



## NEWSLETTER TERM 3 WEEK 8 2018

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Tena koutou nga matua nga whaea me nga whanau katoa,

Senior Snow trip. Please ensure your students are at school by 5.00am on Monday so that we can load the bus and be gone by 5.30. We are all very excited and hope the weather is kind to us!! Watch this space for some photos and highlights!!

### Room 1 and 2 News

Room 2 students have been continuing to learn about narrative writing. Some students have been working really hard to write interesting stories. Below are two of the stories that were completed last week.

One sunny day on a deserted island the sun was bright. The sand was warm with blue clear water. The trees were waving. A little girl named Lilly loved going to the beach. She liked to bring her brother Max with her too. Lilly is good at finding shells. She likes to swim in to the water. Lilly likes doing lots of fun things.

One day Lilly went too far along the beach and got lost. She could not find her way back to her family. Lilly was sad. Lilly looked everywhere but there was no sign of them. Lilly gave up. She sat on the beach and looked around. Lilly remembered the trail of shells she dropped out of her bucket when she was walking along so she followed them all the way hoping they would lead her back to her family. She felt a bit happy thinking about that. When she got to the end she saw her family. Lilly was so excited. She lived happily ever after.

*By Waiariki*

One horrible stormy day a haunted house appeared through the trees of the ghost forest. Zombies crumbled out of the walls and floors. There was a horrible scream floating through the air. The house smelt like a dead rat. I could see their gooey rotten smelly teeth. One touched my leg, it felt like slime. It was only me and the zombies. The zombies coughed out lightning and blood. Witches flew past and made a blood cloud. I was brave enough to go in. the zombies melted into the floor. I tried to escape but suddenly the house started to shake and ghosts flew around me saying, "you will die with one black eye." Then a kind spider crept out of the roof. I hop on its back and we said, "we will fight you to death," and we won. Me and the spider became best friends and we are now known as the legendary ghost catchers of the ghost world. We lived in a castle and no one could defeat us.

*By Atarangi*

### Room 3 News

### Sporting Events This Term

Basketball is starting @ Opononi Area School.

Rally is on Thursday for Yr 9 - 13 and

Friday for Years 5 - 8 starting at 3.30pm if anyone is interested go along to the Opononi Area School gymnasium.

**NEWSLETTER Thursday 12th September**

The next Kaikohekohe combined school sports competition is fast approaching, I have received an email from Whaea Tui for TKKMok already and the next sport they will be playing is long ball.

***Touch in Whirinaki***, if there are any parents interested in coaching a team in this competition please contact me at school and I will let the organisers know. Attached is all the information I have received and grades.

