

Student leader News

Pasifika Pride

Last Friday 18 kids from Pasifika Pride got chosen to do a Pasifika workshop at Rjverdale for their language week. The song/dance we performed and then taught was 'Le Aute.' Well done to Loueni and Emeline, the two leaders who lead the group.



Leadership Conference

This week on Monday our student leaders went to a student leaders conference called GRIP Leadership. We talked about how to make a positive difference, and how we could become better leaders in our school and in the community. Thank you Pa Wes and Mrs A for taking us.

Papatūānuku Awards

Room 1 - Lucas, Jamiee, Rizvi, Kloey, Xavier, Pomare, Tarzhae & James

Room 2 - He'len, Rawiri, Laurell & Petone

Room 9 - Lucy, Jaxson & Manawa

Wairautanga Awards

Playground - Eseta, Aniva, Olivia, Tasi, William

Classroom - Mele, Miziah, Angel, Una-Dawn, Maihi-Manukura

Top Cat Class

Room 4

Lunch with Mrs Johnson

Cyllus Rm 9 & Ariki Rm 10

Star Staff Award
Whaea Sarah received this award for all the wonderful work she does.



Mr Telfer Retires

After 14 years of caretaker service Mr Telfer retired on Wednesday this week. Mr Telfer did not want an assembly for his farewell, however he did agree to having a morning tea with the staff. We are currently all working together as a school team while we continue to look for a new caretaker. Thank you Mr Telfer for your work and your service to the school and community.

Support Staff Week

We celebrated all our support staff last week by holding a catered breakfast for them. We used our new wananga space Te Mokai o Tautu to host this occasion. Thank you support staff for everything you do at our kura for our students and whanau. We appreciate you a great deal.

Cycle Track/Field

Our cycle track opened up this week for our students to scooter on during their break times. Until we are able to source our bicycles we will use our track so our students learn how to be safe. They will practice scootering one way around the track, using the signage we have so far to help them. Pa Wes and our Student Leaders are supporting this breaktime activity. Thank you for this awhi team. Grass has been sown around the track and students have begun learning how to cross over the track to play on the field safely.



Wairautanga Day

We will be celebrating Wairautanga Day on Wednesday 23rd June. Our theme will be Matariki. We are excited to acknowledge and celebrate our students for their beautiful behaviour and positive attitude. Congratulations tamariki ma.

Pae Tamariki

He Haupihi ki Hine will be taking part in the up and coming pae Tamariki opportunity on Monday 28th June. It is fabulous that we get to participate in this again this year. Thank you Whaea Darnielle and the team for the organisation leading up to this event.

Teacher Union Meetings - School Closing Early

On Friday 2nd July Te Kura o Wairau will be closing early at 12noon so the teaching staff can attend their NZEI Union meeting. Please arrange for your children to be picked up at 12noon on this day. Thank you.

Just Brass - End of Term 2 Concert

Our Just Brass group along with Monrad Intermediate will be performing on Sunday 4th July at the Salvation Army at 1:30pm. Please pop along and see the progress the students have made and be part of the celebration. Thank you Just Brass team for the wonderful contribution you are making to our students and kura.

Ngā mihi,
Teena Johnson
Tumuaki/Principal

Welcome

We would like to welcome Eljae, Alice, Jadace, Maddison & their families to the Te Kura o Wairau community.

Assembly

Room 9 presented assembly last Friday and they did a fabulous job. Thank you Room 9. The next assembly will be held on Friday the 25th of June at 2.15pm. Selected students from Rata will be presenting. Do come along and join us.

Room 2 have been doing some work about Water displacement - Did you know that... the heavier a boat is the lower it sits in the water. Also that a boat's weight can be measured by the amount of water it pushes up around it. This is called water displacement (just like when you have a bath and the water moves up around you). Room 2 made tin foil boats and measured how much weight they could carry before they sunk. I wonder which boat design could hold the most weight?



Public Health Nurse visits

The Public Health Nurse is unable to visit our school at present as she is involved in the Covid vaccination programme. We can still send in a referral on your behalf if you have any health concerns regarding your child/children.

