

Kio Kio School Newsletter

"Playing the Game of Life"

25 August 2022

Tena koutou katoa – Greetings to you all

School Roll: 138 students

FAREWELL

Recently, we farewelled Lovey Latu, Mya-Marie Latu, Evie Milne, and Chloe Searle. We wish them well for the rest of the school year.

STAFF FAREWELL

At the end of July, Caitlin Wylie, who has been on parental leave with her new boy Oliver, resigned from her teaching position at our school. Caitlin taught in Kowhai class and is now teaching at Hopscotch Early Learning Centre. We thank Caitlin for her kindness and dedication towards her students. We wish Caitlin all the best for the future.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES - ELECTION RESULTS

We received 6 nominations for the 6 vacant positions on the Board, so no election was required. The new trustees are:

- Karen Thompson (chairperson) Principal Environmental Technician at NIWA
- Wayne Lupton (property) HOD Physical Education at Te Kuiti High School
- Michelle Anselmi (secretary) Lawyer at Norris Ward McKinnon
- Natalie McMullan (finance) Accounting Technician at Bailey Ingham
- Charlie Telfer* Dairy Farmer
- Paul Fleming* Dairy Farmer
 *denotes new member

Our new meeting minute secretary is Leanne Lawrence.

We thank Julian Usher, Tracy Griffin and Fiona Prescott for their time on the Board. Your dedication and support to our school is truly appreciated.

5YA BUILDING PROJECT

Finally, our school projects will get underway in the school holidays. The first part of the project will begin with 3 large sliding doors positioned on the 3 main block classrooms facing the top field. New carpet, lino, heat pumps and LED lighting will be installed in these rooms. A new 4 metre wide deck with an overhead roof will also be attached to this block.

All buildings will have LED lighting installed with Kowhai class getting a new heat pump.

Our library will be getting new carpet and hot water to the toilets.

We will be getting a new alarm and fire emergency system.

Matt Whitmarsh Architects will be project managers and Paul Rattray Builders will be in charge of the project. We have endeavoured to use local tradespeople for most of the project work.

There will be some disruption during Term 4, but we will work with the contractors to keep this to a minimum.

SCHOOL PRODUCTION

What an outstanding school production last week! A huge amount of work goes into a school production with auditioning students for roles, classes learning dances and songs, many, many practices, costume hire and making, prop making, organising sound and lighting, ticket sales, selling of food, the list goes on...

There are alot of people to thank. If I miss you out, my apologies. Thank you Mrs Coleman and Mrs Telfer as co-directors/producers (you worked tirelessly), Mrs Culpan for making and assisting with set design and props making and our stage manager, teachers and support staff for your awesome work with students, etc... Mr Morriss for props making, Mrs Hammond-Tutty for sound tech, Bree Coleman for lighting tech, Mrs Thompson and Mrs Wright, our office staff for ticket sales, parents and families for assisting at the productions in various roles. And finally, a huge thanks to our students who performed in the shows. You got better with each show and we are extremely proud of your performances.

AGRICULTURAL DAY - TUESDAY 25 OCTOBER

Judges Field Day – Kihikihi Domain Tuesday 13th September 11am. Please consider attending this Judges Field Day, if you are interested in learning to become a judge or would like to know more about how to support your child with a calf or lamb, it is a very informative day. As the more experienced judges are now beginning to retire, there is a need for people to be able to step into these roles.

Waikato Show -Thursday, 28th October

Group Day - Wednesday, 2nd November

Please see attached newsletters for more detailed Ag Day information.

AGRICULTURAL GROUP DAY COMMITTEE MESSAGE:

All special needs and home schooled children are welcome to attend Group day and a local school pet day. The parent's are to phone their nearest school to advise of their child's/children's attendance.

SPORTS CAMP

Next week, Karen Coleman and Emma Telfer, with the support of parents, will be taking 35 senior students to the Totara Springs Sports Camp at Matamata. Our students will be competing against 7 other schools which are either similar size to our school or bigger.

The students will be involved in a cross-section of sports. For example:basketball, bowls, rugby, hockey, chess, table tennis, wall ball, darts, volleyball, cross country, tennis, kayaking, plus many more.

This camp gives students the opportunity to 'have a go' at sports they might not otherwise consider playing. Our Kio Kio POWER Values will be really important for the week at camp.

Thanks heaps to Mel O'Brien from Oto Dance Company for choreographing and teaching our students their dance routine for 'Cheer' night on Thursday at camp.

OLYMPIC AMBASSADOR

It was a real privilege to have Olympic Ambassador Max Brown speak to our senior school yesterday about RESILIENCE and RESPECT in sport. Max competed at the 2020 Tokyo Olympics in the K2 Canoe Sprint (1000m). He highlighted the importance of practice, nutrition, resilience, and having fun when training or participating in any sport.