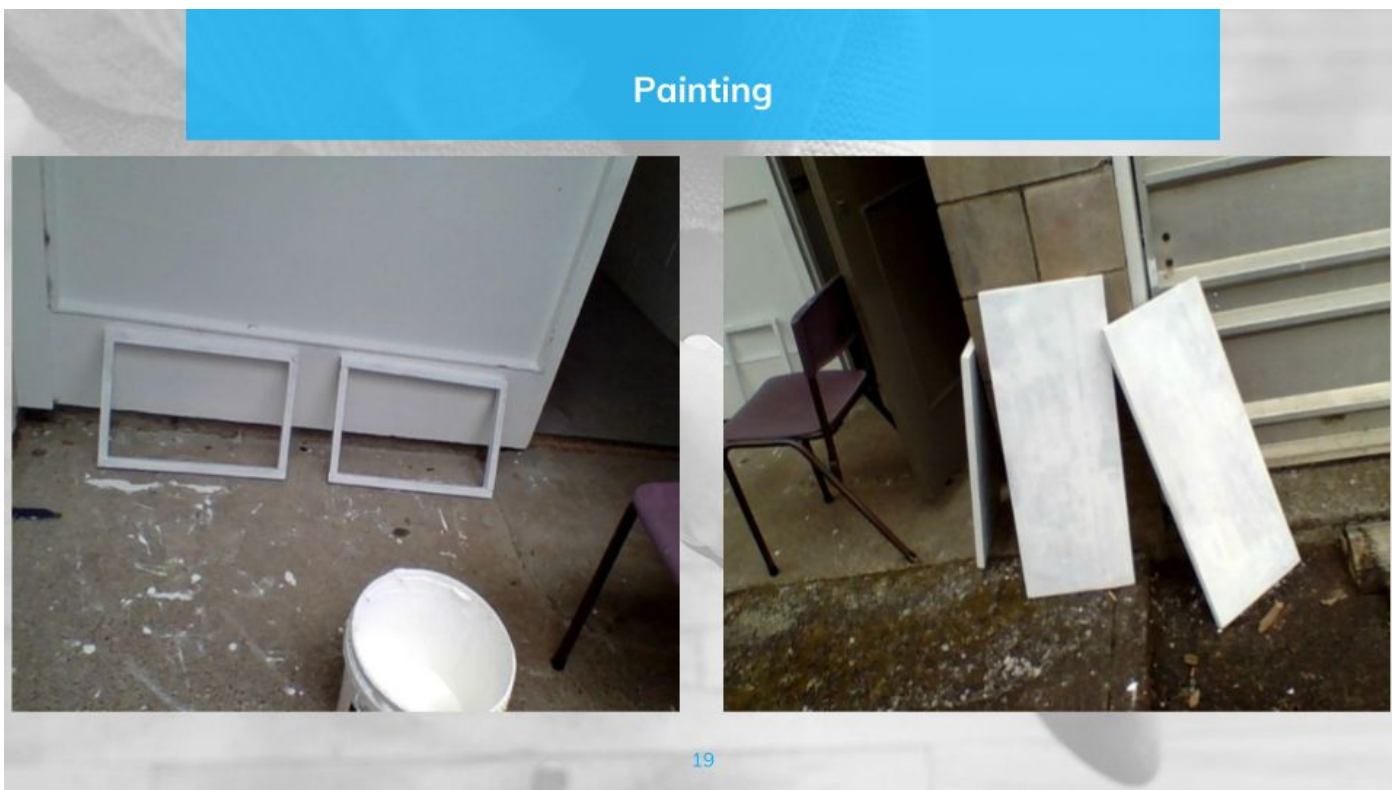
**Technology:**



*This is the design that Tyler has chosen for his little library.*



*Getting my paint on for the base of my library.*



*Herbie and Danny's frame, floor and sides all prepped and undercoat applied, next steps, top coat/ colour then assemble.*

***HAVE A GO.. MAKE A SHORT MOVIE***

*Entries are invited for the 2018 Northland Short Film Competition. There are two main Categories FICTION and NON FICTION*

**There are two main divisions OPEN and SCHOOL AGE with a Special Division for PRIMARY SCHOOL AGE children**

**The overall Prize Money is \$3000. Entries Close on 30 September 2018 There is NO Entry Fee, but entries MUST be on the official Entry Form**

**Further information from the ANZAC Theatre phone 09 439 8997 [www.anzacthetre.co.nz](http://www.anzacthetre.co.nz) or email at [admin@anzacthetre.co.nz](mailto:admin@anzacthetre.co.nz) or phone 0274419924 or email [atjacobap@xtra.co.nz](mailto:atjacobap@xtra.co.nz)**

## **HOKIANGA PA WHUTUPAORO – TOUCH RUGBY MODULE THURSDAY AFTERNOON / EVENING**

Commencing at 4.00pm onwards



Kia ora!

We will be starting a Hokianga Touch Rugby module on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> of October – (week 1 – Term IV).

We will play our junior teams first then move onto our senior teams, please indicate if you have any teams at the following levels – (all teams will be mixed) – must have 3 females on the field at all times. Each team must come with an umpire – so we can all umpire our own games:

	Under 7's	Under 10's	Under 13's	Under 16's	Under 20's	open
Kura	1 (Whaea Alaina)	1	1	1	1	1
Rawene	1	1	1	-	-	1
Waima						
Opononi			1	1		
Kohukohu						
Panguru						
Joe Taurima						1

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