community of learning.
Tuesday, 23rd March 2021	All students to Opononi - Manea
Please keep the 17th and 18th February free for our Whanau School Camp at Coopers Beach. This is during Week 3 of Term 1 so it will creep up on us very quickly. We have lots of fun activities planned already!	

Kaikohe Bus company is currently enforcing conditions set by the Ministry of Education. For many years they have been providing a free service. The Ministry of Education has changed the rules regarding students travelling out of zone. The rules regarding students out of zone are as follows. The Ministry of Education will only provide transport assistance to your nearest school. If a student chooses to attend another school they must make their own way to that school or they may apply to the operator in writing to seek permission to travel. If approved then the bus operator must charge a fare. The fare will be \$3.00 per ride, per child or \$25.00 for a ten-trip ticket. A ten-trip ticket lasts 5 days. That is one ride Am and one ride Pm x 5 days = 10 trips. This new rule was enforced at Tautoro School

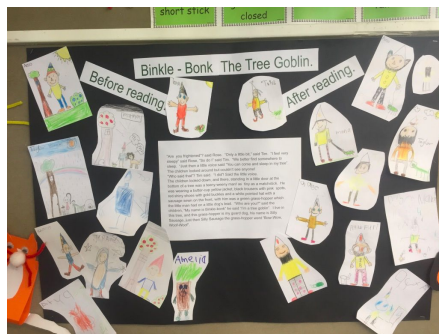
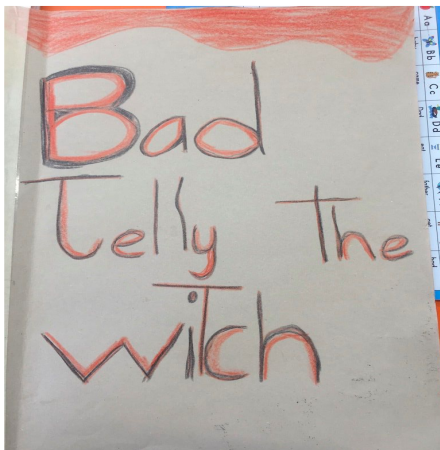
at the beginning of Term 4 2020 and I have been informed by the Kaikohe bus company that this will take effect with surrounding schools Term 1 2021.

CONNECT 4

Students are really enjoying the new outdoor connect four games that were purchased this term. A fun game for all ages!!



Tupu Teina:





I am Dingle Mouse.
I am in Tim's pocket.
It is very dark.
I feel very hot.
Where is the light switch
"Silly mouse there is no
switch in Tim's pocket."

Rose
Joe



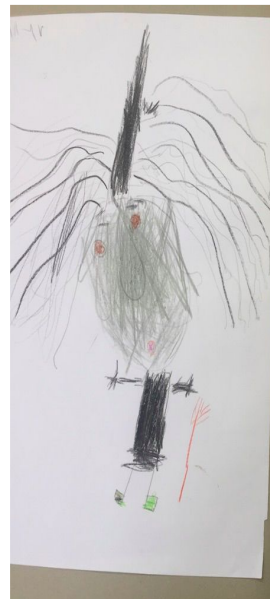
Binkle Bonk said
"You can come and
sleep in my tree."

Chaise



When the children were walking in the
forest. They heard a voice, "Help Me"
They picked an apple and they heard a
voice again. "My apples!"
"I have never heard a talking tree." said
Rose.
"I am not an apple tree. I am a
Policeman. Bad Jelly the witch turned
me into an apple tree.
Watch out for Bad -Jelly the witch."
said the Policeman.

Tane



Bad Jelly is in the forest. She is
flying on her broom to Tim's
house.
She is going to cook mum and
dad.
She is very hungry.
Tim and Rose are in the forest.

Morley



Tim is talking to
the tree.
The tree has apples
and leaves.
Dingle Mouse is
talking to the tree.
Atua



I am Binkle Bonk
you can come into
my tree.

Amelia



Jim the eagle was sleeping in the tree, he woke up. He ate some worms.

He heard Dingle Mouse shouting "Help us! The witch is going to turn us into Black Sausages in the morning."

He broke the window and he saved Tim, Rose and Dingle Mouse.

Tapairu



Bad Jelly the witch was wearing black clothes. Her skin was pale. Her eyes were evil brown. Her hair was pointy and black.

The witch caught a policeman in a secret net because she was hungry for Policeman Soup for dinner.

He was too fat to eat, so she turned him into an apple tree. She turned the policeman into a tree like this.

One, Two, Three! Turn into a tree.

Then he was a tree.

Ha, Ha, Ha

Cecelia



PomPom ran on the grass.

