

Kio Kio School Newsletter

THE FLASH



4 November 2022

Whakatangata "Playing the Game of Life"

#16(2)



Tena koutou katoa Greetings to you all

School Roll: 139 students

OWNERSHIP

2023 TERM 1 START DATE

Next year we will trial starting school on the **7th of February** after Waitangi Day so that we finish school closer to Christmas.

Staff will be having a teacher-only-day on the 31st of January with staff from all our Kahui Ako Schools. We will also have our own teacher-only-day on the 1st of February with some professional development in an area to be determined. The whole school year Term dates for 2023 will be shared with families towards the end of the term.

TEACHERS IN 2023

We have now determined our staffing and class levels for 2023. We have high numbers in some year groups, so we need to split these so that we have low teacher:student ratios across all classes. This process takes a while as we work out the best placement for each student.

Our Board of Trustees are providing some funding towards our 7th teacher for the third year running.

Year Level	Class	Teachers
New Entrants	Kowhai	Mrs Case*
		Mrs Shariff
Year 1/2	Puriri	Miss Johnstone
Year 2/3	Pohutukawa	Miss Beck
Year 3/4	Rimu	Mrs Culpan
Year 4/5	Totara	Mrs Twentyman*
		Mrs Derbyshire
Year 6/7	Kahikatea	Mrs Coleman
Year 7/8	Kauri	Mrs Telfer

^{*}main teacher in a shared teaching role.

Junior school - Kowhai, Puriri, Pohutukawa Team Leader - Miss Beck

Senior School - Rimu, Totara, Kahikatea, Kauri Team Leader/DP - Mrs Coleman.

PAID UNION MEETINGS (PUM'S) - WED 16 NOV

Our teachers are in contract negotiations with their union and the Ministry of Education. Over the last few days the Ministry have presented teachers with an offer which they now need to either accept or reject. In the afternoon of Wednesday 16 November, our staff will attend a paid union meeting at the Te Awamutu Intermediate with teachers from the Waipa District.

We will have a skeleton staff with myself and our Teacher Aides looking after the students from 1pm onwards. You are most welcome to collect your child/children from school from 1pm onwards if you like. Buses will be running after school.

TEACHER ONLY DAY REMINDER - 5th DECEMBER

At our last staff meeting, our teachers received the first part of their professional development in the Digital Curriculum.

The next part to this is a whole day on the 5th of December. Our school will be closed for instruction on this day.

SUNSMART - HATS

All students have to wear a hat when playing outside. No hat, no play. Those students without a hat are asked to sit under the large tree on our Cobham Lawn.

SUBWAY ORDERS

We have been advised by Subway that they will be temporarily closed for refurbishment from 7th Nov to approximately 23 Nov. There will be no Friday lunch orders during this time.

BUILDING PROJECTS UPDATE

Since our last newsletter, our new school alarm system has been installed.

Our deck is nearing completion with steps starting tomorrow.

The first of our 3 stacker doors has been installed in Rimu class with painters/plasterers working in this room

Underfloor installation will be happening over the next 2 weeks and our new fire alarm system will be installed within this timeframe as well.

Rimu students have moved into our school library this week with a return to class one day next week. Thanks Mrs Hammond-Tutty for organising your students to move into the library at late notice.



2023 DONATION SCHEME

From January 2023, the new Equity Index (EQI) will be used to determine eligibility for the School Donations Scheme. This scheme replaces the old decile rating system. The threshold for eligibility is an EQI number 432. Kio Kio School's EQI number is 468, so we have been advised by the Ministry of Education that we are now eligible to opt-in-to this scheme.

In the past we have asked for a donation of \$90 per child, which goes towards school resources. If we decide to accept the opt-in option, then this donation will cease. The Ministry will give us \$154.13 (excluding GST) per student per year.

We will receive this amount if we agree **not** to ask parents and caregivers for donations, except for overnight camps. This initiative is designed to alleviate pressure and expectation on parents and whānau to provide donations.

Could you please contact me at school if you are against us accepting this new donation scheme.

Personally, I view this as a positive step moving forward.

AGRICULTURAL DAY

Please see the attached list of winners in the various sections on this day.

It was a fantastic day with the weather kind to us. Thank you to all students who either brought a pet or were involved with classroom activities.

A big thank you to our staff for your help and our Supporters' Committee for providing food for the judges and helping with the barbecue. Thank you also to our sponsors and the staff of some of these companies who helped on the day:

- Vet Ora
- VE Vets
- ASB Bank
- Giltrap Agrizone
- Stand Easy Coffee
- Greenlea Meats
- Farmsource Otorohanga
- Silver Fern Farms

SUPPORTERS' COMMITTEE - FIREWORKS GALA

Our fireworks gala is 3 weeks away and our committee has just met to finalise food, games, prizes, sound system, parking, etc...

