

UP & COMING EVENTS

Friday, 27th September	Last Day of Term 3
Monday, 14th October	Term 4 Begins
Monday, 28th October	Labour Day/Public Holiday (No School)
Friday, 8th November	Te Ahurea Kapa Haka o Te Tonga o Hokianga (Hosted by Opononi Area School)

Last day of Technology for Term 3: Thursday, 19th September

Pet Calf - By Damian Shepherd

Yesterday my dad, my grandad, brothers and I were helping a calf stay alive. The cow didn't want the calf back so my dad was holding it. I felt sorry for it and grandad gave it to us to look after.

Dad was holding the cow down and dad accidentally let her go. She broke through the gate and ran down the tanker loop. My brother ran down the other side and over took the cow. He chased it back so it would not go down Chevy's driveway.

We put the calf in the pen so that its leg can heal as it is not standing on it properly. We feed it milk from the feeder.

Puawai:

Welcome to week 8. This week we continue with class work and sporting activities. As part of the Learn, Create, Share for the Kaikohekohe Education Network Puawai have been blogging schools in the Network. Here are examples of their comments to individual students



Hi, my name is Naphi. I have been looking at your blog and I can see a big improvement from when you first started. You still have a lot of room for progress and in your photo I can see some awesome leadership skills and strong friendships. I liked the use of vocabulary and the way you presented your mahi. Keep up the good work.

Ki ora, my name is Mapihi. I like how you have explained that you found it difficult coming up with the reasons for the PMI about earthquakes. When I did my first PMI I also found it difficult to find reasons. Keep up the good work. Blog again later.

Kia ora, my name is Laurie. I have read your slides about your school's disco and I think that they are very interesting. These reminded me of the time I went to a disco. Blog you later come and visit my blog.

Kia ora, my name is Wijay. I heard the earthworm story you posted. You had a lot of specific information about earthworms. Earthworms are very good for compost and love the dirt. I like how you put up information on how they prefer to be in the dark rather than the light. Blog you later.

Sports News:

BAY OF ISLANDS SOFTBALL / TBALL ROADSHOW

WHERE: Waima
WHEN: Wednesday 11th September
WHO: Year 5-8

FOOTBALL FESTIVAL:

Where: Waima
When: 17th September 2019
Who: Year 3-6 combined &
Year 7-8 combined 4 a side

KI-O-RAHI TOURNAMENT

WHERE: Waima
WHEN: Friday 18th October 2019
WHO: Year 5-6 & Year 7-8

Nga Taonga Korero ō Puketi - Treasured stories of Puketi

Puketi Recreation Area, Waiare Road, Kerikeri, Bay of Islands
Saturday 21 September 2019 (3:00pm – 8:00pm)

Join us in celebrating 50 years of Conservation Week. Come to our family event at Puketi Forest from 3pm to 8pm on Saturday 21 September 2019. The event is fun, free and for all ages. This year we reflect on five decades of amazing conservation effort that has saved species, restored habitats and inspired the next 50 years of protecting our native taonga. Join our guided day and evening forest walks to see glow-worms, hear the stories from our past, learn about the protected species of Puketi, and join in with fun forest health activities.

This event is part of Conservation Week 2019 - www.conservationweek.org.nz. More information from the Bay of Islands DOC office 09-4070300.

This is a joint event with Kerikeri Keas, Cubs, Scouts and Venturers. Nature needs our help, and now is the time for New Zealand to take action. We hope to see you there.

2019 BOT MEETING DATES

TERM 1	TERM 2	TERM 3	TERM 4
5th February, 12th March & 12th April	17th June	6th August & 10th September	30th October & 3rd 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.

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Jenny Colebrook
Principal

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