



Tena koutou katoa – Greetings to you all

School Roll: 114 students

MANGAORONGO ROAD BUS

As of **Monday 22 June** this bus run will be picking up our Kio Kio students after school in the afternoons at **3.20 pm**. This is 10 minutes earlier than the usual time of 3.30pm. So please ensure you contact the school before 3.00pm if your child is not going to be on the bus that day.

UNIFORM ITEMS

Polo shirts are available, these are required to be worn at assemblies, class trips etc. We have Lotto sports socks available for purchase from the school office also. These are a great addition to our Soccer and Hockey team uniforms but are not a compulsory item, they are only an optional extra. We also have school jackets with the school logo that will be great for sports during the winter months coming up.

Polo shirts - \$30.00

Jackets - \$45.00

Sports Socks - \$18.00

MULTI-SENSORY STRUCTURED LITERACY (MSL)

Our whole staff have been undertaking professional development in MSL with Learning Matters.

This approach which we have adopted as part of our literacy programme involves the use of visual, auditory, and kinesthetic-tactile pathways simultaneously to enhance memory and learning of written language.

MSL provides direct instruction to ensure links are consistently made between the visual (language we see), auditory (language we hear/perceive), and kinesthetic-tactile (language symbols we feel) pathways in learning to read and spell. Learners in literacy need to be taught slowly and thoroughly, the basic elements of their language - the sounds and the letters which represent them - and how to put these together and take them apart. They have to have lots of practice in having their writing hands, eyes and ears, and voices working together for conscious organisation and retention of their learning.

Our goal is to have all students working at or above the curriculum levels in reading and writing when they leave our school at the end of year 8.



In September, Learning Matters will hold an information evening for families around this learning approach.

SUPPORTERS' COMMITTEE

We are indebted to this group of parents who provide extra funds for our school, year after year. They appreciate the support they receive from families when requesting baking, helping out with cooking barbecues, manning a stall on Fireworks Gala night, etc...

At their recent meeting they donated \$2800 towards some new chromebooks for a classroom, new soccer balls for junior teams and to our school production. They have also tagged some funds to go towards new artificial turf for the courts.

SUPPORTERS' COMMITTEE UPDATE

Our Supporters' Committee met for the first time post lockdown. We regrouped and did some planning for the 2020 year.

Thank you for all the wonderful support from our Oxford Pies fundraiser. These will be ready for collection from 2pm tomorrow in the Rec Centre. We approximately made \$1400 profit.

We are pleased to donate \$2800 to the School to go towards 5 new chromebooks, soccer balls and towards the 'Peter Pan' production. We also have \$10,000 on term deposit tagged for the Astro Turf.

We will have 2 more major fundraisers this year, our Annual Fireworks Evening on Friday 6 November and in Term 4 we will be doing the Sileni Wine fundraiser. Among these dates we will be having BBQ's at school events.

Emma Telfer - Committee Chairperson

SAVE THE DATE: Saturday 19 September

School and Wider Community Shindig

Kio Kio Hall

BYO drinks

Dinner provided

OXFORD PIE ORDERS ARE READY TOMORROW!

Oxford pie orders must be collected from school from 2.00 pm onwards from the Rec Centre.

TOMORROW! Friday 19th June.

POOL KEYS

All pool keys purchased for the 2019/2020 season should now be returned to the office. Names will be listed in the upcoming Flash's for all unreturned keys as a reminder.

FAMILY/TEACHER CONFERENCES

We will be holding our family/teacher conferences in the last week of this term:

Monday 29 June 2pm - 7pm
Tuesday 30 June 2pm - 5.30pm

Our year has been disrupted by COVID-19, so this will be a perfect time for you to catch up with your child's teacher to discuss his/her learning progress.

We encourage you to book a 15 minute appointment online from Monday 22 June.

Please note that school will be finishing early on both of these days, so please arrange for your child/ren to be picked up by 1.00 pm.

BREAKFAST CLUB & MILK IN SCHOOLS

We now have received our weetbix and milk to run these 2 programmes. Breakfast Club began last week and is available to students between 8.30am - 9.00am on Monday & Thursdays with approximately 20 students receiving a plate of weetbix and milk.

