



WHAKAMARU SCHOOL

Growing Creative Thinkers

NEWSLETTER #01
T3 Week 01

Supreme KAHU kid

Week 10



Lilly Currie



Assembly Hosts Week 10

Matthew & Kayden



Principals message

Tēnā koutou ngā whānau o te kura o Whakamaru.

Whakatauki o te rua wiki - Phrase of the fortnight Mānawatia a Matariki. *Celebrate Matariki*

Celebrating Matariki this term, it is a time of remembrance, celebrating the present and looking to the future. We have a number of artwork from our students on display at the **Ngā Mata o Te Marama** exhibition at the Taupo Museum. This is being held between Friday 30 June – Sunday 13 August 2023 so pop in and have a look. Also our students are learning how to play **Ki-o-Rahi** at school with the support of Sarah from Youthtown who is taking weekly sessions with our students.

This term we have the Pinelands, Taupo & Waikato Full Primary Schools Cross Country events, rippa rugby, Tūwharetoa festival. **See the calendar** on the back page to see what's going on this term.

Fluoride in Schools Programme is visiting next Tuesday. Fluoride varnish is a temporary protective coating that is painted on your child's teeth. It is quick and easy to apply. See attachment for more information about this visit.

We are looking for a **temporary cleaner** for a couple of weeks during the month of October this year due to our current school cleaner heading away overseas. If you are interested please contact Elva at school.

Our **Board of Trustee meetings** are once a month, usually around mid-month on a Tuesday (see term calendar). This term we are holding them via Zoom. If you are interested in being part of our meeting please let me know. We are currently looking at the re-development of the toilet blocks and classrooms, working alongside Bishops Architecture company from Rotorua, who have worked with Broadlands School. Exciting times ahead of us.

As we head into calving season, we will be again asking our farming community to take part in our **"Biggest Calf Competition"**. More information will go out in the next newsletter.

Nga mihi nui
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Highlights from **Term 2**



Term 2 2023—Supreme KAAHU KIDS



*E huri tō aroaro ki te rā
tukuna tō ataarangi ki
muri i a koe.*

*Turn and face the sun
and let your shadow fall
behind you.*

Week 10 Certificates	Room 1	Room 2	Room 3	Room 5
Achievement Certificates	David Kurniawan	Casseus Murray	Jaden King Tamati-James Potter Laike Leatherby	
Caught Being Good Duffy Certificates	Estahrn Currie	Ryan Huffam	Logan Brolly	Kayden Farquharson Matthew Pinlac

KAAHU KIDS

WE ARE CREATIVE THINKERS WHO ARE.....

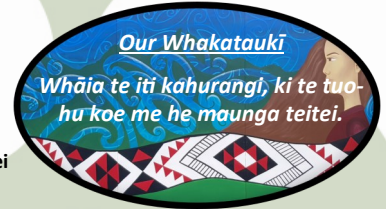
Knowledge seekers (K) - who are curious, inquiring and reflective—He tangata whai matauranga

Always respectful (Ar) - to ones self, others and property. He tangata whai manaaki

Accountable (Acc) - towards ourselves, our actions and our words—He tangata whai whakaaro

High achievers (H) - who strive to show excellence, personal best and perseverance—He tangata piki ake ki te teitei

Unified (U) - by working together, showing teamwork for the benefit of all—He whānau kotahi



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



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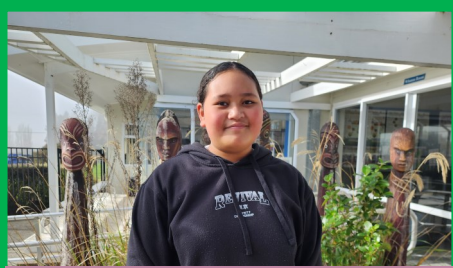
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Corvo Oka-Smith
WEEK 1



