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Tēnā koutou students, parents, caregivers, whānau whānui and our school community,

The "Maskerade" has now been and gone and we were very well received by the Wairoa schools taking part. We enjoyed presenting our creations and then viewing the other schools' interpretations of wearable art and masks! Well done everyone involved, you put the time and effort in to participate by being prepared to contribute to the kaupapa. Well done Nuhaka!

The RIPPA rugby tournament has quickly come around for the other year levels too, hopefully the three grades were able to get away to Daniel Somerville's HBRFU



tournament in Wairoa today. Was the weather on our side? Well done everybody for being prepared- attending your lunch time practices, getting your information returns back to the office, organising your gear; and to our caregivers and parents for being available to be transporters and side-line support-way to go! Thanks!

Thank-you to our transport team...bus drivers and parent caregivers for your support to getting these teams and groups to Wairoa over the last few days, hugely appreciated!

PRESENTATION EVENING

This Thursday evening at 6:30pm we get underway with our dramas- our plays, in the Kahungunu Community Marae. Students are required to be onsite by 6pm please. It is imperative that all students attend as they have worked towards their parts and are integral to the success of each play group. This year classes are presenting a range of short plays on a wide range of fun themes, please come along and support them. This evening is in lieu of the presentation evening at the end of year, this is the change to stream line those end of year occasions, so you can well imagine a lot of effort has gone into discovering our future actors and actresses! The following school day, Friday, the last day of the term, will commence



one hour later at 10am.

Nau mai Haere mai!!

The BOT meet this coming Wednesday evening in the school staffroom at 6:30pm.

We have a very busy learning week ahead of us, with the major thrust being drama/play preparation, all the fine tuning to our budding stars and making sure we have props suitable for the occasion. The masks the students have created will be paraded again in between transitions.

Groups will also be travelling to Wairoa to view the REAL ART



Roadshow on Thursday. This is a quick trip to town but an opportunity to appreciate popular artists in a fantastic mobile gallery display. There has been a lot of work behind the scenes to bring this to Wairoa and then it lands on the Thursday! However, we ask for parent caregiver transport support again and the opportunity to view these works along with the students.



Our viewing times are: Y7 and Y8 from 10:30am to 11:00am; and Y5 and Y6 from 11am to 11:30am.

On Wednesday we have a regular visitor to Nuhaka School call by and set up their WORLD of MATHS hands on problem solving workshops....never to be missed and captivating. The educator sets up two different workshops for junior and senior school challenges.



On Friday of next week we celebrate our House competitions and behaviour awards with "It's In The Bag". We always look forward to this event with its tantalizing prizes and decision making!!!

"What will it be (a bribe) or what's in the envelope?" How do students become eligible to

be called up? The House with the winning points, any members drawn out of the hat...; one student from each bus route that hasn't incurred any behaviour problems; and that goes for village walkers also! At this assembly we also celebrate our 94-100% student attendance winners!



If you have any more Nit stories please send them in. The NIT zapper has been returned' Kia ora! If anyone would like to use it please contact the office.

Lots of students are now bringing a change of clothing for lunch time and sports

practices. WAY TO GO!!! We insist at the moment that this is the norm as the park is very soft and slippery.

Mr Chris Tremaine MP has been in contact with the principal seeking the green light to bring the Prime Minister, Mr John Key to Nuhaka School. Tentatively they have mooted the 24 August a Friday with an arrival time of 10:15 (by helicopter), with a stay for 1 hour or so... We are seeking registrations of interest



for groups or individuals to

So Mr Key, bigger classes are OK for kids from average NZ families who can't afford private schools?

have a few minutes to talk with the Prime Minister, please send your registration of interest to the principal Nuhaka school on a piece of paper in an envelope, asap. We will be inviting Te Mahia School to the occasion, schools have been asked for the possibility of a performance, or some other delivery...with the visit concluding with a morning tea and those who have registered their interest the opportunity for a chat.

The wider community are invited to attend to view and support, and mingle! Watch this space.