It is extremely important to have your support on the night to assist us to run a range of events. You will receive a message from a Supporters' Committee member shortly asking for your help. It would be great if you could be a part of this major fundraising effort in some small way.

We are also looking for parents to help set up from 10 am onwards on the day of the event if you may be able to help. Please contact Shirley, our Office Manager if you can.

SCHOOL PHOTOS - PHOTOLIFE

Parents have been emailed their child's unique Key Code to go online to view and purchase 2022 School Photos. If you have not received this, please look in your junk/spam folder ***FREE DELIVERY EXPIRES Midnight Sunday 13TH NOVEMBER ***

BADMINTON CUP

Congratulations to these students who won the Senior Badminton Cup competition on Tuesday:

Girls Winner: Amokura Harmon

Runner-up: Ruby Ritch

Boys Winner: Cooper Chatfield Runner-up: Campbell Thompson

We are indebted to Rosemary Fleming, a former teacher at Kio Kio School and grandmother to Cohen and Nate for coaching our senior students leading up to the finals. All students made significant improvement in their badminton skills during this time.

We now look forward to the Senior Tennis Cup comp over the next few weeks which Rosemary will also run for us

LOST PROPERTY

Our lost property rack is full once again with unnamed clothing and footwear. Our students don't seem to recognise their own clothing when displayed each week. Any named items are returned to students as soon as we can.

Any items unclaimed at the end of the term will be washed and delivered to a local charity.

Thank you to those parents who collect their child's clothing from the rack.

LAKE TRIP - THURSDAY 1 DECEMBER

Every second year we have had a whole school visit to Lake Arapuni. Parents assist our staff to run this event, which includes activities such as swimming, kayaking, games, possibly biscuiting if parents are able to bring their boats. We will provide a sausage sizzle for lunch.

This year we will decide whether we go to Lake Arapuni or Lake Maraetai (Mangakino). A letter will be sent home in a few weeks asking for help with transport, if you can provide a boat, provide assistance on the day and give permission for your child to attend.

<u>SUPPORTERS' COMMITTEE - BOOSTER WINE</u> <u>FUNDRAISER</u>

The order forms for the Booster Wine Fundraiser came home last week. This was a popular fundraiser last year and comes in good time for the Christmas holidays. This fundraiser will run from Wednesday 26 October - Tuesday 15 November.

TOTARA-LEMONADE STALL - FRIDAY 4TH NOVEMBER

Today, Totara are selling home made lemonade at lunchtime outside their classroom.

Cups of lemonade will be \$1 each. Money will go towards a charity (still to be decided)

GUMBOOT FRIDAY 4TH NOVEMBER



Gumboot Friday is an initiative created by **I AM HOPE** to provide FREE kids counselling in a timely manner. **Gold Coin Donation**

ATHLETICS BBQ - THURSDAY 10 NOVEMBER

We will be holding a BBQ at Athletics next week. We are very grateful to Chris Keech and Silver Fern Farms for the sponsorship of the sausages. We would appreciate any offers of baking to be sold. If anyone is available to support on the day at the BBQ that would be awesome, can you please phone the office or contact Emma.

END OF YEAR PRIZEGIVING TROPHIES

Can all trophies given out at the end of year prizegiving 2021 please be handed back to the office.

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

4 Nov 25 Nov Amanda Fleming
Ange Richards

SCHOOL GARDEN COMPETITION 2022



Thank you to those children who filled out the garden competition section on their Ag Day form. Every year, as a side to our school Agricultural Day, children are invited

to grow a garden at home. They are encouraged to plan, plant and tend to 'their' garden. In Week 7 a judge will visit each child's home, and children will have the opportunity to showcase their gardens. Gardens can be Vegetable, Flower or Mixed. Once judging has taken place, trophies are presented for each section. At present, we have 15 gardens entered. If your child has not put their name down, and they are keen to participate, please let Mrs Coleman know so their name can be added to the list. Gardens need to be in the ground as soon as possible so that they have a chance to grow before judging takes place. There will be garden meetings for children at school from next week. Children will have the opportunity to talk about best practice and ideas for gardens.