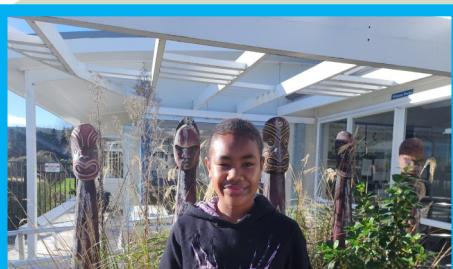
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WEEK 2



Kohineteraupara Taylor
WEEK 3



Ardent Perez
WEEK 4



Sisilia Adicaginitoba
WEEK 5



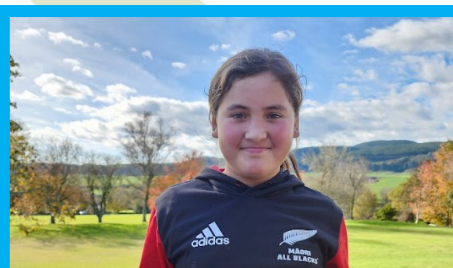
Kayden Farquharson
WEEK 6



Tahei-pearl Anderson
WEEK 7



Logan Brolly
WEEK 8



Indykah Skuder
WEEK 9



Lilly Currie
WEEK 10



Term 3 2023 dates of interest

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



Days/ Weeks	Monday Rahina	Tuesday Ratu	Wednesday Raapa	Thursday Rapare	Friday Ramere
One	17/07 Teacher Only day St Johns First Aid	18/07 Kapa haka Guitar Lessons BOT Meeting -Zoom 7pm	19/07 Karakia Newsletter #01	20/07 Karakia Tech Y7&8	21/07 Assembly KiwiCan Guitar Lessons
Two	24/07 Karakia Guitar Lessons	25/07 Kapa haka Bible in School Dental Fluoride Visit	26/07 Karakia Duffy Theatre	27/07 Karakia Tech Y7&8	28/07 Assembly KiwiCan Guitar Lessons
Three	31/07 Karakia Guitar Lessons	01/08 Kapa haka FVHS visit meet students	02/08 Karakia	03/08 Karakia Tech Y7&8	04/08 Assembly KiwiCan Guitar Lessons
Four	07/08 Karakia Guitar Lessons	08/08 Kapa haka	09/08 Karakia FVHS visiting Year 8s Newsletter #02	10/08 Karakia Tech Y7&8	11/08 Assembly KiwiCan Guitar Lessons
Five Te wiki o te reo Maori	14/08 Karakia Guitar Lessons	15/08 Kapa haka BOT Meeting -Zoom 7pm	16/08 Karakia	17/08 Karakia Tech Y7&8	18/08 Pinelands X Country
Six	21/08 Karakia Guitar Lessons Pinelands x-country post- ponement day	22/08 Kapa haka	23/08 Karakia	24/08 Karakia Tech Y7&8 Tough-guy/gal challenge TBC	25/08 Assembly KiwiCan Guitar Lessons Tough-guy/gal challenge TBC
Seven	28/08 Karakia Guitar Lessons	29/08 Kapa haka Bible in schools Taupo cross country (Spa park)	30/08 Karakia	31/08 Karakia Tech Y7&8	01/09 Assembly KiwiCan Guitar Lessons
Eight	04/09 Karakia Guitar Lessons	05/09 Kapa haka	06/09 Karakia	07/09 Karakia Tech Y7&8	08/09 Assembly KiwiCan Guitar Lessons
Nine	11/09 Karakia Guitar Lessons	12/09 Kapa haka	13/09 Karakia Tuwharetoa festival Taupo TBC	14/09 Karakia Tech Y7&8 Tuwharetoa festival Taupo TBC	15/09 Assembly KiwiCan Guitar Lessons Tuwharetoa festival Taupo TBC
Ten	18/09 Karakia Guitar Lessons	19/09 Kapa haka BOT Meeting -Zoom 7pm	20/09 Karakia Taupo—KC Ripa rugby tournament (OD park)	21/09 Karakia Tech Y7&8	22/09 Assembly KiwiCan Guitar Lessons