Fluffy Bum ran on the grass

Tim and Rose went into the forest to look for Lucy the Cow.

Halo



Binkle Bonk made his tree house bigger.

He pressed a button on his suit.

He sang a song.

The tree got bigger and bigger and bigger until it was as big as a school and touched the sky.

Now the door was big, to let the kids in.

Rasta



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They both ran out. Mum and Dad were not there.

Tim and Rose were crying. We will never see Lucy again. So they took off, then they found out they were lost. They looked and looked, after a while it was dark.

Rose said "Are you tired?" "Yes!" said Tim.

Then they heard a voice, "Hey, Hey, you can stay in my tree."

They looked down and they said "But the door is too small."

"No, I can make it big for you. Hurry hurry, grow very big for me." And there it got bigger, bigger and bigger. They went in the Tree Goblin gave them a cupcake and a drink too. They went up the steps.

The next morning they had porridge, when they finished they set off.

The Tree Goblin said "Watch out for Bad Jelly the Witch!"

"Yes," they said and they went walking. They got very cold.

"I can make you very warm in a few seconds, just hop into this bag."

So they hopped into the bag.

They heard an evil laugh. "I will eat you up."

They started to cry. "Tomorrow we will get eaten."

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Taylor

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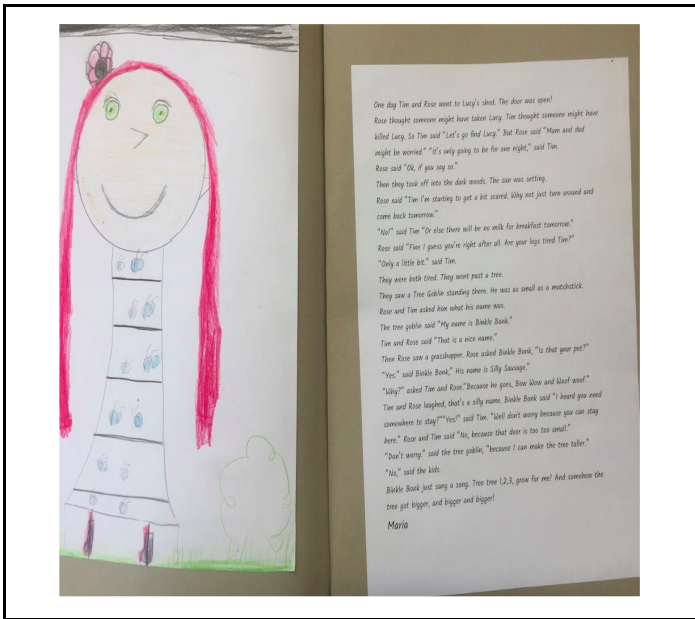
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One day Tim and Rose went to Lucy's shed. The door was open!
 Rose thought someone might have taken Lucy. Tim thought someone might have killed Lucy. So Tim said "Let's go find Lucy." But Rose said "Mum and dad might be worried." "It's only going to be for one night," said Tim.
 Rose said "Ok, if you say so."
 Then they took off into the dark woods. The sun was setting.
 Rose said "Tim I'm starting to get a bit scared. Why not just turn around and come back tomorrow."
 "No!" said Tim "Or else there will be no milk for breakfast tomorrow."
 Rose said "Fine I guess you're right after all. Are your legs tired Tim?"
 "Only a little bit," said Tim.
 They were both tired. They went past a tree.
 They saw a Tree Goblin standing there. He was as small as a matchstick.
 Rose and Tim asked him what his name was.
 The tree goblin said "My name is Binkle Bank."
 Tim and Rose said "That is a nice name."
 Tim said "Rose saw a grasshopper. Rose asked Binkle Bank, "Is that your pet?"
 "Yes," said Binkle Bank, "His name is Silly Sausage."
 "Why?" asked Tim and Rose. "Because he goes, Bow wow and Woof woof."
 Tim and Rose laughed that's a silly name. Binkle Bank said "I heard you need somewhere to stay?" "Yes!" said Tim. "Don't worry because you can stay here."
 Rose and Tim said "No, because that door is too small."
 "Don't worry," said the tree goblin, "because I can make the tree taller."
 "No," said the kids.
 Binkle Bank just sang a song. Tree tree 1,2,3, grow for me! And somehow the tree got bigger, and bigger and bigger!
 Maria

Tupu Tuakana:

Tupu Tuakana are working hard on recount writing, and are using a teacher template to plan their work. They are writing an introduction, a sequence of events, and at the end a summary. They are taking care with their sentences, recrafting and sharing their work. Te Awa enjoyed reading his recount to the class.