WHAT'S COMING UP THIS TERM

Senior Athletics Field Events
Junior Athletics Field Events (am)
Track Events whole school (pm)
Fireworks/Gala Night
Senior Tennis Cup
COPS Athletics
Kio Kio Triathlon
Lake Trip - Whole school
Teacher Only Day
Nikau Camp - Karakariki
Prizegiving - Final Day

Ngā mihi Kevin Jones - Principal and Staff



BREAKFAST CLUB ROSTER

Tuesday Wednesday Thursday

Katie Krukerink Kristy Stewart Natalie Southgate

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

After School Care

The Kiwi Kids Club Open from 3.45pm till 5.45pm We pick children up from school and give them afternoon tea. Play and have fun until the child gets picked up. The cost differs so it is best to contact me for more information on what days and hours you need. WINZ subsidy available. Contact Wiggs 021491616





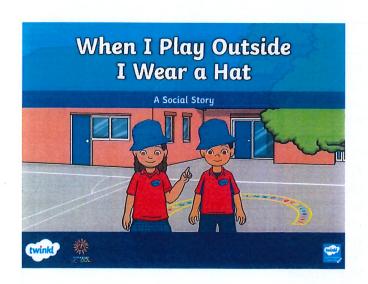














Kio Kio School Athletics 2022

Athletics will be held over 2 days:

Tuesday 8 November

10.00am

Year 4-8

Field events

Thursday 10 November

9.10am

Year 1-3

Field events

11.15am

Year 0-8

Track events

Tuesday 8 November - Year 4-8 - Field Events

Timetable for the day (40 minute cycle)

Time	High Jump	Discus	Shot Put	Long Jump	Rest			
10.00	Y8	Y6	Y4	Y5	Y7			
10.40	Morning Tea							
11.00	Y7	Y8	Y6	Y4	Y5			
11.40	Y5	Y7	Y8	Y6	Y4			
12.20	Y4	Y5	Y7	Y8	Y6			
1.00	Lunch							
2.00	Y6	Y4	Y5	Y7	Y8			
2.40	Assemble under trees on the top field							

Thursday 10 November - Year 0-8 - Track Events Order of Events

Middle Distance	Sprints
Year 8 Boys	Year 3 Girls
Year 8 Girls	Year 3 Boys
Year 7 Boys	Year 4 Girls
Year 7 Girls	Year 4 Boys
Year 6 Boys	Year 5 Girls
Year 6 Girls	Year 5 Boys
Year 5 Boys	Year 6 Girls
Year 5 Girls	Year 6 Boys
Year 4 Boys	Year 7 Girls
Year 4 Girls	Year 7 Boys
Year 3 Boys	Year 8 Girls
Year 3 Girls	Year 8 Boys
Year 2 Boys	Year 0/1 Girls
Year 2 Girls	Year 0/1 Boys
Year 0/1 Boys	Year 2 Girls
Year 0/1 Girls	Year 2 Boys
	House Relays
	Parent/Teacher/Student Relay

Middle Distances				Sprint Distances	
Year 0, 1 & 2	400m	(2 laps)		Year 0 – 3	60m
Year 3	600m	(3 Laps)		Year 4 – 8	80m
Year 4, 5 & 6.	800m	(4 Laps)	•		
Year 7 & 8	1000m	(5 Laps)			

Kio Kio School Agricultural Day Results 2022

Lambs - Most Obvious Pet (Calling)

