



KAIPAKI NEWS

'Bringing Learning to Life'

WEEK 5
TERM 3
2022

KIA ORA TE WHĀNAU O KAIPAKI

What a whirlwind first half of Term 3 we have had, with lots of exciting things happening! This newsletter is full of amazing achievements and things to celebrate in our incredible community.

He aha te mea nui te ao?

What is the most important thing in the world?

He tangata, he tangata, he tangata

It is people, its people, it is people

Congratulations to Miss Cherie Weaver for completing her final practicum with us, here at Kaipaki School. Ruma Mahuri have been incredibly lucky to have you working and learning alongside us this term. We wish you all the best with your career.



A warm Kaipaki welcome to **Aydin Hose**

We look forward to learning with you.

IMPORTANT DATES

29th August- Year 7/8 Mountain Biking Trip

31st August- School Cross Country

2nd September- Kapahaka Festival

9th September- Rural Schools Cross Country

12th September- Board Meeting 5pm

13th September- Rotary Speech Competition

30th September- Last Day of Term

SPORTING SUPERSTARS!



CROSS COUNTRY

On **Wednesday, 31st August** we will be holding our annual Kaipaki School Cross Country at school. We will try as much as possible to stick with the timetable below, and give you our assurance that races will not start before the stated time. In the event of horrendous weather our postponement date is 1st September.

Race Schedule

11.00: Students assemble in their class groups on concrete area outside Ruma Tiwai and Ruma Rau.

11.05: Welcome and introduction of the programme of events.

Runs through the age groups:

11.10: Girls/Boys 12/13 years old - 4 laps

11.25: Girls/Boys 11 years old - 4 laps

11.40: Girls 9 years old - 3 laps

11.55: Boys 9 years old - 3 laps

12.10: Girls/Boys 10 years old - 4 laps

12.25: Girls/Boys 5 years old - 1 lap

12.35: Girls/Boys 6 years old - 1 lap

12.45: Girls/Boys 7 years old - 2 laps

12.55: Girls/Boys 8 years old - 3 laps



All students will need to wear running shoes and comfortable running clothing on Wednesday.

We are looking forward to seeing you there to support all students who have been working hard to train for this event.



SENIOR SCHOOL SPEECH COMPETITION

A huge congratulations to all of our wonderful learners who demonstrated resilience and courage to prepare, practise and present their speech. We are very proud of you all.

It was a very tough decision to choose just 3 finalists from each class to go through to our School Competition.

Congratulations to these finalists;

Ruma Peka: Tommy Peters; Claire Balsom; Natalie Jones

Ruma Rau: Aidan Lewis; Oli Schick; Beau Lamb

Ruma Tiwai: Lucy Schick; Nina Balsom; Sasha Den Hartigh

The School Speech Competition was a fantastic event and the judges had an incredibly tricky job deciding who would take out our prizes. We are proud to announce our School Speech Winners for 2022;

First Place: Nina Balsom

Second Place: Sasha Den Hartigh

Third Place: Tommy Peters

Fourth Place: Lucy Schick



Huge thanks to our judges Mrs Bracken and Mandy.

We are so grateful for your help. It was a very tough job!



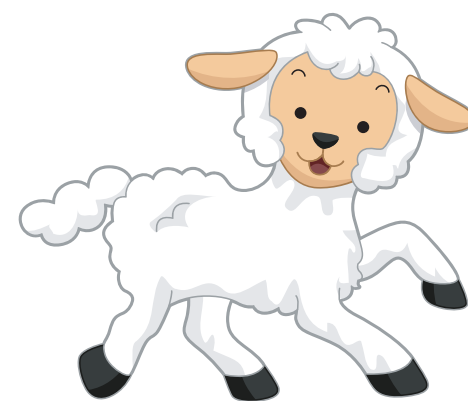


AG DAY



Kaipaki School Ag Day will be held on
Wednesday the 19th of October.

Children can bring a calf, lamb or goat.



This much anticipated day is rapidly nearing and we are hearing lots of exciting stories about new pets. We will be making a fun day of it with a market day, cake stall and Scholastic Book Display as well as the animal competitions.

If your child is bringing an animal please fill in the entry form included in this newsletter and return to school as soon as possible.

Mrs Ellis will be meeting with the children next week to give them further information about training their animal and what they will be required to do on the day with their animal.

If you have any queries, please don't hesitate to contact Mandy or Mrs Ellis on jody@kaipaki.school.nz or 022 096 6589



COLLABORATION



MAHI TAHI

RUMA KAAKANO

Alex McWilliams

Marvellous Alex-For the way you have settled into following our classroom routines and for giving everything a go. I love the enthusiasm and energy you bring to school each day and the wonderful ideas you contribute to your learning. You are fabuloso!

Lilly Taotala

Princess Lilly- For the beautiful way you engage in all areas of your learning and school life. You support others and are a friend to everyone. You are a sparkling gem Lilly.

RUMA WERI



Oliver Greenfield



For trying hard to be a focussed learner. You are managing yourself better and enjoying the successes you are achieving in your learning - Tino pai Oliver, keep up the great work.

Heidi Higgins

For the lovely way you collaborate with your friends, both in play and our class learning. You share your enthusiasm and creativity in such a fun way that you ensure your friends feel welcome and have fun as well.

Ka pai Heidi.



