



WHAKAMARU SCHOOL

Growing Creative Thinkers

NEWSLETTER T4
Week 03 2022 #2



Supreme
KAAHU kids



Casseus Murray
Week 01 Term 4



Kohatu Murray
Week 02 Term 4

Tēnā koutou ngā whānau o te kura o Whakamaru.

Whakatauki o nga Marama - Phrase of the month

Kohikohi ngā kākano whakaritea te pārekereke,
kia puāwai ngā hua.

Gather the seeds, prepare the seedbed carefully, and you will be gifted with abundance of food.

We are so proud of Lily Murray being awarded the **Graeme Dingle Foundation Waikato - Kiwi Can - Manukura Pono Excellence Award**. Judges recognised Lily's outstanding efforts in living the kaupapa of Integrity. She was invited to the regional prizegiving this week but unfortunately due to the Room 1 camp in Wellington she was unable to attend.

Huge thank you to the **Mangakino Central Charitable Trust** for donating \$1000 to the school. We have tagged this money to purchase an educational work shed for our students that will house tools, resources, wood etc for them to use to build and create things in the grounds.

Our **pool keys** are available for our community. \$60 a key of this \$30 is a key deposit. If you would like a school pool key, please come to school and sign our code of conduct form for the use of our school pool over the summer.

Please ensure your child has their own **hat** at school this term. The days are getting warmer and it is vital they are sun smart.

We have gathered a range of sizes of **second-hand school uniforms** from past students. These are for sale—polo's \$15 & Hoodies \$30 each, if you would like some extra uniforms for your children. Please be aware there are only a limited number of sizes, see Elva in the office. First in first served.



Our room 1 students are having a ball in **Wellington** and we look forward to hearing how their trip has gone on their return on Friday.

Ngā mihi
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Tatau Roopu
Maunga
Term 4



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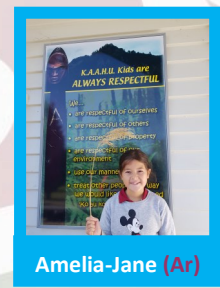
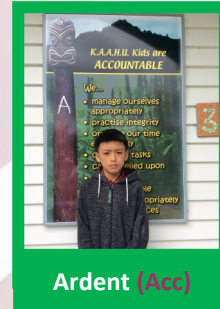
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Term 4 2022 Week 01 Awards



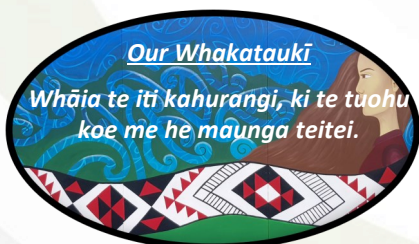
Maunga	Junior Students WEEK 01
Pureora	Veyron Tipene
Titiraupenga	Azril Maulana
Tongariro	Olivia King
Tauhara	Mckenzie Colipano



Assembly hosts
#01 Term 4 2022
Jazarah & Evie

Maunga	Senior Students WEEK 01
Pureora	Ardent Perez
Titiraupenga	Hayden Riri
Tongariro	Amelia-Jane Karauna
Tauhara	Aanav Singh

Week 01 Certificates	Room 1	Room 2	Room 3	Room 5
Achievement Certificates	Simara Jensen-Cridge	Casseus Murray Sisilia Adicaginitoba	Nathaniel Aryunda	Evie Williams
Caught Being Good Duffy Certificates	Albert Talawadua	Chevylee Murray	Hunter Prier	Kohatu Murray



Pursue that which is precious and do not be deterred by anything less than a lofty mountain.

KAAHU KIDS

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- * are curious, inquiring and reflective.

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- * To ones self, others and property.