Junior

Senior

1st Paxton Payne

1st Olly McMullan

2nd Emma Lawrence

2nd Jasmine Downs-Bryant

3rd Ryan Krukerink

3rd Tyelar Davies

4th Maisey Krukerink

4th Georgia McMullan

Championship Most Obvious Pet

Reserve Champion Most Obvious Pet

Olly McMullan

Jasmine Downs-Bryant

Lambs - Leading

Junior

Senior

1st Ryan Krukerink

1st Tyelar Davies

2nd Finley Mora

2nd Archie Anselmi

3rd Sam Hughes

3rd Georgia McMullan

4th Ari Loomans

4th Zoe Burton

Championship Leading

Reserve Champion Leading

Tyelar Davies

Ryan Krukerink

Lambs - Rearing

Junior Early

Junior Late

1st Finley Mora

1st Deklan Burton

2nd Paxton Payne

2nd Ari Loomans

3rd Ryan Krukerink

3rd Emma Lawrence

4th Maisey Krukerink

4th Eva Anselmi

5th Sam Hughes

Senior Early

Senior Late

1st Jasmine Downs-Bryant

1st Georgia McMullan

2nd Tyelar Davies

2nd Olly McMullan

3rd Archie Anselmi

3rd Zoe Burton

4th Caitlin Anselmi

Championship Rearing - Early

Reserve Champion Rearing - Early

Finley Mora

Jasmine Downs-Bryant

Championship Rearing - Late

Reserve Champion Rearing - Late

Georgia McMullan

Olly McMullan

Dogs

Knowledge and Grooming

Junior

Intermediate

1st Jonty Aymes

1st Mason Woodward

2nd Oscar King

2nd Flynn Neustroski

3rd Van Keech

3rd Harrison Shaw

4th Zander Aymes

4th Koen Downs

5th Jack Bojesen-Trepka

5th Shakyra Shaw

Senior

1st Cam Griffin

2nd Kennedy Cruickshank

3rd Kayla Wilken

4th Cooper Chatfield-Aymes

5th Zoe King

Obstacle Course

Junior

Intermediate

1st Van Keech

1st Koen Downs

2nd Oscar King

2nd Harrison Shaw

3rd Jack Bojesen-Trepka

3rd Zoe Tripp

4th Jonty Aymes

4th Mason Woodward

5th Maddox Robinson

5th Shakyra Shaw

Senior

1st Cam Griffin

2nd Zoe King

3rd Kennedy Cruickshank

4th Kayla Wilken

Junior Champion

Intermediate Champion

Oscar King & Van Keech

Mason Woodward & Koen Downs

Senior Champion

Cam Griffin

<u>Pets</u>

Knowledge and Grooming

Junior

Intermediate

1st Pania Miles

1st Ryan Mark

2nd Annabel Green

2nd Tate Burdon

3rd Jagger Southgate

3rd Lucy Robinson

4th Olly Sanson

4th Alana Clark

5th Joeziah Mouriohooho-Henry

5th Jennison Tangaere

Senior

1st Phoenix Classen

2nd Zoe Lupton

3rd Ruby Ritch

4th Eden Culpan

5th Brooklyn Moss

Cage Decoration

Junior

Intermediate

1st Jagger Southgate

1st Jennison Tangaere

2nd Pania Miles

2nd Ryan Mark

3rd Annabel Green

3rd Tate Burdon

4th Olly Sanson

4th Alana Clark

Senior

1st Brooklyn Moss

2nd Phoenix Classen

3rd Eden Culpan

4th Ruby Ritch

Intermediate Champion

Pania Miles

Ryan Mark

Senior Champion

Junior Champion

Phoenix Classen

Calves - Leading

Junior

Intermediate

1st Bethany Bradley

1st Jayla Ropiha

2nd Nate Fleming

2nd Cohen Fleming

3rd William Ropiha

3rd Maia Stewart

4th Jack Telfer

4th Lara Thompson

5th Bentley Moss

Senior

1st Grayson Telfer

2nd Jakob Espiritu

3rd Campbell Thompson

4th Petra Lincoln

5th Conner Moss

Reserve Champion Leading

Grayson Telfer

Jayla Ropiha

Calves - Rearing

Championship Leading

Junior

Intermediate

1st Bethany Bradley

1st Cohen Fleming

2nd Nate Fleming

2nd Jayla Ropiha

3rd William Ropiha

3rd Maia Stewart4th Lara Thompson

4th Jack Telfer

5th Bentley Moss

Senior

1st Jakob Espiritu

2nd Campbell Thompson

3rd Grayson Telfer

4th Petra Lincoln

5th Conner Moss

Reserve Champion Rearing

Cohen Fleming

Championship Rearing

Jakob Espiritu

Calves - Type

Light

Crossbred

Heavy

Beef

1st Cohen Fleming

1st Maia Stewart

1st Grayson Telfer

1st Bentley Moss

2nd Nate Fleming

2nd Campbell Thompson 2nd Jack Telfer

2nd Conner Moss

3rd Bethany Bradley

3rd Lara Thompson

3rd Petra Lincoln

4th Jakob Espiritu

4th William Ropiha

5th Jayla Ropiha

Championship Dairy Type

Reserve Champion Dairy Type

Cohen Fleming

Nate Fleming

Championship Beef Type

Reserve Champion Beef Type

Bentley Moss

Conner Moss

Lamb Trophies

Reynolds Family Cup

Senior Champion

Olly McMullan

Martin Family Cup

Intermediate Champion

N/A

Hobbs Family Cup

Junior Champion

Finley Mora

Appleton Cup

M.O.P Champion

Olly McMullan

Sisley Cup

Leading Champion

Tyelar Davies Finley Mora

Uncle Russie Cup van Grootel Cup

Early Reared Champion Late Reared Champion

Georgia McMullan

Fleming Cup

Supreme Champion Lamb

Olly McMullan

Calf Trophies

M Singh Memorial Cup

Senior Champion

Grayson Telfer

Connor Family Cup

Intermediate Champion

Cohen Fleming

D B Telfer Family Cup

Junior Champion

Nate Fleming

Samuel J Sanson Cup

Leading Champion

Grayson Telfer

A Telfer Memorial Shield Rearing Champion

Cohen Fleming

A S Carson Cup

Dairy Type Champion

Cohen Fleming

Singh Supreme Trophy

Supreme Calf

Cohen Fleming

Agriculture NZ Trophy

Most Obvious Pet Calf

William Ropiha

Dog Trophy

Williams Family Cup

Dog

Cam Griffin

Pet Trophy

Most Obvious Pet Cup

Pet

Phoenix Classen

Horticultural

G & W Anderson Cup

Overall Winner

Millar Keech

