

Kaipaki News



What's Happening Soon: Kaipaki Diary

November/December 2018

- 19-22 Nov - Junior Swimming
- 23 Nov - Rural Athletics
- 26-29 Nov - Senior Swimming
- 30 Nov - Town School Athletics
- 4 Dec - Christmas Carols - Town Hall
- 9 Dec - Christmas at Kaipaki
- 10-11 Dec - Senior Camp
- 13 Dec - Final Assembly
- 17 Dec - Last Day of School Year

Tēnā koutou e te whānau o Kaipaki

What a whirlwind of excitement the past few weeks have been. So many achievements to celebrate. Recently however, you may have wondered whether you were entering a school or a hospital ward with no fewer than four members of our Kaipaki Whānau sporting casts - particularly on lower limbs. Unfortunately, Mandy has joined in the fun after a netball game earlier this week, and is currently out of action in hospital awaiting news of her recovery plan. As always, Mandy's absence is greatly felt by us all as she does make so many things 'just happen' instantly and seamlessly around here. While she is checking the odd email as time allows please could any urgent messages be sent to my email - principal@kaipaki.school.nz or via text to 027 627 7373. We appreciate your patience and understanding as we try to get our short and long term game plan in place while Mandy recovers.

We extend a very warm Kaipaki welcome to Hugo Martens who has joined the Wonderful team in Ruma Kaakano this week. We look forward to sharing many special learning memories with you at Kaipaki School.

Sadly tomorrow we say farewell to Josh Garvitch. We are very excited that Josh has been successful in securing a position in the construction industry, but of course that equates to a loss for our school. We would like to thank Josh for all his many contributions over the years and wish him all the very best for the future. We intend to recognise Josh at our End of Year Assembly on the 13th December, but would also like to mark his last day tomorrow Friday 16th November with a short assembly and shared afternoon tea from 2.00pm. We would love it if you could join us for this special occasion.

Please could families bring along a plate of goodies to share tomorrow. Contributions can be left in the main office any time. I promise to leave some for the celebrations.



Kaipaki Athletics

What an AWESOME Athletics Day on Monday - despite the weather's best efforts. A huge thank you to Mr Coutts for organising such a great event and to all the staff and families that helped in so many ways. We also want to congratulate all our wonderful Kaipaki Learners who certainly did RISE showing Respect, Integrity, Sense of Self, and Excellence in all they did. So much to celebrate. We will be presenting certificates to those place gets in the near future. Just a wee technical hitch with results sitting safely at Mandy's house at the moment ...



**All the best for the Waipa Sports
Awards on Monday evening
Mr Coutts.
Congratulations on your Coach of
the Year nomination.**

Bus

Thank you to everyone for your understanding about the bus runs. Due to the large numbers on the 1st and 2nd bus routes in particular it is absolutely essential that any changes are sorted ahead of time to avoid disappointment due to loading limits. Please continue inquiring about possible changes by emailing: principal@kaipaki.school.nz and we will do our best to accommodate them. A wee request from Bianca also ... please could you notify her via text on the school bus phone if your child will not be at the usual stops in the morning. This helps our bus keep to the very tight timetable necessary to start school at 9am.



Swimming Term 4:

Next week we begin our swimming lessons for Term 4. Ruma Kaakano, Ruma Weri and Ruma Rau students will travel to St Peter's Cambridge to have lessons with the Swim School staff each day next week. Ruma Peka and Ruma Ruma Tiwai will have their lessons the following week. All classes will be travelling by bus.

Week 6 (19 - 23 November)
Ruma Kaakano, Ruma Weri and Ruma Rau

Monday - Friday:
1.15 - 1.45 Ruma Kaakano/Weri
1.45 - 2.15 Ruma Rau

Week 7 (26 - 30 November)
Ruma Tiwai and Ruma Peka

Monday - Friday:
1.15 - 1.45 Ruma Peka
1.45 - 2.15 Ruma Tiwai

Christmas at Kaipaki

Sunday 9th December | 3~7pm, Kaipaki Oval

Come along and celebrate Christmas with the community.

* Bring the family along with a picnic *

Gold Coin Donation Entry

Food will be available on site	Entertainment from
~ Pizza	local schools & professional artists
~ Burgers	~ Special visit from Santa!
~ Berries & Cream	~ Fun activities for the family
~ Coffee cart	~ Plenty of off road parking

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Ngā mihi ki a koutou

Kim Budd

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Ruma Weri (Mrs Ellis)

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Ruma Kaakano (Mrs Hawker)

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School Office (Mandy)

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Kaipaki School Values:

RESPECT. INTEGRITY. SENSE OF SELF. EXCELLENCE.