



# Ngaruawahia Primary School

"Mana te Tuatahi"

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

June 16 2023

T2 Wk 9

Kia ora e te whaanau

This term our 'value' we have been focussing on is Mana Motuhake. Being proud, positive, motivated and special.

Its great to see that our akonga explicitly use the values that we teach, through their learning, competitions and participation in activities. Ask your tamariki how they show these values each day.

We highly value the communication between school and home. Remember we use skool loop, class dojo and emails. This is where you will find the most up-to-date information from school. If you have any concerns, please contact your classroom teacher in the first instance, so they can best help you and your child.

Our kaupapa this term has been learning about the SPECIAL PERSON in our lives. Currently our akonga are making taonga for their special people. Its great to see the designing and the thinking and planning, that has gone into their creations.

REMINDER: Our uniform expectations. PLAIN BLACK SHORTS/PANTS, School polo top.

OFFICE is OPEN BETWEEN: 8:30A.M. - 3:00P.M. ALL VISITORS- Please sign in if you are onsite between 9:30 - 2:30

Matua Murray & the Team

## Nga Karakia

Here at kura we use the following karakia:

To start our day:

E te atua kaha rawa, manaakitia mai matou, i tenei wa  
Homai te kaha, te ora, me te maramatanga,  
i nga wa katoa, ake ake ake, amine.

As part of our kai rituals:

E ihoa, whakapaingia enei kai, hei oranga mo matou tinana,  
whangaia hoki o matou wairua, ki te taro o te ora,  
Ko ihu karaiti to matou kai whakaora,  
ake ake ake, amine.

At the end of the day:

Kia tau, kia tatou katoa  
te atawhai o to tatou ariki, a ihu karaiti  
me te aroha o te atua, me te whiwhingatahitanga,  
ki te wairua tapu,  
ake ake ake amine

## HEALTH REMINDERS

With sickness increasing within the kura, we sometimes have a number of staff away.

If Tamariki are sick, please keep them home.

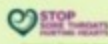
Sickness, and coupled with a teacher shortage, we are unable to find relievers to cover classrooms or Teacher Aide roles. Some days, students are being split between classrooms where a reliever can't be found. We will start informing whaanau each day of which classrooms don't have a teacher to see if it's possible for tamariki to do online learning from home.

Thank you for your continued support and understanding.



## Stop Sore Throats Hurting Hearts

Rheumatic fever starts with a sore throat and can lead to heart damage. Everytime your child has a sore throat, get it checked straight away.



Free info on rheumatic fever

Healthline 0800 611 118



Irie and her Sports Award

SOME OF OUR AMAZING TAMARIKI



ROOM 5 MAKING SHERBET



NPS BRONZE 2023



Our tamariki planting daffodils with the WDC

# NGARUAWAHIA PRIMARY SCHOOL BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Kia Ora Ngāruawāhia School community.

We are on the hunt for a Parent representative to join our Board Of Trustees.

If you are interested or, if you would like to know more please email Emma at [emma@ngaruawahia.school.nz](mailto:emma@ngaruawahia.school.nz). We encourage anyone to apply as long as you can bring commitment, dedication, passion & drive for our kura.

We are an awesome team dedicated to Ngāruawāhia Primary, children & staff.  
Nga Mihi.



# SOME OF OUR AWESOME TEAM



Whaea Lisa Joyce



Whaea Keana Ronquillo



Whaea Celeste  
Clark-Robinson



- Monday 19th - Kiwi Can
- Tuesday 20th - Mau Rakau, Team Tuesday Netball in Taupiri (**We are on duty**)
- Wednesday 21st- Math tutoring
- Friday 23rd - Boxing
- Tuesday 27th - Otahuhu College Mau Rakau Netball in Taupiri
- Wednesday 28th - St Johns
- Thursday 29th - St Johns
- **Friday 30th** - Rainbow Feather kai, Boxing, **LAST DAY OF SCHOOL**



Kia ora whaanau  
NPS Netball Paanui  
On Tuesday 20th June, NPS are on shop and clean up duties in Taupiri at Netball.

On our menu: Burgers, Toffee Apples, Drinks, Sausage sizzle, Fry Bread, Lollies.

If anyone is willing to help with the selling and cooking of our kai on the date above in Taupiri, please let me know :)  
Whaea Coby



**KIWI CAN AMBASSADORS  
MARLON & MICKY**

## MATARIKI 2023



**FIRST DAY BACK:  
Monday 17 July, 2023**

**T**OGETHER  
**W**E CAN  
**A**CHIEVE  
**M**ORE