



Mauriceville School

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Week 4
15 Aug 2022

Term 3

Kia Ora Koutou,

Last night we had our first Board of Trustees meeting with the new Board. While the representatives largely remain the same people, we now welcome Gemma Williams as a parent representative to the Board. It's always great to have a new person to share their ideas and contribute to our discussions and planning for the school. I'd like to thank Jacqui Turner, who was co-opted to the Board earlier this year but has decided not to continue in the role. Thank you for giving up your time and for your contributions to our meetings. I'd also like to thank those who were re-elected - Rochelle Dorbeck, Liz Brown, Alan Stuart and Brigie Sims (Staff Rep). I appreciate the time you give up and your dedication to our school. We make a good team.

Kim

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Parent Inserts

Students of the Week



Matthew for his participation in Matharapa

Jacob for being 100% focused on improving his writing skills.

Noah for completing Early Words 1 by learning all 48 words.

What's coming up...

Monday 15 August
BOT Meeting

Thursday 's
Te Rerenga Ake
Program - senior
students

Friday 2 Sept
Designcraft

Wednesday 7 Sept
Have a Go Sports Day

Matharapa

Well done to Matthew King, who teamed up with a couple of students from Opaki School to enter Matharapa last week. Thanks to Opaki School for allowing Matthew to participate as part of one of their teams. It's great to collaborate with other schools. We are very proud of Matthew for representing our school.

Covid Tests

We still have a supply of Rapid Antigen Tests (RATs) at school. These have been provided by the Wairarapa DHB and are intended for anyone in the community who needs them. If you are in need, please give us a call for advice on how they can be picked up. Phone 372 5800.

Mauriceville School Board of Trustee Elections 2022

Election Declaration of Parent Election Results

At the close of nominations, as the number of valid nominations was fewer than the number of vacancies required to be filled, I hereby declare the following duly elected:

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| Stuart, Alan | Dorbeck, Rochelle |
| Brown, Elizabeth | Williams, Gemma |

Mauriceville Playgroup Invitation

All parents and pre-schoolers welcome.

Wednesday 31st August 10.00am at school

Morning tea provided.

Toys will be set up for babies/toddlers

A casual playgroup has been set up in the Mauriceville area and they have a planned visit to school at the end of the month. The invitation is extended to everyone in the area who would like to bring their pre-schoolers down. If you are keen to find out more about the local playgroup please email Gemma Williams at gem.k.williams@gmail.com

Student Stories - Te Rerenga Ake

Te Rerenga Ake is a 8 week programme that teaches us Maori culture and new songs, two songs to be exact. Oh and a Haka.

Only the Ravens class gets to go. Two of the people that run the programme are called Ben and Hemi. On the programme we have gone to Mount Bruce.

By Jacob

Te Rerenga Ake.

Te Rerenga Ake is a programme only the Ravens class go to once every Thursday. We go to Te Rerenga Ake to learn Maori culture, big Maori words but the words we learn are important. Whakawhanaungatanga means extended family and kaitiakitanga guardianship. Hemi, Ben and Joe take us to all of the places and teach us all of the knowledge. By Quade

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Firewood For Sale **Macrocarpa**

There is still a few cube of firewood left

NOW \$100/cube or \$80/cube if you buy two or more

Phone Sandra or Dave on 3725646



Eketāhuna and surrounds Covid-19 Vaccination Clinic

Friday 19 August

Eketāhuna Commmmunity Centre

11.00am to 5.30pm

**Unite
against
COVID-19**

A special vaccination clinic is available to all residents and whānau of Eketāhuna and all the surrounding areas.

Just come on in - you can drive through or just walk in!

The clinical team is offering friendly chats about winter wellness and the opportunity to catch up on Covid vaccinations, boosters, flu* and MMR* jabs! (* those eligible)

- You will need to have been free from Covid for at least 3 months
- you will need 3 months between doses, other than booster 2, which requires a 6 month gap between doses

Not sure about when you last had a Covid jab or booster? You can:

1. Check your vaccination card or on the NZ COVID **Tracer app** on your mobile
2. Call the national COVID-19 helpline on **0800 611 116**
3. Call us here in the Wairarapa on **0800 829 924** Te Whatu Ora Wairarapa COVID-19 Response.

This clinic is brought to you with the combined efforts of:



**Te Whare Ora O Eketāhuna
Eketāhuna Health Centre**

See you there!

