

SPORTS NOTICES

Flippaball Results

Tues 14/3 - Mamaku Dolphins vs Kawaha Point Flippers - Won 8/0. POD Curtis Fredrick

Community Notices

The school has been fortunate to gain extra funding to train an instructor to run the 10 weeks, Roots Of Empathy (ROE) programme in our school. We are looking for a parent with a 3-6 month old baby who can come in once a week for 30 minutes for one class to do the ROE programme "Baby watching". Please contact Angelina Veysi asap if you are interested, on 3325791 or 0210617305.

Biking in the district - All students have been told that biking to and from school should be on the road not the footpath as the law explains. If any child needs to bike on the footpath for safety reasons, they must give way to people walking. This means to get off their bikes and walk around them on the footpath or go onto the road. This rule is the same for when children enter the school grounds, where they must get off their bikes and walk them to the bike stand.

As a small community village we need to work together and support each other and be involved to make improvements and make sure we have a "safe and caring community".

Gala fundraisers : Rm 2 Firewood Raffle 4 cubic metres boxwood. \$5 per ticket.
Firewood Raffle 2 cubic metres mixed wood. \$2 per ticket. Available at school office.
All Junior School families (Rms 1,2 & 4) will receive a plastic plate today. Please support them in their cake stall fundraiser.

MID-ISLAND GYM SPORTS SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAMME April 2017

Choose between leaving your child 8.30-3pm (\$30 per day) or 8.30-5.15pm (\$40 per day). We start the day with a range of fun games and getting to know each other, followed by the daily activity.


During the day the children will get to take full advantage of our great Gymnastics and

Trampoline facilities. (PLEASE NOTE **OUT-DAYS ARE AN EXTRA \$7.50**). We are now Ministry of Social Development approved for OSCAR subsidies. Applications for OSCAR must be completed 2 weeks prior to attendance.


For more info see the flyer on the school notice board outside the office.

Mamaku Residents Association

Fundraising Quiz



Friday 31st March at 7pm in the Memorial Hall.
Maximum of 4 to a team.
\$5 per person.
Test your general knowledge and read up on your local history!!!
Team prize for first place and spot prizes!
Team **MUST** be registered by 21st March. Choose a leader, make up a name and ring Dave: 027-315-3981 to register.
If you are an individual but would like to be part of a quiz team you can register as an individual and we will organise a team for you. Please email Dave: davedwillis@hotmail.co.uk by 21st March
Tea and Coffee with supper will be provided afterwards.



MAMAKU SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Term 1 Week 7
15 March 2017



Tena koutou katoa

This Friday night is the "MAMAKU SCHOOL TWILIGHT GALA, 5 - 7.30pm"

Spread the word and please get friends and family up here from Rotorua for a great time and to help the Home and School fundraise to support our kids.

Get some loose change so you can enjoy the fun, win some great prizes and get some bargains. When you come to the Gala please buy your tickets at the entrance where it says **Ticket Stall**. If you have anything for the "White Elephant" sale please let us know asap, or deliver to Room 1a by the Hall.

The Home and School and kids also need volunteers to set up the hall and outside stalls this Friday from either (9 -10.30), (11 - 12.30), (1.30 -3), (3.30 - 5.00), during the Gala (5.00 - 7.30pm) and clean up (7.30pm - 8.00pm). Please just come along and pitch in or contact Miranda, Robyn B, Carol S or myself for further information.

This year the Home and School have organised even more great activities and delicious food.

Quick fire Raffles, Kids stalls, White Elephant Sale, Bouncy Castle, Paintball shooting, Bumper Balls game, BBQ, hot food, drinks, Go Karts, Sweet treats, Horse and pony rides, Dunking Machine, Raffles, pizza oven, and heaps and heaps of prizes to be won. Games and activities for young and old.

Please remember that this is a School Gala and School grounds are alcohol and Smoke Free at all times.

I can not stress the importance of a good night's sleep for our children and being on time for school. Our Attendance target is for all students to be at school at least **94%** or better.

Reminder to all students that we have a special treat at the end of the term for students with **96%** or better attendance and a special reward for the class with the best overall attendance. If your child is away for a genuine reason please make contact with the office as soon as possible. This is to make sure everyone is safe and accounted for.

Ngā mihi nui Gary Veysi

School Diary

Twilight Gala -Fri 17/3, 5pm

Photolife class & individual photos - Tues 21/3 **

Note Change of date.

Please be dressed up and here on time. If your child is starting in Room 1 this year please contact us so they can be in the Room 1 photo.

Home & School meeting - Tues 21/3. 1.30pm in staffroom

BOT meeting - Wed 22/3, 6pm.

Telephone Book Delivery - from 31/3 to 7/4

Picture of the Week



Our Year 7 & 8's learning cooking skills during Tech at Western Heights High School.

THE SHINING STARS OF ROOM 4

"We all have star qualities. Mine is that I know a lot about the world." - Liam

"My star quality is that I am good at drawing fish." - Ethen



Room 4 have been focusing on creating a positive learning environment. We have been identifying Our "Star Qualities." When we feel good about ourselves we treat others kindly.

"We looked at apples and they all looked the same at first. They have a star inside. We have star qualities. I am good at looking after my baby sister." -Magdalena

"I am a star because I am good at reading." -Rawiri



Stars of the Week

- Room 1 - Iharaira Anderson-Loffley - Showing leadership skills at PMP
- Room 2 - Nevaeh Rowe-Mason - Working hard on her writing
Tylar Glover - Having great ideas to talk about for his writing
- Room 4 - Sophie Bloomfield - A fantastic helper and role model in our class
- Room 5 - Makayla Portland - Great progress in maths
- Room 6 - Diesel Osborne - Amazing independent writing
Nathaniel Aldridge - Working hard to improve his maths
- Room 7 - All of Room 7 - Fantastic effort in completing their get well cards for a fellow learner - writing with empathy

Principal Awards

- Ashton Ryan - Super story writing
- Blake Pachoud - Super story writing
- Curtis Fredrick - Great Writing

'Caught Being Good' Awards

- Natasha Sklenars - Playing nicely
- Maraea Pepene - Sorting a problem in the playground
- Zavier Te Kani - Sharing his PE equipment with a friend
- Tori Spooner - Helping a Junior with a bee sting