PEANUT ALLERGY

We have a student in Rimu class with a severe peanut allergy who cannot come in contact with **peanuts** or **products with peanuts in them.**



We are asking that parents do not send peanuts or any peanut related products to school, so that we can keep this student safe. Thank you for your understanding.

COPS CROSS COUNTRY RESULTS

Congratulations to all students who participated at the COPS Cross Country at Waitomo yesterday, below are students who received a top 10 placing in their event.

YEAR 1 & 2 GIRLS - Maisey Krukerink 4th
YEAR 1 & 2 BOYS - Brody Pease 10th
YEAR 3 & 4 GIRLS - Zoe Burton 3rd
- Georgia McMullan 5th
YEAR 3 & 4 BOYS - Cohen Fleming 4th.
YEAR 5 & 6 GIRLS - Jayla Ropiha 3rd
- Zoe Tripp 4th
YEAR 5 & 6 BOYS - Archie Anselmi 7th
- Tyelar Davies 8=
- Ryan Phillips 8=
- Olly McMullan 10th
YEAR 7 & 8 GIRLS - Eden Culpan 8th
YEAR 7 & 8 BOYS - Campbell Thompson 3rd
- Grayson Telfer 9th
Team Results

YEAR 3 & 4 GIRLS - 2nd YEAR 3 & 4 BOYS - 3rd YEAR 5 & 6 GIRLS - 2nd YEAR 5 & 6 BOYS - 2nd YEAR 7 & 8 BOYS - 2nd

Thank you to Emma Telfer for organising our students and a big thank you to the parents who supported and provided transport.

FIRE DRILL

Today we had an emergency fire drill at 10.15am. The students and staff assembled behind the farthest soccer goal posts on the top field.

All staff had areas to check as they moved to the field. Our students were fantastic, moving quickly and quietly without too much fuss and did this in a record time of under 5 minutes.

Our next drill later this term will cover lockdown procedures.

DAFFODIL DAY - TOMORROW!

Tomorrow we will be supporting Daffodil Day. We are encouraging students and staff to wear yellow, green and/or orange. We will also be collecting gold coin donations if you would like to contribute. All money collected will be forwarded to the NZ Cancer Society.



SCHOOL BANKING & PHONE DETAILS Account number is: BNZ Otorohanga 02-0392-0021774-000 School Phone: (07) 873 1816 Text Messages/Absences: 027 3981725

SUBWAY COLLECTION ROSTER

26 Aug 02 Sep

Kris Shaw Amber Searle

BREAKFAST CLUB ROSTER

Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Katie Krukerink Kristy Stewart Natalie Southgate Robyn Tangaere

WHAT'S COMING UP THIS TERM

26 AugCelebration Assembly 2pm26 AugDaffodil Day (Gold coin donation)29 AugSports Camp (all week)07 SeptCOPS Mathletics20 SeptPhoto Day21 SeptWaikato Speech Competition30 SeptCelebration Assembly
End Of Term

Ngā mihi Kevin Jones - Principal and Staff



Next B.O.T meeting to be held 14 September in the school Library at 6.30pm

Kio Kio School Supporters' Committee are once again participating in the calf stock scheme. Your donation of a 100kg calf or the proceeds of a cull cow would be greatly appreciated with monies raised going towards teaching and learning resources at Kio Kio School.

If you can help, please complete the form and return to the school office.



POWER Value Stars



Congratulations to Caitlin, Abby, Waimarie, Corrina and Paxton (absent) who received juicies on Monday after their names were drawn out from the POWER card draw.



Waitomo Miniball Competition 2022

Subs will be \$25 and can now be paid to Kio Kio School

Games start next week - a draw will be sent home once I have received it. I have asked for the Year 7/8 and Year 5/6 team to have a bye next week due to Senior Sports Camp.

Each coach will be in touch with the teams to sort out training times etc.

Year and Division	Coach	Miniball
Year 7/8 Senior Kio Kio Lakers	Scott & Larna Culpan	Eden Culpan Amokura Harmon Raniera Wharepouri Kaden Taia Petra Lincoln Cooper Chatfield-Aymes Dinuk Jayatilaka Campbell Thompson Grayson Telfer (when draw allows)
Year 5/6 Intermedi ate Kio Kio Thunder	Stacey/Dael Downs	Caitlin Gill Mason Woodward Olly McMullan Georgia McMullan Koen Downs Waimarie Wharepouri Ryan Phillips Jakob Espiritu Kayla Wilken Abby Lawry Lara Thompson
Year 3 and 4 Juniors Kio Kio Juniors	Coach needed	Deklan Burton Zoe Burton Tate Burdon Jonty Aymes Regan Lawry Corrina Lawry Eva Anselmi
Year 0-2 Midgets Kio Kio Midgets	Nick Gold	Jack Bojesen-Trepka Kayden Eynon Lockie Eynon Nyjah Ormsby Benji Gold Jaxon Needham Oliver Sanson Tristan Wilken Max Vera Darius Lawry