Saturday Sport.NETBALL DRAW:

Junior	10am	Court 2	Nuhaka Adidas v College Pulse
Junior	1pm	Court 1	Nuhaka Adidas v Pahuwera Rollerz
Fun Ferns	10am	Court 4	Nuhaka Stars v St J Stars

Organisers remind everyone it is only the Fun Ferns who do not play when it is raining.

PB JAB U13 RUGBY: Plays in Gisborne at Barry Park kicking off at 10:15am.

The **Wairoa JAB RUGBY DRAW** and EZ update report are found later in this newsletter, thank you to all the contributors of this notice.

Junior SOCCER continues this Saturday at the Athletic grounds.

Junior HOCKEY players will head to Gisborne for competition games this Saturday.

Thank-you to all the parents and coaches supporting students playing in the other major codes, your input and transport of the players is hugely appreciated. Thanks!

HAVE A GREAT WEEKEND OF SPORTS TATOU
remember to
PLAY HARD, PLAY FAIR, AND LISTEN TO THE REF
and
ENJOY YOURSELVES!

EZ "Rugby Player Mufti Day" Fundraiser on the last day of term 29 June both Eastern Zone schools have come on board to have a mufti day as a fundraiser for Eastern Zone Rugby. **All** children are invited to come to school in rugby clothes for a \$2 donation.

EZ rugby players are also reminded to pay their rugby fees of \$10.00 per family.



Fruit in School continues this week for students with pears, mandarins, apples, oranges, bananas, kiwifruit being supplied. Always appreciatively received - thank you our benefactors for this wonderful support to our school community.



The Virtue this week has been **RESOURCEFULNESS**. Next week the virtue is **PRESENTATION**.

Scholastic Bookclub and Ed Alive Orders have been sent. No more orders can be sent to our school office.

School Accounts need to be paid in full by next Friday please. Ring school if you have any queries.

For the sake of health and safety can people not be playing or gathering in the school grounds when it turns dark (around 5.30pm) ... it turns cold very quickly and the playground is unsafe in the dark.



Room 1

Tena koutou,

What an end to the week! Last week ended with a visit to the Wairoa museum delving into ideas about Matariki and the universe. This week we took part in the Wearable Arts on Thursday and RIPPAs rugby on Friday, both events in Wairoa! Thank you parents and caregivers who have been able to assist with transport and support at these events, great to have you along!

Yes, we completed the masks and what a sustained effort was needed! Congratulations everyone, you got there, and what



intriguing characters you've created. Feedback from the audience at the Wearable Arts has been very positive about your artworks, and contributions to the day! Let's repeat all this for our parents this coming Thursday evening!

The class has moved on to record their artworks efforts and have set up the drafting for a recount around the art process, and build up to, and about the wearable arts event. There have been positive responses to this writing style activity, with good use so far of brainstorming and the seven servants to shape using the ideas. I look forward to the student feedback from this recount writing and Wearable arts participation.

We've had some great practice sessions to prepare for the RIPPAs rugby tournament, a couple this week on a very squelchy park and another on the concrete. Today's tournament at the Tapuae grounds will have been just as soft...? How did we get on? We left with two very capable Y7/8 grade teams who will be competing against each other too!! How did we get on? Thanks again to all the parents and caregivers who were able to support today- great to have you along!

Every spare moment we capture to run over our drama presentation evening parts. Room one is presenting four plays, so it's really hectic drama coaching, a big thanks goes out to Whaea Moira who is working with the group presenting "Time Out". We've also been fortunate some days to grab Mrs Crawshaw to work with another group, while Mr Chapman is in the Hall with another two



groups. This week we are really focusing on acting skills- drama coaching, to bring our performances alive using expression and mannerisms, and clarity of diction. It is really important that all our good work achieved already (with the mastery of lines) is not wasted



by gabbling on stage with the audience missing all the important words...we've got to work at speaking unnaturally slowly...I call on parents and caregivers to assist coach those areas so we don't miss the catch phrases! Thanks.

