



Whakamaru School Newsletter 2018

Week: 9 Term: 3

Tēnā Koutou ngā Whānau o Te Kura o Whakamaru
Greetings to the Whakamaru School Community

The term has rushed by and we are heading in to our last week. As the weather improves it is great to see the students playing well together and showing respect for each other. The school has a very positive culture and I enjoy observing the caring way some of our older students treat our young students. This is a real benefit of a small rural school.

The same can be said for behaviour within the classrooms. Students work hard in class and are self-motivated. Our teachers are professional and thoughtful people, with the interest of each student at the heart of all they do.

We are so lucky to have such a great team.

Regards

Colleen Jaques

(Relieving Principal)

Supreme Kaahu Award Hiria Hancy



Tauhara

Kaahu Kids

Tongaririo

Pureora

Titiraupeka

Tauhara

Mason



Khassysus



Meihana



Kaani



Bailey



RJ



Estahrn



Pania



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ASSEMBLY CERTIFICATES

	Room 1	Room 2	Room 3	Room 5
Class Certificates	Alex Burgess	Keilah Colipano	Aanav, Sidra, Pania, Nevaeh, Dana, Aotearoa, River	Selvyiah Marks
Duffy Certificate	Wiremu Webber	Braiden Currie	Syifa Mohammad	Miriama Bullen



2018 Culture Festival

Our Junior and Senior Kapa Haka group performed beautifully at the Tokoroa Culture Festival this year. The entire Festival was filmed and is available for purchase.

Culturefest Video Orders – 2018
Cost \$30 (Flash Drive – HD quality)

All orders (with money) can be made at the office and we will order them.

Meetings and Events



Coming Events

- Tuesdays – Kapa Haka
- *Odd weeks*, Wednesday – Tech for Year 7's & 8's.
- Fridays – Assembly 9:00am
- Monday 24th – BOT meeting 6:00pm
- Tuesday 25th – Bible in Schools
- Tuesday 25th – Youthtown sports.

Pita Pit Lunches

From September 4th you can order Pita Pit Wraps on line every Tuesday at the normal price. Go online to www.lunchonline.co.nz to register.

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Celebrate Conservation Week!

- Build your own backyard rat trap (\$5)
- Learn to weave harakeke
- Mold nature into salt clay
- and much more...!!!

Family Nature Activity Day
@ Waipaihihi Botanical Gardens
This Saturday, 22 September, 11am- 1pm

See our website & facebook
for more details

www.greeningtaupo.org.nz



www.kidsgreeningtaupo.org.nz

Absences

If your child is away from school, for any reason, please contact the school. For Health and Safety reasons we are required to document your child's absence. You can phone us or text a message.

Whakamaru School Maunga Points



Winners - Tongariro

Netball Challenge Whakamaru All Stars vs Senior Stars



Last week we had a closely fought challenge to celebrate the end of the season, Well done to everyone!!





At our Duffy Role Model Assembly we had a very special guest - Maaka Fisco - the winner of NZ X Factor 2016. He was a great speaker and sang a beautiful song for us, then gave out our Duffy books.



REMEMBER to LIKE us on FACEBOOK to keep up-to-date with school happenings, reminders and events

Our Facebook page is:
Whakamaru School Education

School Flat for Rental

Whakamaru Village (2 bedroom, 1 bathroom) tidy house for rent.

Fully fenced, carport and lock up. No dogs.

For information please contact the school Office – 07 882 8872

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