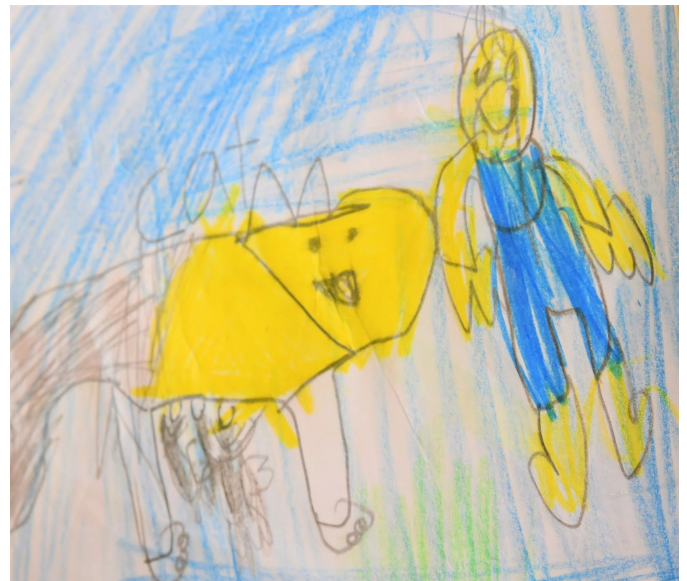
Waiting for Nana's kittens

I was in Taheke at Nana's house. I was there with Papa, Nana, Aaliyah and the cat. We were waiting for the cat to have the kittens.

In the morning the cat had the kittens on the couch. We left the cat on the couch. Then one came and then two more kittens came. Nana came in and looked at the kittens.

We felt happy when the kittens were born. I liked waiting for the kittens. I was a little bit sad and happy when the kittens were born. I love the kittens and we love playing with them.

By Te Awa



Puawai:

Welcome to week 7. This is the second to last week of term. We are on the wind down, we have completed our end of year testing with some extremely pleasing results. Well down to ALL Puawai students, you are AMAZING!!!! Below are snippets the students wanted to share from their Term 4 learning.

Imagery

It has two legs it's sneaky fast and it has got a headband - It is a Ninja

Julius

PERSONIFICATION

The wind howled in the night.

My alarm clock yells at me to get out of bed every morning.

Hinerangi

Pastoral poem

The righteous one makes everyone yield.
And owns all of everything across the field.
All of the dares where they make people
lick rocks.

When birds fly above people in flocks.

When you run 100 miles and stop
Stop at a pond and see fishes flop
We all play bullrush and try to fend,
Well here's my pastoral poem the end.

Tyler

Cinquain poem

Dog
Fluffy big
Tall nice cuddly
Active fast good best
Dog

Waiariki

FIRE

Flames
Incredible
Red
Enormous

Damian

CARS

Cars
Fast cool
Colour loud lights
Cars

Damian

Fun!

Fun,
We like to have fun,
But is fun the point of life?
What if there was no such thing as fun?
What would it be like without fun?
Well that does not make sense
Because...
Do you like to go and find a swimming hole to chill all
by yourself?
Do you like to play sports with your friends?
Do you like to make up funny jokes to laugh so hard
till your stomach gets sore?
How about creating a fire so you can chill out with
your mates,
While listening to your favourite song?
Now, can you see why I like to have fun?
There is no such thing as fun not being such thing,
Because you can use your imagination to find your
way to your goal...
Well...
Isn't that what you want to do?
Using your imagination is quite fun isn't it
Because,
You cannot get the job done without having fun,
If you give it a try,
It will be fun,
If you don't try,
It will not be fun,
That is why having fun,
Is important to everyone!

Mauri

PLUS:

