

Class & House Leaders 2017



Learning for the future in a supportive environment



Kia Ora

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Welcome to the team, Rochelle Buglass! Rochelle, no stranger to our school, has joined Kerri Thompson in Muriwhenua this term. Rochelle brings with her strengths in music, sport and modern learning pedagogy. It is great to have her back at Tamatea Intermediate.



Last Friday we had the pleasure of welcoming Iona Holstead, Secretary of Education accompanied by Roy Sye, Hawke Bay/ Tarawhiti Director of Education to our school. Ms Holstead and her team enjoyed a session sharing in the learning of the students of Rongokako. She commented that she was very impressed with the systems and genuine engagement the students had in their learning. Our learners demonstrated true Tamatea manaakitanga by making our visitors feel welcomed, gifting them momentos created in technology and flax creations from our pa harekeke. It is great to see the hard work of our teachers and learners recognised at a national level.

Staff Development Day - Our staff development day was a real success with all staff being involved in a session delivered on Restorative Practice. The day had us examining how we can improve on meeting the needs of our young people and their changing needs. This is something we will continue to work and reflect on over the next year.



Congratulations to Kiki Lind, our Deputy Head Girl, who once again delivered her outstanding Spirit of ANZAC speech capturing the hearts of her audience. Kiki was invited as a guest speaker to the Greenmeadows Primary School special ANZAC assembly and once again wowed the crowd with her confidence and delivery. Keep up the great work Kiki!

Congratulations to our Term 1 Merit Award Winners (names below) and thank you to the whanau that attended our special assembly on Monday to show their support for our learners. It is great to see so many students striving to achieve their personal best and being recognised for the hard work they do.

MERIT AWARDS

Aaliyah Reihana, Anahera Puketapu, Andrew Biggs, Austin Walker, Bella Drain, Brodee Martin, Charlize Mahia-Brown, Chloe Nielsen, Cruz Hapuku, Douglas Hastings, Eden English, Emily Arrowsmith, Emily Dapson, Fenella Davidson, Freya Davidson, Grace Cole, Hannah Oliver, Hannah Pilmer, Hannah Todd, Harley Rhodes, Harry Berryman, Izayah Ruhi, Jahbez Riley, Jake Finlayson, Jordyn Papistock, Junior Jury, Kahn Grigsby, Kara Wells-Miller, Kayla Baillie, Kaylah Nielsen, Kiana Bowman, Kiarn Clarke-Tuck, Kody Rattray, Kyra Peters, Liberty Fowler, Lily Dang, Logan Gray, Lydia Carson, Mir Te Hau, Morgan Vincent, Natalia Venter, Oliver Englert, Osai Latu, Pippa McMillan, Recaro Edwards, Rhys Thompson-Maxwell, Richard Magele, Rylee Moore, Sarah Todd, Tarra Malone Baldwin, Tom Little, Unique Tonihi, Wes Grigsby.



SCIENCE!

Check out what has been

happening in the Science room with the Year 8s. Growing Salt crystals, making models of our DNA, extracting strawberry DNA. Wow!

SCHOOL LEADERS: We are thrilled to announce this year's House and Class Leaders (listed below).

HEAD BOY, HEAD GIRL AND DEPUTIES: Hunter Piercy, Olivia Lee, Manaia Rangihuna, Kiki Lind

HEAD OF SPORT: Aria Southwick, Kingshouse Tupuola

HEAD CULTURE/ARTS/MUSIC: Mia Anderson, Izayah Ruhi, Anarua Kopu

CLASS & HOUSE LEADERS

Room1	Wade Browne	Mia Beere, Jordan Thompson
Room 3	Recaro Edwards	Amelia Palmer
Room 4	Nathan Leicester	Hannah Suckling
Room 17	Izayah Tapine	Hannah Oliver, Kaisha Ropitini
Muriwhenua	Rayarn Zammit, Ryder Moore	Jada Henare, Sarah Fenwick

Room 6	Trent Hale	Zoe Holland
Room 9	Tainui Pineaha	Hannah Pilmer
Room 10	Tasman Stuart	Bailey Wilkins
Room 12	Janairo Spooner	Morgan Vincent
Room 13	Jack Turnbull	Freya Davidson
Rongokako	Niall Henman-Joyce, Ali Lumb-Peteli	Eden English, Awhina Barbarich