Speech development has been going on in the background as have reading to learn activities, while we transition from one activity to another. It's an important time as we are poised half way through the year, and I've conducted some survey work this year to show some impressive learning growth across the class. During the week we examined our vocabulary

precision learning, reading development, and statistics learning progress. Results are most rewarding and confirming, we've got some students amongst us who are showing huge leaps and bounds in their learning. Speeches probably won't be shared with other classes until the beginning of next term, our class are due for a second presentation of, and critique from the teacher after putting their recent feed forward in place.

Last week's algorithms / computations and 24 Game will be sat probably again on Monday if we didn't get enough time after the RIPPA tournament today. Last week's results again showed 2 of us scoring less than 5; 5 of us scoring between 5-7; and 16 of us scoring 7-10. That's 4 with 10; and 3 with 9... that's 67% of our class scoring 7 and above, but only 17% scoring 10/10...

Thank you Whaea Moira and Mrs Crawshaw for your support to learning in room one.

Best wishes to all our sports persons this weekend- hope you all have better conditions than those of last weekend!

Mr N. Chapman

Room 4:

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

It is hard to believe it is almost the end of Week Nine... we have been blessed with great weather enabling us to carry on with many of our learning programmes.

Thank you to Mrs Nic Baker, who relieved in Room Four this Tuesday, while I worked in the school during my classroom release time. Mrs Baker will be joining us in Room Four again next Tuesday to assist in the final tuning of our presentation evening items. Thanks... also goes to Nic Baker, Kelly Jameson and Tracey Gower for assisting with transport on Thursday into Wairoa for the Wearable Arts - 'Maskerade'.



Natashar and Aaliyah 'strut their stuff' on the catwalk, Aaliyah with her Egyptian death mask and Natashar with her cat mask. It is a 'catwalk' after all...

Regular learning programmes have continued this week, but our main focus has been on completing our masks for the festival in Wairoa, as well as ironing the wrinkles out of our dramatic performances. The Wearable Arts Festival was a huge success with all that attended stating how much they enjoyed the event and how well prepared the students were, as they modelled a huge variety of masks. The students had fun presenting their masks and were able to let their personalities shine through in their designs and actions!

No sooner has Wearable Arts come to a natural end...and we shifted our focus from the arts to our next challenge...the 'Wairoa Rippa Rugby Tournament'. The students are well prepared after having competed in Gisborne in recent weeks and are rearing to go and give it heaps! We will be leaving school first thing Friday morning to go and face our opponents in Wairoa.

As the end of the term draws near assessment steps up a notch. The students have completed several assessments other the past two weeks. These assessments will again be used to measure student improvement, as well as for planning to meet student needs in Term Three.

Congratulations this week go to Paris Jameson for demonstrating mastery of her 9 times tables, also to Aaliyah and Sophie for demonstrating mastery of their 3 times tables. Well done Ethan and Sophie (again) for demonstrating mastery of their 4 times tables. Finally, congratulations to Clay for demonstrating mastery of his 8 times tables and to Joseph for demonstrating mastery of his 7 and 8 times tables. Awesome work people...set a goal and go for it!

Regards,

Mr Aan Hoek - Room 4 Teacher

Room 5:

Kia ora whanau,

The days have whizzed by and we are looking forward to an exciting final week to Term 2. Each day we spend time rehearsing for our performance and making our costumes. Unfortunately a few children have been off school sick with colds or chicken pox. I hope they will be back to join in the fun next week. With Mrs Hayward and Mrs Egan helping out the costumes and props are coming along nicely. For next Thursday evening when children are on stage they will need warm clothes under their costumes. Warm track pants and long sleeved skivvies would be best if possible. For girls light colours or white will fit best with their costumes.



Tipene (The strange alien) looks on as Joseph (The wolf) howls at the moon!



Clay and Paora put on quite a show and enjoyed themselves in the process!

Children have spent Maths time completing the booklets that they are adding to their portfolios. The year 2's are also running through their basic facts and Mathletics sheets to add further samples to their portfolios.

The new entrants have been working on their alphabet knowledge each morning by learning the names and the sounds of each letter. They are also looking at difference between capital letters and lower case letters. They learn the letters in their names first and are now beginning to recognise the names of their peers.