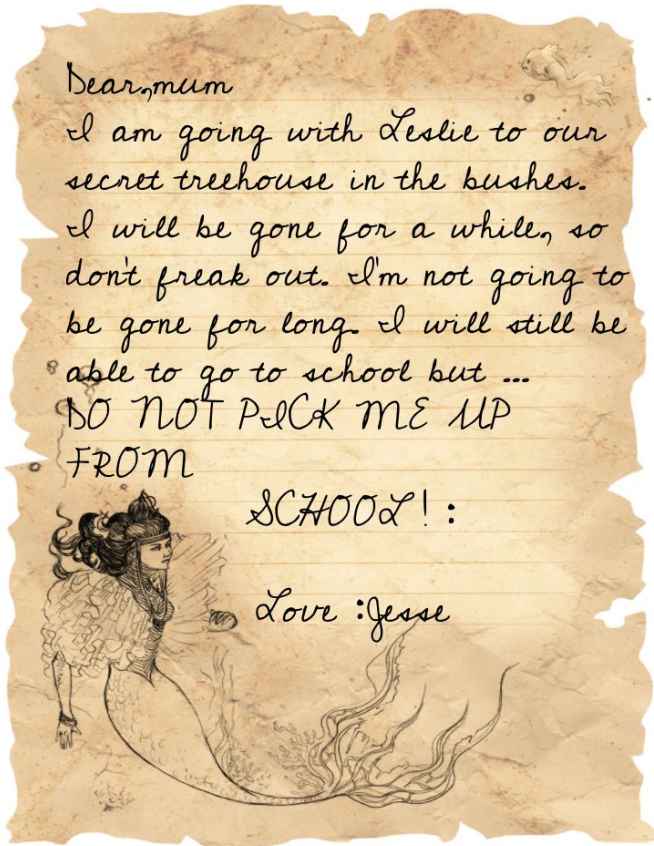
THE GOOD THING ABOUT A CHILD CALLED IT IS THAT AFTER A WHILE HIS MOM LEFT HIM A NOTE SAYING HOW MUCH SHE LOVED HIM. HIS FATHER WAS ALWAYS THERE FOR HIM .

MINUS

THE BAD THING ABOUT A CHILD CALLED IT IS THAT HE (DAVE PELZER) WAS PHYSICALLY ABUSED BY HIS MOTHER EVEN FORCED TO DRINK AMMONIA AND HE ALSO GOT STABBED AND BURNED.

INTERESTING

THE MOST INTERESTING THING IN A CHILD CALLED IT WAS, HE FINALLY GOT RESCUED AT 12 YEARS OLD AND GOT PUT INTO A SAFETY PLACE SO HIS MOTHER COULDN'T FIND HIM.

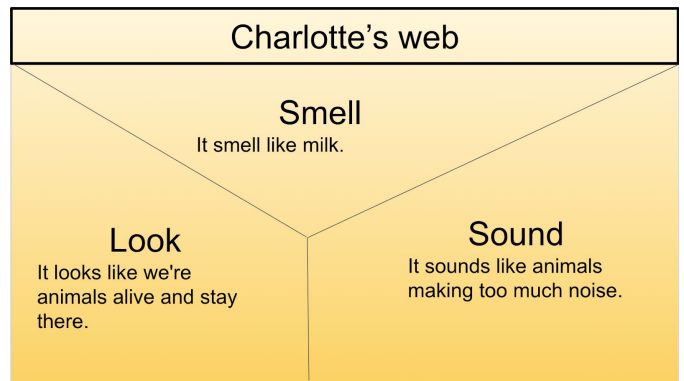


Hinerangi

SWIMMING

When I enter the Waima Lodge,
 And run through the emerald green trees,
 Parkour over the wired fence,
 Then you will see a humongous tree,
 Then you hear a swift and smooth current,
 And you see pure water running down textured rocks,
 Jump in hard to get out because you feel too relaxed.

Tyler



Braidon

PB4L

The focus for this week is voice level.

Skill/Rule

We show WAIMA when we are responsible, respectful, and safe when we use the correct voice level.

Learning Focus

Our focus is to learn:

1. The different acceptable voice levels
2. Why using the appropriate voice level is WAIMA
3. The signs for appropriate voice levels

Teaching Examples/Expectations

When showing WAIMA we:

- When showing WAIMA:
 - We use a voice level as directed by teacher
 - We use a quiet voice
 - We use an acceptable outdoor voice for the situation

FUNDRAISING/LUNCH ORDERS

*The following items will be made available to students for purchase this **Friday** orders to be placed at the office

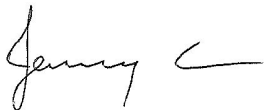
Hamburger \$3	Popcorn \$3	Sausage Sizzle \$2	Noodles \$2	Hot Dog \$3	Drink \$2	Ice-Block \$1	Ice-cream \$2
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2020 BOT MEETING DATES

TERM 1	TERM 2	TERM 3	TERM 4
11th February	16th June	11th August & 8th September	27th October & 1st December

Available at the School Office: Community member guide to the role of the board of trustees. This explains a lot of commonly asked questions and information about becoming a trustee, please get in touch if you'd like a copy.

Remember to use our website to keep updated about school information - www.waima.school.nz



Jenny Colebrook
Principal

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Free Kids Only

Holiday Surf Programme

We are running our popular holiday surf programme over the Summer School Holidays on Tutukaka Coast & Taupo Bay. This is free for 11-18 year olds

Fun, Active & Healthy

11-18yr olds | Monday-Friday | Morning or Afternoon Sessions

Tutukaka & Taupo Bay | December 2020 & January 2021 dates

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