



Mangatawhiri School Newsletter 2021



Responsibility ~ Haepapa, Respect ~ Whakaute, Resilience ~ Aumangea It's the Mangatawhiri Way
 "In life we learn in school we nurture the spirit for life" STRIVE ON

22nd March 2021

Dear Parents & Community Members,
 Kia Ora Koutou Katoa,

We ended last week on a high with our East Group Y7&8 Swimmers doing a great job in their races. We nearly made it 3 out of 3 with the relays. Our Y7&8 Girls' Team of **Kacey Soppet, Mercedes Basevi, Rebecca Richards** and **Aliyah Burns** finished first, our Boys' team of **Hunter Ramsay, Fletcher Grant, Charlie Tawhiti & Jesse Freeman**, were pipped at the post by mere centimetres and the Mixed Y7&8 Team of **Kacey Soppet, Olivia Devlin, Cameron Churchill & Tyler Fitzgerald** took out the Murray Smith Memorial Shield. (Only the second time in 20 years we have won this trophy). Results from this event have seen **Tyler, Kacey, Fletcher, Olivia, Cameron & Riley** qualify for the Franklin Champs today in Pukekohe. We wish them well.



Our thoughts are with **Jean Carson** & her family on the passing of her father in law.



To **Karyn Adams** on being part of the New Zealand Senior Marching Team for 2021!

Sharron Scouse

PRINCIPAL



- ☺ Parents & Families for attending Room 5's assembly
- ☺ Fitzgerald, Soppet, Grant, Devlin, Churchill, Freeman, Richards Families for supporting our East Group swim team on Friday
- ☺ Mr Soppet, Mrs Richards & Ms Churchill for being timekeepers at the swim event

UP COMING TEACHER ONLY DAY



...with sunshine and smiles ☺

TUESDAY 30th MARCH

(NEXT WEEK)

Please make arrangements to keep your children at home on this day
 Thank you



FRIDAY LUNCH THIS WEEK:

Hot Mince or Mince & Cheese pie \$2.00

Order & Pay on Wednesday in the Office with the Lunch Team

Cookies on sale at morning tea everyday \$1.00



Ice blocks 50c at lunchtime

EASTER RAFFLE



Tickets on sale in the office from the House Leaders every day **BEFORE** school
 50c for one ticket or 3 Tickets for \$1.00

Good luck!

Drawn Thursday 1st April @ Assembly

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School Calendar!

MARCH

Tuesday 23rd March:

- School Triathlon / Duathlon

Thursday 25th March:

- House Leaders Retreat Overnight

Tuesday 30th March:

- TEACHER ONLY DAY

Wednesday 24th March:

- R9 Technology @ Maramarua

Friday 26th March:

- Fun Day Friday Proud to be NZ' der
- 8.30am R4 Assembly

Wednesday 31st March:

- R8 Technology @ Maramarua

APRIL

Thursday 1st April:

- Fun Day Thursday; Easter
- Assembly

Monday 5th April:

- EASTER MONDAY
- School Closed

Wednesday 7th April:

- R9 Technology @ Maramarua

Friday 9th April:

- Fun Day Friday
- Assembly

Thursday 15th April:

- Y3&4 Junior Tabloids here
- Senior Team ~ Rugby Coaching

Monday 3rd May:

- Term 2 Starts

Friday 2nd April:

- EASTER FRIDAY
- School Closed

Tuesday 6th April:

- EASTER TUESDAY
- School Closed

Thursday 8th April:

- Y1&2 Junior Tabloids @ Mercer
- Senior Team ~ Rugby Coaching

Wednesday 14th April:

- R8 Technology @ Maramarua

Friday 16th April:

- Fun Day Friday
- Assembly
- Term 1 Ends

Tuesday 4th May:

- Whole School Camp @ Camp Adair Starts

YOU DID IT! Congratulations



STUDENTS OF THE WEEK:



Room 1: Maddy Falkner

Stepping out of her comfort zone

Room 2: Felicity Donaldson

Always having an enthusiastic & positive attitude

Room 3: Harlan Peter

Being an excellent reader & writer

Room 3: Tyla Brears

Awesome effort in all her learning

Room 4: Mason Brears

Always having a positive attitude towards his learning

Room 5: Karla Savage

Always putting in her best effort

Room 6: Madison Bell

Her super positive attitude towards her learning

Room 7: Matthew Geck

Outstanding effort in all areas of his learning

Room 8: Summer Wilson

Displaying a positive attitude towards everything

Room 8: Lucas Liversedge

Using next level descriptive language in his writing

Room 9: Riley Styles

Engaging writing using lots of amazing vocabulary

Room 9: Sadie Cockrell

In-depth & factual passion project presentation

Mrs Millar's Award:

Max Fitzgerald

Being a thoughtful positive learner



SCHOOL AWARDS:

Academic Award: Brooke McMeekan

Outstanding Orangatangs project

Academic Award: Franklin Y6& Below Swim Team

Representing our school so well

Guitar Award: Riley Shearer

Awesome start to guitar lessons

Staff Award: Miss Davis

For her thoughtfulness & professionalism

Parent Award: Nana Lynn (Penny's Nana)