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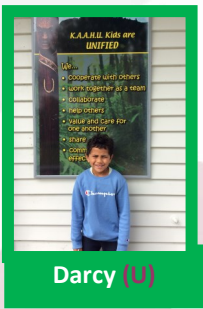
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Term 4 2022 Week 02 Awards



Darcy (U)



William (H)



Olivia (H)



Corvo (Acc)



Supreme KAAHU KID
Kohatu Murray
Week 02



Rolly (U)



Hosea (U)



Dana (H)



River (K/U)

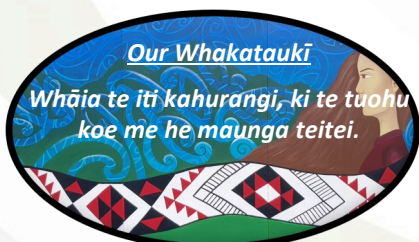
Maunga	Junior Students WEEK 02
Pureora	Darcy Mackey-Namana
Titiraupenga	William Kuliniilo
Tongariro	Olivia King
Tauhara	Corvo Oka-Smith



Assembly hosts
#02 Term 4 2022
Aotearoa & Mahiia

Maunga	Senior Students WEEK 02
Pureora	Rolly Te Oka Reti
Titiraupenga	Hosea Mackey-Namana
Tongariro	Dana Swann
Tauhara	River Hackford

Week 02 Certificates	Room 1	Room 2	Room 3	Room 5
Achievement Certificates	Aotearoa Taylor	Kahliah-Jane Oka Smith Kohineteraupara Taylor Layton Ransfield	Lilly Currie Hunter Prier	Olivia King Kohatu Murray
Caught Being Good Duffy Certificates	Hosea Mackey-Namana	Rolly Te Oka Reti	Isaiah Palangeanu	Cody Sillis



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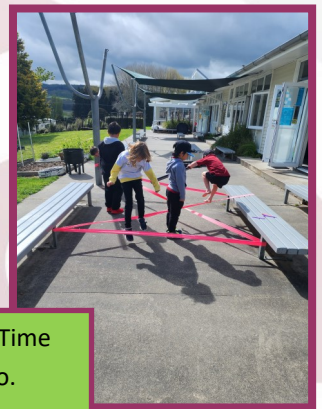
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Things we have been doing lately



Preparing for athletics this term with some fun during i-Time and self-directed learning. Jumping from one foot to two.



Thank you to Pippa, Arlo, Maelee and Maddison who brought along their lambs, Lily and Grace who brought their calves and Grace and Carla who brought their miniature pony and their dog to our farm pets sharing afternoon.



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Amelia-Jane Karauna

For the last couple of weeks room 2 have been doing art by Christine Rena from her book Ha. This is my progress in my art. I have done one side green for tane mahuta and the other side blue for tangaroa.

Pippa Wilkinson

This is my picture I have been colouring in. It is a picture from Christine Rena's Ha art collection. Ha means breath our breathing.



Tehani-Rose Anderson

I choose this picture because I knew that maybe I would get good colours on it. Whea Donna Brought this by Christine Rena from her Ha art collection I don't know what to do with it maybe sell it or gift it.

Ms. Whatarau
Room 5 2022 - Oct 31

The woodwork table was set up today and Teneti was helping to cut the large board down to useable pieces. He worked hard to cut his piece in half with the saw. It was tricky because he had to get the saw at the right angle before it would cut properly. He was also part of the discussion about where half was so that he could cut two even pieces. "Where is halfway?" "It's over here."

Ms. Whatarau
Room 5 2022 - 4 hours ago

Logan made a shield out of ice cream lids. He used a piece of metal from the tinkering area as a handle. It worked for a while then fell off even though he tried to make it stronger by using cardboard as well. I suggested he cut holes which Logan thought was a good idea. He tried to make the holes with scissors but was unsuccessful. I helped him by cutting holes with a craft knife. "That makes it stronger," said Logan
Curriculum Links: Technology
Urges: Construction
Key Competencies: Thinking, Managing self.



Curriculum Links: Maths-Finding half of something, Managing Self by persisting, Relating to others through taking turns, helping and supporting others and cooperating.

Urges: Deconstruction.



Arlo Wilkinson

I built this bird house



Taerangi Riri

Today Chevy lee and I made a flower out of flax



Things we have been doing lately

CITY CREATION - MINECRAFT

TAHEI-PEARL, LILLY & MCQUINN CREATED THEIR CITY ON MINECRAFT. THIS WAS DESIGNED BY THEM. THIS CITY HAS A ROLLER COASTER, FARM FENCES FOR ANIMALS, AND A NUMBER OF BUILDINGS FOR DIFFERENT PURPOSES.