Part of each afternoon this week has been spent going through children's book boxes making sure that there is a good selection for them to read in class and at home. If children have moved into a different reading group they may bring home books that they are not yet familiar with. If they are reading slowly or without enjoyment read to them or with them until they are more fluent.

An extra thank you this week to Mrs Baker who took the class on Friday when I had to be away.

Have a great weekend everyone,

Barb Chapman, Marg Hayward, Mrs Egan and the Room 5 team.

Nuhaka School graduates will become...

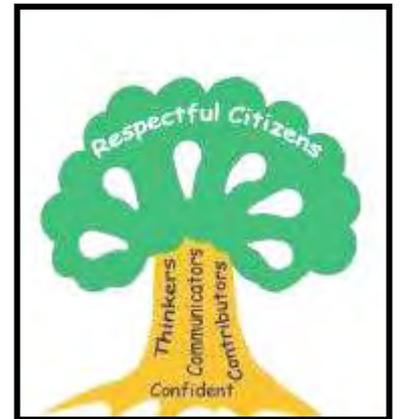
Room 8:

Kia ora Tatou

Room 8 enjoyed our trip to Wairoa last Friday for a Matariki learning experience. Everyone was engaged in the 'Star Dome' learning where we had to crawl into a dark dome which had the stars projected on the roof of the dome, learning about the stars or constellations, and specifically the Matariki cluster of stars.

After we emerged from the Star Dome we looked at taonga from the past related to Matariki. This learning ties in with our solar system inquiry, which we will continue next term.

Room 8 has been busily engaged in finalising our play script for next week. Students are learning their lines, and practising their parts. All students are trying their best, and we are reminding students that we need to face the audience, speak clearly and speak slowly. We have to practise speaking a little slower than we normally speak, so the audience can keep up with our speaking. Performing a play of the oral language part or speaking part is the same as telling a story, and it is important that the audience can hear what the speaker is saying so that the audience is engaged in the story. This is also good practise for speechmaking, which we have been preparing for. We will begin costumes and props next week, although we have discussed and brain stormed what props and costumes we will need for our play character. We will all be wearing masks as part of our costumes. The play also ties in with our solar system inquiry, as a part of the play is about the solar system. Thanks Koka Kura for reintroducing the school to our waiata for kapahaka in term 4. We are starting to revise our waiata now as we have many new students to introduce our kapahaka to. The song we practised was performed at last year's kapahaka festival but we only performed the first verse.



Writing and reading has focused on reading and writing lines in context for our characters and for our play, as well as developing the necessary skills for portraying our character with body language.

Maths has continued to focus on place value. We have looked at different ways we can write numbers, for example 2943, can be written as $900+3+2000+40$. This can also be written in words, forty+two thousand+three+nine hundred, in different combinations. Thanks Mrs Crawshaw for your support in Room 8 this week.

Thanks Mrs Baker for teacher release this week.

Mr Irwin



Eastern Zone Rugby.

Well after 3 weeks of no rugby in Wairoa our players will be very eager to get back into a game. Hopefully the weather will treat us more kindly this Saturday.

Wairoa rugby this Saturday sees all Eastern Zone games playing Athletic at the Athletic grounds. Times are slightly different to usual, so please take note!

Midgets vs Athletic 9.30am *Athletic grounds*

Juniors vs Athletic 9.30am *Athletic grounds*

Primary vs Athletic 10.30 *Athletic grounds*

YC's van will leave Te Mahia Store at 8.00am, Fosters at 8.15am and Nuhaka Store at 8.30am. Please phone/text YC to confirm your seat. YC's numbers are 8375686 or 0274877686. The cost is \$3.00 per person.

U13 Intermediate Grade

Eastern Zone vs Baycorp HSOB - 10.15am -Field 2 Barry Park

The bus will leave Mahia Store at 8.00am, Fosters at 8.15 and Nuhaka Store at 8.30am.

Cost is a minimum of \$5.00 per person please.

If for some reason you are not able to play on Saturday please out of courtesy let your coach know. Thank you.

