

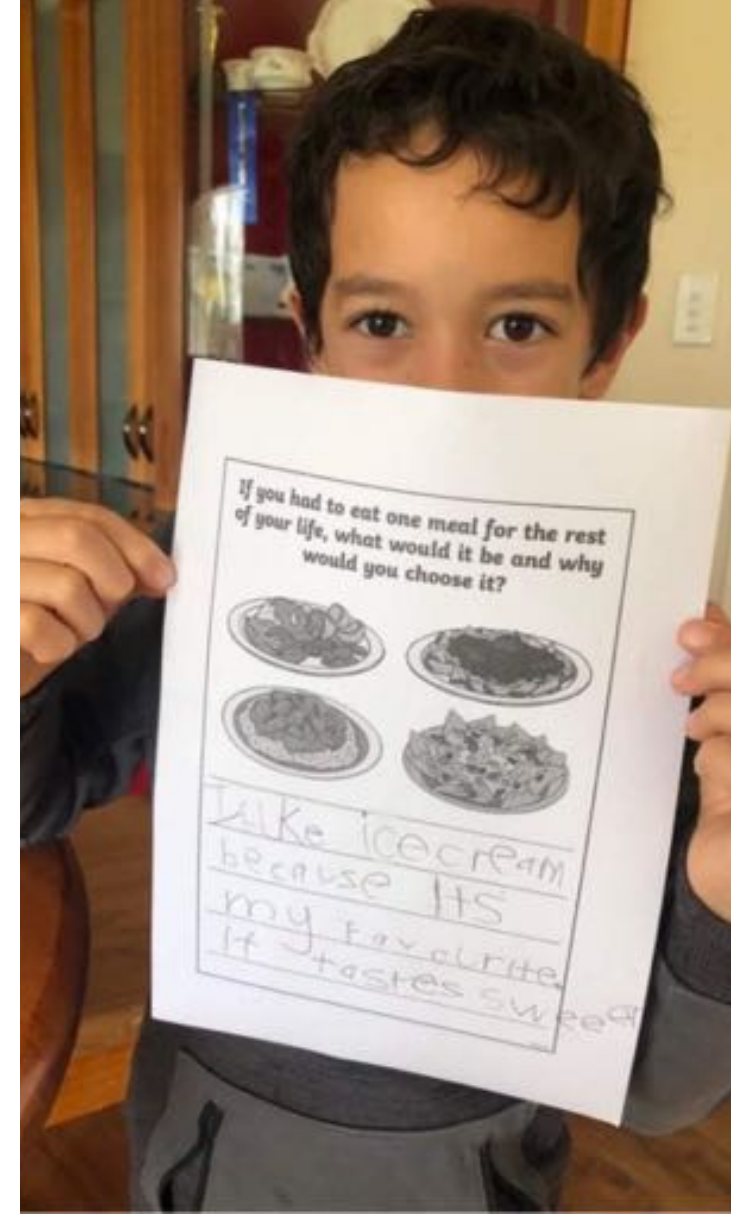


KAIPAKI NEWS

'Bringing Learning to Life'

WEEK 6, TERM 3

Learning From Home Edition!



Kia ora koutou o Kaipaki Kura

Welcome to a special **Lockdown Edition** of our school newsletter, where we celebrate all the amazing learning that has been happening in our bubbles over the last couple of weeks.

A special shout out to all our fabulous Dads' who are having a very different Father's Day today.

We hope you had a wonderful day!

At this stage we are uncertain how long Level 3 will continue. Monday afternoon's announcement by the Prime Minister will hopefully provide more certainty around when we can expect things to return to normal. We will communicate via email as soon as more information is available - so keep an eye on your inbox. Communication will likely include another survey, so that we can ensure that we were aware of all our families specific needs in the transition to Level 2, when it occurs.

In the meantime, please know we are thinking of you and missing you all lots. Please don't hesitate to contact us via email if there's any way we can support you and your whanau.



Fitness Friday

Wow! What an amazing effort from everyone on Fitness Friday. We loved watching the different ways you all got involved. From bike rides to runs, walks to obstacle courses, even a triathlon and a pentathlon! We saw it all! Well done to all those who got involved.