Catering a beautiful morning tea for an important meeting

Mangatawhiri Way Award: Hunter Ramsay,

Cameron Churchill, Sadie Cockrell, Olivia Devlin, Aliyah Burns & Mitchell Nixon

Showing our 3 values so well to visitors to our school

George Leenen

For being thoughtful towards room 1

Clean Class Award: Andrea McMeekan,

Brooke McMeekan, Hannah Baillie, Isaiah Erueti, Mrs Walker for doing a fab job keeping our school clean

Clean Class Award: Room 4

(as chosen by the team above)



Room 5 STAR Writers & Learners

Mika Zhang & Riley Shearer



MANGATAWHIRI WAY:

WEEK 7:

1st Rimu ~ 360 points 2nd Tanekaha ~ 290 points

3rd Kauri ~ 250 points 4th Manuka ~ 140 points



HOUSE PEOPLE OF THE WEEK:



KAURI:



Mischa Zhang ~ Being amazing at duties

George Cockrell ~ Trying his best at Franklin swimming



MANUKA:



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Jesse Freeman ~ Great organisation of the basketball tournament
Lachlan Grant ~ Going to Franklin Swimming & showing resilience



RIMU:

Hana Fieten ~ Great member of Rimu

Chase Koppens ~ Working hard in class & helping others



TANEKAHA:

Lyla Roberts ~ Always showing The Mangatawhiri Way

Talan van den Brink ~ Always saying Hello to his house leaders



HOUSE POINTS:

WEEK 7:

1st Kauri ~ 204 points 2nd Manuka ~ 193 points

3rd Rimu ~ 168 points 4th Tanekaha ~ 23 points

Kauri, Manuka & Rimu all received True House Points this week from people handing in their rewards

TERM 1:

1st Kauri ~ 1004 points 2nd Manuka ~ 996 points

3rd Rimu ~ 946 points 4th Tanekaha ~ 856 points

Y7&8 EAST GROUP SWIMMING RESULTS:



Tyler Fitzgerald	1 st Y7	100m Freestyle
	2 nd Y7	30m Freestyle
	1 st Y7	30m Backstroke
	2 nd Y7	30m Breaststroke
Kacey Soppet	2 nd Y8	100m Freestyle
	1 st Y8	30m Freestyle
	1 st Y8	30m Backstroke
	2 nd Y8	30m Breaststroke
	3 rd Y8	30m Butterfly
	1 st Y8	100m Freestyle
Fletcher Grant	2 nd Y8	30m Backstroke
	2 nd Y8	30m Breaststroke
Olivia Devlin	2 nd Y8	30m Freestyle
	2 nd Y8	30m Backstroke
	1 st Y8	30m Breaststroke
	2 nd Y8	30m Freestyle
Cameron Churchill	3 rd Y8	30m Backstroke
	3 rd Y8	30m Breaststroke
Riley Styles		



SCHOOL SPORTS T-SHIRTS



If you would like to order your own sports T-shirt, please see Mrs Ormsby.
Cost \$45.00

We always have a school team set for when children represent our school

Hall of FAME

Penny Timmins

Franklin Zone Open Girls Champion 2021



Hall of FAME

East Group Y7&8

Murray Shield Memorial

Relay Winners 2021

Olivia Devlin, Kacey Soppet, Cameron Churchill, Tyler Fitzgerald

(Alison Smith ~ Sister of Murray)



Please look out for goggles that belong to Holly Smith. They are blue/grey in colour.

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SCHOOL TRIATHLON **DUATHLON**



Tuesday 23rd March
(TOMORROW)

Individual Entries Only

8.45am: R8&9 Start

9.15am: R6&7 Start

9.45am: R4&5&Yr3 from R3 Start

10.15am: R1&2&Yr2 from R3 Start

- Swim in the School Pool
- Bike Ride on our Bike Track
- Run on Young's Farm
- Sign up in Room 6 on the posters

Parents are very welcome to come and cheer us along but are asked to remain OFF the entire course at all times

Please check bikes are safe and helmets are correctly fitting



- Be prepared with all you need for your triathlon including a safe bike and correctly fitting helmet
- Order a sports T-Shirt from Mrs Ormsby (optional)
- East Raffle tickets
- Order a pie for lunch
- Set up payment of camp fees



FRANKLIN POOL AND LEISURE HOLIDAY **INTENSIVES**

Monday 19th April – Friday 23rd April.

Actives 1 – Junior Squad running from 9am – 1pm.

Email fpplswimschool@belgravialeisure.co.nz for more information



WHOLE SCHOOL CAMP 2021:



Please make payment in full or set up an automatic payment for regular deposits (see Mrs Ormsby) for your contribution to your child's camp
School Bank Account: 123078-0092594-00



COST:

Room 1 Camp Costs: \$50.00

Room 2 Camp Costs: \$50.00

Room 3 Camp Costs: \$50.00

(Year 3's from Room 3 who want to stay overnight

Camp Costs will be \$100.00

Room 4 Camp Costs: \$100.00

Room 5 Camp Costs: \$100.00

Room 6 Camp Costs: \$170.00

Room 7 Camp Costs: \$170.00

Room 8 Camp Costs: \$220.00

Room 9 Camp Costs: \$220.00

Thank you



GET ALONG AND SUPPORT OUR LOCAL VENDORS & BUY NZ MADE

Saturday 27th
March

SHOPPING . FOOD . COFFEE . FREE PARKING

9am till 1pm

MANGATAWHIRI HALL

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