

4th June 2019

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Tena koutou nga matua nga whaea me nga whanau katoa,

Thank you to all those parents/caregivers who are phoning or emailing to inform the school when students are absent. If we do not hear from parents by 9am, our Office Administrator will phone around to make enquiries. If your child/ren arrive late, please remind them to report their arrival at the office.

Also a huge thanks to Chelsea Bedggood for the free pizza's she distributed to both staff and students a couple of weeks ago. We certainly haven't forgotten the lovely gesture and our tamariki were extremely grateful!

UP & COMING EVENTS

Tuesday, 18th June	Next BOT Meeting
Friday, 5th July	Last Day of Term 2
Friday, 8th November	Te Ahurea Kapa Haka o Te Tonga o Hokianga (Hosted by Opononi Area School)

Ruma Tupu:

Thank you everyone who is helping at home. We are currently doing assessments in preparation for writing reports which are due out at the end of term.

Puawai:

Welcome to week 6. The students are continuing to present their Novel Quests and their NZ Native Inquiry.



How did the Kea get its name?

The kea was described by an ornithologist 163 years ago. His name was John Gould he found the bird in 1856. The common name which is defined as a kea is a Maori name. It was probably an onomatopoeic representation of the Kea call.

Kataraina

	<p>Where do Kereru live?</p> <p>Kereru are endemic to New Zealand. However, you can find them in Northland forests. You can also find Kereru in Nelson and the West Coast of Southland. The places you can find Kereru are in parks/reserves, your back garden and local gardens also in our forests.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Mapihi</p>
<p><u>Charlotte web</u> <u>Novel Quests</u></p> 	<p>Chapter 1 on the starting it was about this man that get a ax and go in there shed and kills some of the pigs and then a week later there was a baby pig that got called named Wilbur.</p> <p>The night before the pig got bigger it was kept by a little girl named Ferne.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Laurie</p>
	<p>How many years can a Tuatara live for?</p> <p>A tuatara can live for over 100 years and they stop growing when they turn 35 years old. They will usually die if it is over 25 degrees. Cold weather keeps their skin from drying up. The cold weather also makes their skin moist.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Moana</p>

Upcoming Sporting Events - Term 2:

Rippa Rugby Delivery Sessions with Whaea Hayley

11 & 18 June 2019

1.00 pm - 2.00pm

Helberg / Parafed Have a Go day

When: Wednesday, 19th June 2019

Where: Kensingtons Stadium, Whangarei

Year 5 & 6 Fire Brigade Cup

When: Wednesday, 26th June 2019

Where: Kaikohe

NZ Surf Academy - July FREE Holiday Surf Programme

If any tamariki are interested, please contact Angeline Rewiri at the school to discuss making a booking

When: Monday, 15th July - Friday, 19th July 2019

Where: Taupo Bay

Hokianga Year 5-8 Quick-Rip and Rippa Tournament - Blurb by Alesha Cassidy

Nine of our students travelled to Rawene last Thursday to match their “rippa rugby” skills against a range of kura within Hokianga. Our first game was set to take place in round three; which gave our team the opportunity to spy out the opposition and ‘fuel up’ with fresh fruit. When our game finally arrived, side-line nerves were expressed from the younger members, however, guidance and encouragement from older students enabled the ‘young ones’ to gain more confidence to be actively involved; eagerly hunting down tags and eventually making ‘runs’ of their own.

Tia, Phillip, Hinerangi and Cody worked impressively to rip tags within all three games and were well supported by the quick hands and feet of Hawaiki, Braidon, Julius, Laurie and Raven. Braidon, Raven and Hawaiki worked hard to cover their defence line and all members of the team displayed great ball handling and rip skills, offense and plenty of heart.

Hawaiki presented great leadership skills on the field and was effortless in guiding the team. He was the try scorer of the day, followed closely by Braidon, Julius and Laurie.

Our team took home two wins and trailed by 3 points to Opononi (2). The final scores are as follows;

Te Kura o Waima	9 - 4	Te Kura Kaupapa Maori o Te Tonga o Hokianga
Te Kura o Waima	8 - 4	Opononi (2)
Opononi (1)	6 - 3	Te Kura o Waima

It was an honour to be your sideline supporters. Thank you Whaea Merepaea and tamariki for the amazing day!



FUNDRAISING

*The following items will be made available to the students for purchase this Friday (unless advised otherwise)

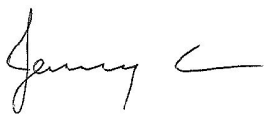
Popcorn \$3	Sausage Sizzle \$2	Noodles \$2	Pie \$3	Hot Dog \$3	Drink \$2	Ice-Block \$1
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2019 BOT MEETING DATES			
TERM 1	TERM 2	TERM 3	TERM 4
5th February, 12th March & 12th April	18th June	6th August & 10th September	30th October & 3rd December
<p>Available 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.</p>			

The following ink cartridges are available to collect from the school office for FREE!

- x1 HP No.60 - Black
- x1 HP No.60 - Tri-colour
- x2 HP No.75 - Tri-colour
- x2 HP No.75XL - Tri-colour

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