Coming Events

23 rd June	Wairautanga Day
25 th June	Assembly at 2pm - Rata team
30 th June	Board of Trustees meeting @ 5.30pm, in school staffroom, feel free to join us.
2 nd July	School will finish at 12pm for NZEI Teachers union meeting.
9 th July	Last Day of Term 2 - Happy Holidays
26 th July	First Day of Term 3

Sports

Netball News:

Wildcats Team & Whistlers Team - There is no Netball for 3 weeks as the Arena is not available.

Practices are at school on Fridays @ 3.15pm.

Games are at Arena Manawatu each Saturday. The draw can be found on the School Notice board, Kahikatea Facebook page, or use the School App.

Please remember to bring your drink bottles to games.

Fees are \$30.

Basketball News:

Players of the Day for last week:

Year 3/4 Warriors - Week 5 - Nevaeah, Week 6 - No game

Year 5/6 Wairau Wairuas - Last week - Zack & this week

Blayze

Year 5/6 the Monstars - Kare for both last week & this week.

Year 3/4 Basketball Practices are held after school on Tuesdays.

Year 5/6 Basketball Practices are held every Wednesday at school from 3.10pm-4.15pm, either on the courts or in the hall if wet. Please search for Te Kura o Wairau on 'SchoolAppsNz' app to be kept up to date with team info and game draws.

Fees are \$45. All Sports fees are due now, please pay at the office.

School Cross Country Results

Year 5 Girls

1st Toa

2nd Bailey

3rd Colleen

4th Jaeda

Year 5 Boys

1st Mika

2nd Zephyr

3rd Emon

4th Adacus

Year 6 Girls

1st Olivia

2nd Malaika

3rd Shahn-Tyahna

4th Emeline

Year 6 Boys

1st Darnell

2nd Tahī

3rd Crusade

4th Nevada

Rugby News

Tiny Cyclones Road Show

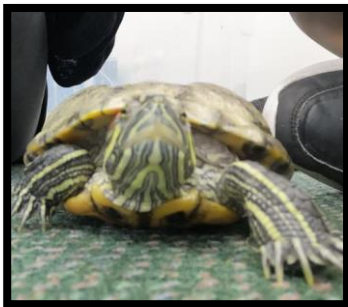
Who: All junior Girls keen to develop and learn rugby skills (Ages 6-13)

When: Monday 21st June (Palmerston North)

Time: 4pm-5pm

Where: Ongley Park (Palmerston North,

Look forward to seeing all the local junior girls that are keen to play and learn rugby.



We had a special visitor at school recently



Pasifika Pride performing at Riverdale School



Support Staff Breakfast



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AGES 8-13 YEARS
EVERY WEDNESDAY FROM MAY 19 - JUNE 23
@ Highbury Whanau Centre
3.30-4.30 PM

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NUMBERS ARE LIMITED SO BOOK EARLY!!



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Dental Treatment

The Mobile Dental Clinic is at our school. They are examining and providing preventative treatment. Students who requiring further treatment will be given an information pamphlet, medical history form and consent form. These will need to be signed and sent back to school before any treatment is undertaken. If you need to contact the Dental Team please phone 027 616 6516.

Lost Property

Please check the lost property boxes if you have lost anything. You can find lost property to the right of the entrance to the office (at the back of Room 3). Please make sure you name all your items of clothing.

School Facebook page

Have a look at our Kowhai, Rata and Kahikatea teams facebook pages. Each team has their own page and regularly puts photos and exciting news of what is happening within their teams and around the school. Search for them: [Te Kura o Wairau Kowhai Team](#), [Te Kura o Wairau Rata Team](#), [Te Kura o Wairau Kahikatea Team](#).

PLEASE remember to ring us if your child is going to be away from school for any reason. Contact us on 3543274 or 0800 45 44 44 or download the school app (from School Apps or scan the QR code below) and leave a message.

If you do not inform us when your child/children are away from school, they will be marked as TRUANT.

Also, if you have a change of address or your phone number changes, PLEASE let the office know.



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