Please note - School Cross Country has been CANCELLED, not postponed.

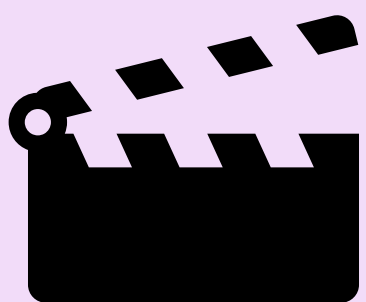
Rural Schools and Interschool Cross Country have also been cancelled.

We look forward to competing in these events next year.



Ag Day

At this stage, we are still 'all systems go ' for our annual Ag Day on Wednesday 20th October. Depending on the alert levels at the time, we may face some restrictions - however, we won't know what these may look like, until closer to the time. We do in fact foresee a very competitive Ag Day this year, as we know that lots of learners have been spending oodles of time with their animals, creating special Lockdown memories. So special to see. Well done everyone!



School Production Update

We are sad to announce that we are going to have to postpone our School Production due to Covid Level restrictions, and also not having enough time at school to rehearse. We look forward to performing this around the middle of Term 4, if movement of levels allows it. Date confirmation to come.

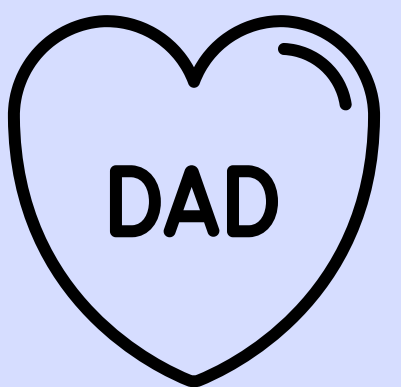


**WE HOPE YOU ALL HAD A SPECIAL DAY TODAY
CELEBRATING THE WONDERFUL DADS, GRANDADS,
AND FATHER FIGURES IN YOUR LIVES.**

Lover of beer, His lawn mower and his tractor
Who dislikes me not helping him , when there's no beer in the fridge and Pumpkin.
Who spends his time flying his aeroplanes, his hobby is sleeping on the couch, he
likes to snore really loud and lastly his last hobby is gardening.
Who inspires me to be brave and strong.
Who helps me to get the money so I can get all my new clothes and helps me with
my calf at ag day time.
You can hear him saying “Go the All Blacks”, also he likes to say “come unpack the
dishwasher” when I really don't feel like it. Finally he likes to say “He loves me”.
You will always be the one to love me, for me to look up to and to do the jobs
around the house.
And I will always, never understand your clothes choice, why you love me and lastly
I will love you.

All jokes aside, you are an amazing Dad, and I love you.

By Isabel Hayes



My always loving Father
Lover of watching horse racers, eating sultana pasties and
mowing the lawns.
Who dislikes socialising with people, the warriors losing, the dogs making a mess in
the house, and drinking alcohol.
Who spends his time doing jobs around the house, spending time with family,
cycling or mountain biking, watching tv.
Who inspires me to be the best I can be.
Who helps me with my speech, help me get around places
You can always be heard saying oh that was scrumpalicious, the warriors lost, there
needs to be a investigation, I love you.
You always pay for my dinner, take me to where I need to be, and love me.
And I will always love you, never understand your clothes choice, go to the beach
with you. Happy Father's Day, Dad!

By Georgia Paynter

Term 3 Dates and Postponements

Sadly this surprise Lockdown has created many postponements and cancellations of planned events including:

- *Kapa Haka festival
- *Our School Production
- *Our Kaipaki School Year 7/8 Information Evening
- *Inter-school speech competition

More information regarding new dates and changes to event programmes will be communicated as soon as possible.

Lastly, we hope you have enjoyed our special staff messages as much as we have enjoyed making them for you! Here are the links in case you've missed the fun, or just want to have another good laugh!

Please see link below for two videos:

- *Guess the Pet owner
- *Read Aloud - The Smartest Giant in Town



Vimeo Link: <https://vimeo.com/598093147>

COMPETITION: Who can guess and match all of the pets to their owners? Email your answers to your classroom teacher by Tuesday at 3pm. Let's see who can get them all correct!

