

## Ngaruawahia Primary School

"Mana te Tuatahi"

\*Manamotuhake \*Manaakitanga \*Kotahitanga \*Whakapiringatanga

T4 WK6 16 November 2023

Kia Ora whaanau, Four more weeks until the end of term! Keep connected on our communication channels to stay up to date.

It has been great to see so many whaanau involved in supporting the tamariki at the junior and senior athletics events over the past two weeks. It's so encouraging to see us all work together, helping all aakonga achieve their full potential. A big ngaa mihi to all the staff who put in a huge amount of time into these events.

We are looking forward to seeing everyone at our Learning Conversations on Friday 17th. This is a chance to celebrate all the progress and success that has been happening. A reminder that the kura will be closed on this day. Room 6 will be on a marae stay with their new kaiako, so no bookings for Room 6.

Unfortunately, I have had to issue a number of stand-downs relating to physical assault and vaping over the last two weeks. Physical assault and Vaping won't be tolerated at NPS and the kura has a number of programmes in place to support. Social Worker and Counselling service, Boxing Coach, KiwiCan and Mindful Movement to name a few. We also have a saying to assist our tamariki when things get out of hand ... we use our W.I.T.S: Walk away, Ignore, Tell Someone and Seek Help. Have a koorero with your tamariki around using their W.I.T.S when a situation might arise.

Tomorrow, Saturday the 18th, some of the NPS whaanu will be at Mitre10 Te Rapa around 10:30am to bump up our chances for a new playground. Don't forget to get into Mitre10 Te Rapa and use your token to vote for NPS.

Have a great weekend, Matua Murray

Congratulations to Whaea Coby and Whaea Olivia who have completed their Provisional Teacher Registration and are now Fully Registered Teachers!! After completing their studies, kaiako undergo a two year provisional registration programme to become Fully Registered. Our aakonga are very lucky to have these two kaiako helping them achieve their full potential.

Well done kaiako ma!



TAHI
DOES THE
MAHI!!!
Akomanga Tahi
has thoroughly
enjoyed SUPER
SMASH and have
gained some new
skills.

We have been learning about statistics in our akomanga.

Aakonga have been sorting items into groups.

ROOM 2 DOES KUNG FU







Akomanga Toru loves kapa haka and they often start singing in the middle of lessons!!! Here they are practising. We have also started planning our mural for the Junior Hub and everyone has come up with some great ideas.

Akomanga Whitu "Drivers of our learning" Akomanga Waru "Room 8 is ready to celebrate"

Our classes have been working alongside Waikato University to learn about digital technologies. We have been learning about coding, algorithms and how to use an amazing new resource.









Akomanga rima has been unpacking 'Soil & Water secrets' through Science experiments.

As well as learning a new topic, they met one of our new relievers for our class.

Welcome back to our kura Matua Will:)



Rm 5 - The Learning Tribe







Our kura is lucky to be able to offer Social Worker and Counseling support services free for our tamariki. If you would like to engage with these services or want to know more on what they offer, please contact the office.

COUNSELLING SUPPORT

### CONTACT US:









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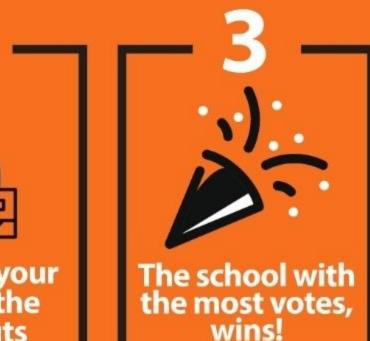
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# Learning Conversation

We are holding our Learning Conversations on Friday 24th November from 9am - 5pm. School will be closed for instruction on this day.

This is a day where you and your tamaiti can come and celebrate all the learning and progress over the year with your kaiako. Please book in on the skool-loop app. Be quick to get a time that suits you!



Tue 21 Nov: Inter School Athletics - hosted by NPS (pp. Tue 28 Nov)

Fri 24 Nov: Learning Conversations & Reports issued . (9am - 5pm) School Closed on this day

> Thu 30 Nov: Junior School sleepover Fri 1 Dec: Junior School Fun day

Thu 7 Dec: Senior School Rainbow Feather trip

Fri 8 Dec: Junior School Rainbow Feather trip

Thu 14 Dec: Prize Giving afternoon/evening Fri 15 Dec: Final day of 2023! 12:30pm finish.

TUES 30 JAN 2024: FIRST DAY BACK 2024