Kaweka	Nicholas Botes	Bailey Taylor
Ruahine	Harley Rhodes, Jordan Gee (Deputy)	Mir Te Hau
Wakarara	Reuben Stuart	Chloe Nielsen
Huiarau	Cameron Stevens	Brooklyn Grant

Congratulations

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CLASS / INDIVIDUAL PHOTOS



On Monday your child should have brought home a pre-payment envelope for ordering Class/Individual photos. **Photo day is Wed 24th May.** This year is slightly different: **All** students present will be included in class photographs and also photographed individually for ID's regardless of whether they have returned payment envelopes or not. On photo day students will be issued with an internet access key to enable all parents/whanau access to online viewing of the photographs and to allow online ordering after photo day for those that have not pre-ordered.

More envelopes are available in the office including sibling packs (only for siblings that attend this School).

- Class photos will include all children regardless of whether they are purchasing a photograph
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- **PAYMENT:** Cheques made payable to LC Scott Photographers (incl 30c cheque fee), correct amount of cash enclosed in the order envelope or **order online directly to the Photographers** www.lcscott.co.nz

Class Photos - \$15 Individuals - \$20, \$25 or \$30 Both - \$30, \$35 or \$40 packs

PLEASE NOTE YOU CANNOT USE YOUR SCHOOL A.P'S, EFTPOS OR RECEIVE CHANGE FROM THE OFFICE FOR PHOTOS.

LUNCH ON LINE: Pita Pit Wednesdays and Thursdays. Jesters Pies Fridays. lunchonline.co.nz to sign up to have lunch delivered to the school office.

Police Vetting: Many thanks to those parents who have completed their police vetting forms for school trips including camp. Closer to November we will be able to confirm how many parents are needed for our camps, if we have too many we will have to draw names out of a hat! Parents who are wanting to go on camp will need to have their police check done before being put in the draw. We really appreciate and are so pleased to have so many keen helpers in our school to make our trips and camps possible. Please start putting aside some money as camp costs approximately \$350 and must be paid before your child leaves unless an AP has been well underway. We are happy to accept any part payments towards Y.8 camp throughout the year.



Science in the Aquarium Programme Extension Science Y7-8 Starting on 24 May for 5

Weeks: 3.45 - 4.45pm One day a week. Science in the Aquarium is a FREE after school programme for students who have a keen interest in science and want to learn more about the animal world. Students will get to learn about how animals live, behave and survive in their habitat and ecosystems. The programme will be based on the New Zealand Science Curriculum and this term we have a conservation and careers focus. Our educators will be on hand to guide students along as they investigate aquarium technology, learn about ocean ecology and adaptations and discover career pathways in science. This programme is a great way to enhance science skills for intermediate students before they go to secondary school. Email carol@nationalaquarium.co.nz to book.

MATHEMATICAL MIND MOVER Amy, Bailey, Jessie, Savannah and Alana are friends that live in five houses next to each other on the same side of Challenge Street.

Alana lives next to Savannah but not next to Jessie.

Bailey lives next to Jessie.

There are two houses between Amy and Alana.

In what order are their houses?



Remember to include your name, room number **and working out** on your entry form and place in the competition box before 8.40am on Monday morning. Good luck.

ME2 PROGRAMME: Many thanks to those who have paid their \$15 for the programme. Please can we have payment asap as your payment goes towards materials used in unfolding stories, the activity day out, transport, visitors and a sausage sizzle!

TRUTH FOR YOUTH: A new youth group will be starting for 13yrs plus at Living Waters Church, Durham Drive starting Friday 12th May 6.30-9.30pm Text Sharon 0221 659 702

YOUTH KICKBOXING The Lab Training Centre: Only \$10 per week Tuesdays and Thursdays 3.30-4.15pm 10-14 year olds. Ph 8421120 Spaces limited. admin@thelabtrainingcentre.co.nz



Regards,
Joanne Smith

PRINCIPAL

COMING EVENTS COMING EVENTS COMING EVENTS	
17 May	Inter Intermediate Football
24 May	School photos
5 June	Queen's Birthday NO SCHOOL
6 June	Me2 Day out – Year 8's (info to come)
7 June	Inter Intermediate Rugby