A reminder please that it is compulsory for all rugby players to bring items for the grocery raffle. If you could bring these to school ASAP that would be greatly appreciated. Please check expiry dates as items past due by dates are not acceptable.

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Happy rugby everybody. Play hard and play fair.

Nic Baker

Thank-you teachers and relievers, cleaners, caregivers and support staff, bus drivers, and contractors- everyone's input is hugely appreciated to make this a great team effort, along with our school community's input and spirit, and our Duffy Books In Homes sponsors our PTA and Board of Trustees; and Newspaper sponsor, Mr Graeme Lowe - that always combines to make this a great place to be. Thank you also to our newsletter advertisers. Have a safe weekend everyone.

Noho ora mai,



N.J.C. CHAPMAN.
Principal

Calendar of Events:

27th June - World Maths at school.

28th June - Real Art Show - Wairoa.

28th June - Class presentations evening.

29th June - Last day Term 2 Mufti day.

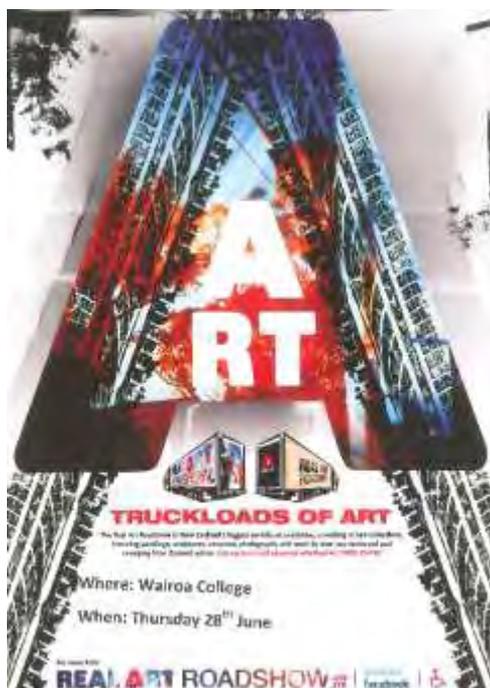
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The Wairoa National Kapa Haka Roopu continues to fundraise to get our college students to the secondary school kapa haka nationals in Whangarei next month. We are selling the \$10 Feed the Whanau pork raffles again and as there are only 40 tickets available you need to be in to win. Ask to buy a ticket at the Nuhaka Fish n Chip shop. Thank you for your support.

EZ Kyokushin Karate Club has a fundraiser working bee this Sunday from 12 noon. The more help the quicker the work will get done which is spreading bark and clearing branches etc to tidy the area beside the Nuhaka Store where the public toilets are. Dress to work and possibly get dirty and bring rakes, shovels and a wheelbarrow if you can. Thanks for showing up in support of your child and our club.

Reminder: The Nuhaka Fish Supply is closing at 6.30pm during these winter months. Place your orders early so you get the tea you want.



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Nuhaka Playcentre Newsletter

What a beautiful winter's day we had and how pleased we were to share it with our visitors. This week we continued with our interest in clay and playdough providing a variety of resources for children to explore these mediums. A lot of activity happened outside today due to the lovely weather including sliding down the slides, forwards and backwards! There was plenty of action in the sandpit and at the water trough as children combined activities and did lots of digging, moving, scooping, measuring, mixing, and pouring of both sand and water. Some children utilized the carpentry in the shed and practiced hammering and drilling timber on the floor while others checked on the worms, and even took them on the slide! Dinosaurs and more were painted on the easel today, children took their dollies for walks, drives and jumps off the box and two young photographers enjoyed taking turns behind the camera! It was wonderful to welcome new mums and children to our centre and we look forward to seeing you again! Next week we will be making soap. Should be good clean fun! See you there.





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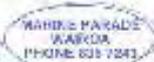
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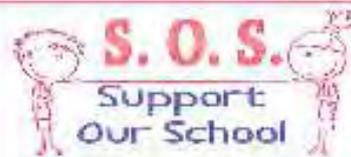


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