CURRICULUM L2
TECHNOLOGICAL PRACTICE
- PLANNING FOR PRACTICE - DEVELOP A PLAN THAT IDENTIFIES THE KEY STAGES AND THE RESOURCES REQUIRED TO COMPETE IN OUTCOME

PUT THAT OVER HERE,



KAAHU VALUES
UNIFIED - WORKING TOGETHER
CO OPERATING TO CREATE A CITY FOR A RANGE OF USES.

PBL URGES -
CONSTRUCTION
CONNECTING WITH OTHERS
KEY COMPETENCIES
THINKING, RELATING TO OTHERS, PARTICIPATING & CONTRIBUTING





HEAVIEST CALF COMPETITION

2022

Info

The 2022 Whakamaru School Heaviest Calf Competition is coming up. All funds raised go directly towards our school's farm bus.

Up for grabs is the annual 1st prize trophy with the winning farm & farmers name engraved onto it.

Full bragging rights for the rest of the year along with a number of spot prizes available for competitors.

CURRENT TROPHY HOLDER

- Wairarapa Moana Farm 03 - Jay Arifin - 194kg

THINGS TO CONSIDER

- A spring born calf
- Friesian Bull (preferably)
- Pick up of calves will be the first week in December



Contact

Please contact Matua James at Whakamaru School 07 8828872, if you are interested in taking part in this competition and fundraising event.



Term 4 2022 dates of interest

Please keep up an eye on our communication platforms Classdojo, Facebook & Skool Loop for any change of dates or cancellations .



SUNSMART

We are a sun smart school so between the terms 1 & 4 (the hotter months) all students must have a hat for school and wear it while playing outside. Thank you for your co-operation.

Days/ Weeks	Monday Rahina	Tuesday Ratu	Wednesday Raapa	Thursday Rapare	Friday Ramere
One	17/10 Karakia Guitar Lessons	18/10 Kapa haka Guitar Lessons Supreme Kaahu treat	19/10 Karakia Newsletter #02 Issue 7 Lucky Books Te Reo lessons 6pm	20/10 Karakia Tech Y7&8 Assembly	21/10 Teacher only day
Two	24/10 Labour Weekend	25/10 Kapa haka Guitar Lessons Pat day afternoon	26/10 Karakia Te Reo lessons 6pm	27/10 Karakia Tech Y7&8	28/10 Assembly KiwiCan Trophy returns
Three	31/10 Karakia Guitar Lessons Room 1 Wellington Camp travel day	01/11 Kapa haka Guitar Lessons Room 1 Wellington Camp	02/11 Karakia Newsletter #02 Te Reo lessons 6pm Room 1 Wellington Camp	03/11 Karakia Tech Y7&8 Room 1 Wellington Camp	04/11 Assembly KiwiCan Room 1 Wellington Camp return
Four	07/11 Karakia Guitar Lessons	08/11 Kapa haka Guitar Lessons	09/11 Karakia Te Reo lessons 6pm	10/11 Karakia Tech Y7&8	11/11 Pinelands Junior Athletics (Marotiri) KiwiCan
Five	14/11 Karakia Guitar Lessons	15/11 Kapa haka Guitar Lessons Room 2 Beach ed	16/11 Karakia Taupo Athletics Te Reo lessons 6pm	17/11 Karakia Tech Y7&8	18/11 Pinelands senior Athletics (Tirohanga)
Six	21/11 Karakia Guitar Lessons	22/11 Kapa haka Guitar Lessons	23/11—Karakia Room 2 Noho Marae Tauranga—travel day Te Reo lessons 6pm	24/11 Karakia Tech Y7&8 last day Room 2 Noho Marae Tauranga	25/11 Assembly KiwiCan Room 2 Noho Marae Tauranga—return
Seven	28/11 Karakia Guitar Lessons	29/11 Kapa haka Guitar Lessons	30/11 Karakia Te Reo lessons 6pm	01/12— Karakia Formal dance (Marotiri) TBC Closing date lucky books Year 8 dinner	02/12 Performance Assembly KiwiCan
Eight	05/12 Karakia Guitar Lessons Life Education	06/12—Kapa haka Guitar Lessons Year 8 trip & sleepover Life Education	07/12 Karakia Life Education Te Reo lessons 6pm	08/12 Karakia Tech Y7&8	09/12 Final Assembly KiwiCan
Nine	12/12 Karakia Guitar Lessons	13/12 School finishes at 12:30 Reports go home	School Holidays start		School returns on Wednesday 1 February 2023