



NEWSLETTER: TERM 3 - WEEK 2

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Tena koutou nga matua nga whaea me nga whanau katoa,

Covid Update: Reminder to please keep your children home if they are sick. Please continue to drop off and collect students at our school bus bay. Should anyone need to enter the school grounds then please wear a mask, use the hand sanitizer provided, and sign in or use the covid app.

For the start of Term 3, 2022, the Ministry of Education and Ministry of Health strongly recommend that all schools and kura suggest to whanau that for the first four weeks of term, students in our senior room continue to wear masks in all indoor settings. This recommendation does not include any situation where mask wearing might not be practicable, such as while eating and drinking.

A huge thank you to Tai and Toni Renee for coming in daily to take our students for Kapa Haka. Thank you also to Moanaroa who has been coming in daily to fit and iron all of the uniforms. So much progress has been made. You are so much appreciated!

JOB VACANCY - Cleaner/Caretaker - 12.5 hrs per week. Mon-Fri. If you are interested in applying for this position then please come in to view and discuss the job description.

NOTICE TO PARENTS/CAREGIVERS: Please find our school bank account details below for your reference -

Account Name: WAIMA SCHOOL BOARD OF TRUSTEES – NO 1 ACCOUNT

Account Number:123097-0205558-01

- **A fee of \$200.00 per student applies to those seniors that'll be joining us on our upcoming snow trip. When paying via internet banking, please use the code SNOW and add your child's name as the reference**
- **When making future payments towards Chromebooks that've been purchased through our school, please use the code CB and add your child's name as the reference**

UP & COMING EVENTS

19th-23rd September	Senior Snow Trip
Thursday, 29th September Week 10 - Term 3	South Hokianga Kapa Haka Festival 2022 - Opononi Area School *Please take note of the change in date
Thursday, 3rd November Term 4	Junior trip to Auckland Zoo

Ruma Tupu

Room Tupu students have started term three off with a bang. We have been super busy.

This term Tupu Tuakana students are learning about persuasive writing and how to write a persuasive text. Already they have made a good start. Below are a couple of samples of our learning as we build our knowledge and vocabulary for this kind of writing.

<p>Summer <u>by Keison</u> I want it to be summer because strawberries grow. Strawberries are sour and I like sour stuff. I like going to the beach and I can eat fish and chips.</p>	<p>Summer <u>by Marley</u> I want it to be summer because it's warm. When it's always summer we go for a walk. We can go for a swim at the beach. We can not go for a swim when it's winter.</p>
<p>Winter is so much better than summer <u>by Jahzarn</u> I prefer winter much better than summer. First, I like going into bed and hearing the rain at night. It's really fun playing outside for rugby training and rugby games when it's raining. I don't like getting sunburnt in summer.</p>	<p>Summer Rules <u>by Maria</u> I prefer it to be summer all year. First or all, when you want to go swimming sometimes you can't because the pools are closed. Don't you just hate that. Secondly, you can catch the flu and it feels really yucky and your trips get cancelled. I hate when this happens. In fact, it can get really cold during the winter and you might not like the coldness.</p>

Our art focus for term three is printmaking. The students are going to be learning about the many kinds of prints and experimenting with materials to create a collection of different prints.

So far we have looked at stamping as a form of printing. This is where the students use various materials to stamp onto their paper to create an image. The students completed a stamping project based on summer vs winter.



By Marley



By Jade



By William

Photos from Matariki: Hangi Day depicted below - Thank you Whaea Mereana!!!



PB4L

During weeks 1 & 2 we are focusing on **Whanaungatanga**.

Skill/Rule

To show whanaungatanga every part of our day when we display good manners and share our dreams and aspirations with others

Learning Focus

- To show whanaungatanga in all areas of our day

Actions

When showing whanaungatanga, we:

- Caring for my environment and the world around me
- Show consideration and respect for others
- Participate in class and school activities
- Contribute to and work collaboratively as part of a team
- Be a positive group member
- Be part of a respectful whanau
- Use your manners
- Use positive language

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2022 BOT MEETING DATES

TERM 1	TERM 2	TERM 3	TERM 4
15th February & March 29th	17th May & 21st June	23rd August	2nd November & 6th 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

We also have a Waima School Facebook group. You can find this group by following this link <https://www.facebook.com/groups/400262154975410>, alternatively you can search for Waima School and you will find the page under the groups section.

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