



Kuratau School

Kimihia Te Matauranga Kia U Ki Te Pono
Through Seeking Knowledge Comes Truth

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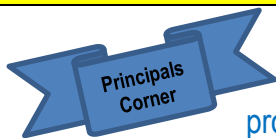
IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

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| 13 th November | Athletics Begin in afternoon |
| 9 th November | Waihi Parents Meeting |
| 16 th November | Flower Day |
| 17 th November | Pet Day |
| 27 th November | Waihi Camp Begins |

***** Things to remember! *****

BUCKET HATS – Must be worn from Week 2.
No caps will be allowed.
NO HAT NO PLAY!

PET & FLOWER DAY – FRIDAY 17TH NOVEMBER



Kia ora all, only five weeks to the end of our 2017 school year. Currently we are all very busy at school completing assessments. This so we can provide a clear picture of your child's progress through the year. Attached to the report will be a review of all learning experiences your child has been involved in through the year. A number of events are coming up over the remaining weeks.

We hope you are able to join us for some of them.

Don't worry be happy ☺

WAIHI BEACH CAMP - Information

RAFFLE TICKETS

Please return your money and filled in sheets back to school before Friday 17th November. The raffle will be drawn at Pet Day.

PAYMENT FOR CAMP

\$100.00 per child

\$40.00 per adult helper

This **MUST** be paid on or before the 15th November 2017. If payment is not received by this time, your child will be unable to attend. No exceptions!

Bank account: 06 0471 0055454 00

WAIHI BEACH CAMP 2017



Compulsory parent meeting tonight @ Kuratau School at 6.00pm. If you are intending to come as a parent helper to the Waihi Camp you **MUST** attend this meeting. If you don't attend it will be assumed you are not going on camp. Thanks ☺

SCHOOL TROPHIES

We are still awaiting the following trophies to be returned. Sports Award – Jorja Neill, Wylie Cup – Ripeka Taewa, Room 2 academic – Jasmin McManus. Can you please send them to school on Monday so we can arrange engraving for this years recipients. Many thanks.

BUS INFORMATION



A big thank you to all those who have paid their bus accounts recently. It is much appreciated. Remember you can pay in weekly installments to avoid receiving a big bill at the end of each term.

TAMARIKI TAG

Its great to see so many of our Kuratau kids participating in the Tamariki Tag competition on Wednesdays in Turangi. Please keep encouraging your child to attend and play, they are doing an awesome job!

ATTENDANCE

If your child is absent you must let your child's teacher or the school office know as soon as possible. Please note: it is the schools policy **NOT** to give out work to do at home if your child is off school.

NON SCHOOL CAMP CHILDREN

If your child is not attending camp, the school will be open and operating during that week. Your child is expected to attend school during that time. It is considered truancy if they do not attend school without a valid reason.

CAKE STALL AND MOVIE DAY MONEY RAISED

The past few weeks the children have been running cake stalls and a movie day. So far they have raised over \$500.00. What a great effort. Due to Pet and Flower Day next Friday, Movie Day will be postponed and held at another time.

Nits are on the loose again at school, please check your child's hair and treat every 6-7 days.

PET DAY TIMETABLE 2017

Friday 17th November

Pet Day begins at 10.00am

Dear Parents some changes to Pet Day. We have a large number of children without pets, so the organisation for pet day will change. We will still as usual prepare our indoor floral art on Thursday, and have baking to be judged and auctioned on Friday. Indoors will be available for viewing from 8.30. The changes are....

Friday

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| 8.30 - 9.45am | Children in class as normal |
| 10-00am | Pet Judging begins children with pets assemble at the Judging ring. Farm Tabloid games for all children without pets |
| 11.20am | Parade of Judged pets |
| 11.30 am | Presentation of winners - indoors |
| 12.00noon | Cake Auction - winning cakes only - BBQ LUNCH - |
| 1.30pm | Cricket |



If you are bringing a pet, please make sure and you have a water container for them as well as a bag to pick up their deposits around school. Dogs need to be on a lead at all times.

It is your responsibility to look after your animal at all times. Caring for your animal is important.