This is a great way to start the day if children are rushing in the morning and have missed breakfast at home.

DROPPING OFF/PICKING UP STUDENTS

Parents, when picking up or dropping off your children, please use the gate beside the bus shed, not the main entrance by the office. This area is a staff car park and we need to ensure the safety of our students.

OUTSTANDING ACCOUNTS

We still have outstanding camp and stationery fees from the beginning of the year and now all sports fees are due also. We understand that in these uncertain times that some families may struggle financially over the next few months or so. However please make contact with the office if you have any questions or concerns or would like to set up a payment plan.

Please note that we DO NOT have an effpos facility available.

LOST PROPERTY

Our clothes rack is full at the moment and our students checked this out yesterday. There is still a large amount of no-named clothing hanging on the rack. Please check this out when you come into school because anything left at the end of the term will be washed and given to a charity.

If clothes were named then we can immediately return these to their owners.

MALE MENTORS

We are keen to set up a programme targeted at boys. This may involve some men in our local community spending a couple of hours per week with a group of boys working on various projects. For example, dismantling pallets and designing and making furniture.

If anyone is interested in being part of this group or who has some ideas, please get in touch with me. Kevin Jones

WHAT'S COMING UP?

22 Jun Family/Teacher Conference

appointments open online

26 Jun Wheels Day 12.30pm - 2.00pm

29 Jun Family/Teacher Conferences

2.00 - 7.00pm

30 Jun Family/Teacher Conferences

2.00 - 5.30pm

03 Jul Term 2 Ends

Ngā manaakitanga
**Kevin Jones - Principal
and Staff**



Mobile Free Ear Clinic for children

Otorohanga Club, Whittington Lane

**Wednesday 29 July
Thursday 03 September
1.30 - 2.30 pm**

This is a drop-in clinic. All children should be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian, otherwise a consent form must be completed.

Visit the ear nurse for advice on: Glue ear assessment and management, wax/foreign body removal, grommet checks and treatment of discharging ears.

SUBWAY COLLECTION ROSTER

19 Jun Ange Richards
26 Jun Keri Downs

Otorohanga Junior Rugby

Get those boots out and ready for training..

 U13s Tuesdays & Thursdays 4-5pm

 U7s, u9s & u11s meet 3.45-4.30pm ish
Weds 17th, COACHES NEEDED FOR ALL GRADES

 NO REGO=NO PLAY so jump on
www.sporty.co.nz/otorohangajuniorrugby

EASY AZ

Flick me a text if you need help 0212684459



Otorohanga Netball

Senior competition (Year 5 - 8)
Friday 19th June - Friday 28 August

Draw: Friday 19 June

5.00 pm KK Red v Coast Green Court 1

Future Ferns (Year 1 - 4) Starts
Friday 24th July - Friday 28 August

Peter Pan Production



Our Whole School Peter Pan Production is planned for Week 9, Term 3. To help lighten the load, we are on the look-out for helpers. We are also keen to showcase children's musical talents within the production, eg ukulele, guitar, percussion instruments. There may be someone willing to give a little time for regular practices with a small group. If you can be of help in any way please contact Karen Coleman. Thank you.



Soccer - Te Kuiti

NO GAMES PLAYED ON 10 & 17
July (School Holidays)

Draw: Friday 19 June:

4.20 pm KK 16's v TKP Chargers
4.20 pm KK 14's v St Jo's Giants
4.20 pm KK U13 v TKP Lasers

SUPPORTERS' COMMITTEE 03-1562-0069995-00

Please use this account # for all payments regarding fundraising activities undertaken by the Supporters' Committee.



On Friday 26th June (Next week)
from 12:30pm - 2.00pm

the Councillors will be holding wheels at Kio Kio School. You can bring anything with wheels (but not a car 😊)

- Must** wear a helmet and covered shoes.
- You **can not** ride your bike etc before and after school.
- No** riding on the lawns.



BREAKFAST IDEAS

SMOOTHIE BREAKFAST

TIP: Add 1 Tbsp of oats to add more fibre

Feijoa season is coming - try this smoothie for a yummy breakfast.