RUMA MAHURI



Sebastian Barbosa

For your consistent engagement in your learning. You make wonderful contributions to class and group discussions. We love your unique perspectives and how they challenge us all to think diversely. Ka pai to mahi!

Luke Reid

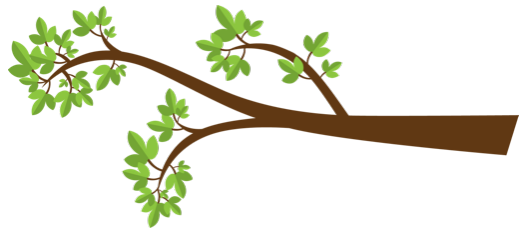
For the mature way that you work with others. You are kind, compassionate and mature in your interactions with your peers. You actively listen to others ideas, negotiate in a thoughtful way and compromise when necessary. Tino pai Luke.



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MAHI TAHI



RUMA PEKA



Bayley de Luca Oliveria

For all the contributions you make to our class discussions and the learning in our maths groups. We appreciate the way you include others in collaborative activities and support your peers when needed.

Anna Sergiychuk

For showing wonderful confidence in delivering a very well researched speech. You are an amazing role model in the way you positively engage in every task.



RUMA RAU



Fletcher Scott

You have a wonderful way of collaborating with others and you listen carefully to your classmates. You are generous in contributing and negotiating with the end-goal in mind.

Talanoa Taotala

For your focussed engagement in your learning. You are able to adapt when plans change and you share such funny jokes with us!



RUMA TIWAI



Sacha Lee

You always give your best and you are a great example of a team player. Thank you for your contribution to our school by helping younger students during rainy days

Andrew Coutts

You always give your best and you are a great example of a team player. Thank you for your contribution through sharing your digital skills with the class to enhance our learning.

Bike Track Learning



Excellence

quality, perseverance, resolve, adaptability

You are invited to join us for our information evening
about our **fully sponsored**
Year 7/8 Leadership Class/Programme in 2023.

'NGĀ RAU RANGITIRA'



When: Thursday 29th September, 2022- 6pm

Where: Ruma Tiwai

Who: Kaipaki Community

(all Kaipaki parents and children)

What: An information evening about our
fully sponsored Year 7/8 Leadership Classroom for 2023

MA TE TAUIRA, KA PUTA TE TAUIRA
FROM LEADERSHIP, WILL GROW LEADERSHIP



Kia Manawaroa is the Ministry of Education's pānui for whānau Māori.

Read the latest issue of Kia Manawaroa here:

<https://mailchi.mp/education/kia-manawaroa-12-august-2022>

It is written by Māori for Māori, with information about opportunities and milestones in education, Māori success as Māori, Te Reo Māori, and COVID-19 updates relevant to whānau as and when appropriate.

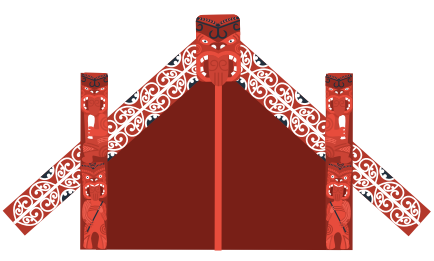
The latest issue is out now with updates about: Te Wiki o te Reo Māori dates,
new resource to support tamariki transition into kura, Whānau wellbeing and support and so much more!



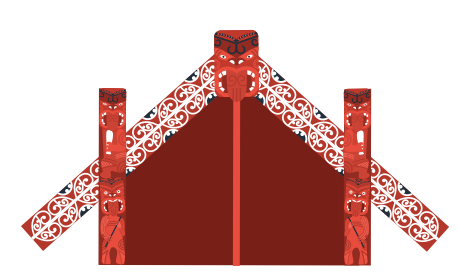
THANK YOU

Huge thanks to Dan Gibb for replacing our climbing rope on the adventure playground for us. Our hands thank you!





TE OHU



This year some lucky children from Ruma Peka, Ruma Rau and Ruma Tiwai were chosen to go to the Maori classes commonly known as Te Ohu. We were taught 3 different activities; Ariki (a game like ripper tag), mau raakau (the art of fighting with long wooden sticks), and poi. At most schools there is a powhiri to welcome us. There are approximately 6 schools in total.

By Hana



My Trip to Te Ohu was one of the coolest experiences of my life; we went with about 4 kids from each class. We arrived and got an amazing powhiri from Goodwood kids and then we morning tea and it included sausages brownies and fruit. Yum! Next we practised singing E Noho Tuheitia, Waikato te Awa and my favourite, the haka. Then we got separated into 6 different groups. They were Kakapo, Kiwi, Tui, Kowhai, Totara and Nikau. I was Kaakapo, first we had Ariki which is a traditional game where there are two teams and everyone has streamers except the Ariki (they only wore one if their ribbon got pulled the game was over) and if the rest of the players got all two ribbon tags then they got out next we had poi and then we had raakau which is Maori stick fighting. Afterwards we got certificates and then we went home. By Tommy

WRITER'S WORKSHOP

Andrew Coutts and Nina Balsom were recently invited to attend a writing workshop hosted by well known authors such as Des Hunt and Andrew MacDonald. What an amazing opportunity!



KUPU O TE WIKI

This week's kupu
(words) are;



Nanenane - Goat



Reme - Lamb



Kaawhe - Calf

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2022 Term Dates

Term 3 Monday 25th July - Friday 30th September

Term 4 Monday 17th October - Thursday 15th December