Blend:

- 1 banana - peeled and sliced
- 4 feijoas - peeled and chopped
- Small handful of spinach leaves
- Ice cubes
- 1 cup yoghurt
- ½ cup low fat milk

Serves 2

Developed by Sport Waikato 2019




Sistena Food Poem

By Kauri Students

Stanza 1

Pizza always has the most wonderful **taste**
My job is to set up the table for **dinner**
For my school lunch I make sure the food is
healthy
Everything my Dad makes is **delicious!**
At Christmas time I eat so much food that I am
bursting
In the holidays I did lots of baking and **cooking**
By Mia, Emi, Stevie-Rae and Lockie.

Stanza 2

My favorite thing is **cooking**
It looks better than it **tastes**
The table is always **bursting**
The table is only bursting at **dinner**
But sadly it's not **delicious**
They say it's too **healthy!**
By Alavina, Fabien, Mikayla and Brock.

Stanza 3

My salad was very **Healthy**.
I hate smelling burnt food after someone has
finished **Cooking**.
The chocolate cake I ate was **Delicious**.
My macaroni had a lovely **Taste**.
My family had Dixie brown for **Dinner**.
When I finished Dixie brown my stomach was
Bursting.
By Keira, Connor, Levi and Enrique.

Stanza 4

After eating stuffed turkey my tummy was
bursting
My yummy salad I had for lunch was very **healthy**
Mum made spicy butter chicken for **dinner**
The ANZAC biscuits are in the oven **cooking**
Hoops and scoops donuts have the **best taste**
Pavlova on Christmas is **Delicious**
By Stella, Aroha and Brilee.

Stanza 5

That big golden cheesy croissant was **delicious**
All that colourful popping candy has made my
throat feel like it is **bursting**
That snowy white chocolate looks like it has a
very rich **taste**
I am trying to eat **healthy**

My mum is busy in the kitchen **cooking**
Taylah and Chloe like croissants but I prefer
broccoli for **dinner**
By Chole, Taylah and Petra.

Stanza 6

I felt like a king when I ate **dinner**
The smell from the kitchen was **delicious**
I love the smell of mums **cooking**
My dinner was so good I ate too much and now I
am **bursting**
I hate food that is **healthy**
The best thing about chocolate is the **taste**
By Angus Hunter Tyler and Noah.

End 3 lines

I ate my **dinner** so fast I felt like I was **bursting**.
Smoothies are great because they're **healthy** and
delicious.
I love to **taste** test my mother's **cooking**.
By Lachlan, Kaleb, Anaru and Callum.

👩🎓 Back to school 👩🎓

Schools have been back open now due to level 2, we are happy to be back at school again. It is very good for us to be out there getting vitamin D as the lockdown caused more screen time as we were not able to leave our houses due to Covid-19. We have been looking forward to holding cross country next term! Here are a few interviews from a few students and what they think of being back at school:

Emily (Year 5) says

"I really like this school, it's fun, there's more opportunities than my old one, I like this one **MUCH** better than the last one, lockdown was fun but I like learning in class more than online. There are a lot of different and fun things at this school, like baking in class and more things like that."

Libby (Year 6) says

"I don't like this school as much as my last school but this school is really awesome. I would rather be at a real life school rather than learn online. I like being back at school and making new friends."

Ava (Year 4) says

"I'm happy to be back at school because I can do math, reading, and art. I started at Kio Kio School in Room 1 when I was 5 years old. I didn't like lockdown because I missed my family and I could not see them."

Santana (Year 3) says

"I like seeing my friends again and I enjoy baking at school, I like reading books and going to the library every week. I'm happy to see my teacher because I hated lockdown!"

Jonty (Year 1) says

"I like school and practicing soccer is fun. I also play rugby with my friends, we all play on monkey bars a lot. I am very fast and I run fast from the gate **ALL** the way to my classroom. I play shark attack sometimes."

We are very thrilled to be back at school and we hope everyone is excited too, also we are super excited to have cross country and triathlon later this year!!!
Written by *Taylah and Kaleb*