Newsletter





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Kia ora Parents, Caregivers and Whānau,

Term Three - Week 7

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It has been an exciting week here at Ormond. This excitement has been built on the success of our quiz and auction night fundraiser. It was a truly excellent night, where we saw our wider school community get together to get in behind our major fundraiser.

We are incredibly grateful to all the volunteers, sponsors and participants who made our recent school quiz and auction night such a resounding success. Your generosity and support have made a significant impact on our school and we are truly inspired by your commitment to our community. A special thanks to our dedicated fundraising committee, particularly Zara Bousfield and Ashlee Destounis, for their exceptional organisation and hard work in pulling this event together. Their tireless efforts behind the scenes ensured a smooth-running event, that was both enjoyable and successful. We also want to acknowledge the incredible contributions of our quiz master, Tony Scragg and auctioneer, Cody Clarke. Their engaging personalities and enthusiasm created a lively atmosphere that kept everyone entertained.

A big shoutout to all the volunteers in the kitchen, bar and out on the floor, who worked tirelessly to provide drinks, the delicious burgers and platters that fueled our guests and ensured that our venue was clean and tidy at the end of the event. Their dedication and commitment to the greater cause made a significant contribution to the overall success of the evening.

Our volunteers contributions have helped us exceed our fundraising goals and make a positive difference in the lives of our students. We are truly humbled by your support and look forward to continuing to work together to create a brighter future for our school community. Thank you again for everything you have done for us, it is greatly appreciated and does not go unnoticed. Noho ora mai rā, Stay safe and have a great weekend! Jonathan Poole - Tumuaki / Principal

hank you to our awesome he 6000

Ormond School wishes to thank all those individuals and families who contributed to a fantastic quiz and auction evening held last Friday. Your generosity has gone along way to achieving our goal of purchasing a school van for our Ormond School learners and community!!

- Simon and Zara Bousfield
- **Tim and Sonia Gardner**
- Blake and Sarah Charteris
- Paul and Jenny Randall
- Deborah Quilter
- Jess O'Dwyer
- Jerry and Huia Cook
- Bonnie Jarden
- Ashlee and Tama Garnham
- Allen and Fiona Irwin
- Bea Tomlinson
- Storm Baynes-Ryan
- Kylie Webster and Phil Kerley
- Stacy Ward
- General Kate Gunn
- Mandy Macpherson
- Koka Ange, Mrs T, Sophie, Mr Poole



F.L.A.X Award Recipients



MALI

Wow, Mali! You have made great progress, especially in literacy. This is because of your willingness to get into the learning pit and to work hard to get out. You had difficulties blending the sounds to read words but you never gave up. You were always keen to practice again and again (and still are!). As a result of your positive attitude you can now work words out all on your own. You have a love of learning and this will get you to sail far. Tino pai tō mahi Mali, keep it up!

POPPY

Poppy, we are blown away at how far you have come already this year. We notice the effort and hard work you put into your learning, always challenging yourself to be better than before. You have confidence in yourself as a learner and you have made accelerated progress! You are also a kind and respectful member of our class, helping others with their learning when they are stuck! We are lucky to have a Powerful Learner Superhero like you in our class Poppy, ka rawe!





JACOB



You have been showing outstanding self-management and independent work in class. You handle tasks calmly and with a positive attitude, and your efforts are great. Your recent work on your speech shows how you are becoming a confident and effective speaker. Keep up the excellent work Jacob! Ka mau te wehi, You are soaring to the moon!

CARMEN

Carmen you are a powerful learner due to your excellent ability to focus. You are attentive during lessons, have lovely manners and always give your best. When you have been out of class for learning with Mrs Dods you always return ready to jump straight into whatever Rimu are doing. With this positive attitude and great work ethic you will go far! Kei ou ringaringa te ao!









TE WIKI O TE REO MÃORI Week 9: 16th-20th September



Join us for a whānau celebration lunch and games afternoon on Wednesday 18th September at 1pm.

Please bring a plate of kai to share. Ngā mihi nui!







NOTICES & UPDATES

After School Pick Ups: Just a gentle reminder to sign your child out of the school grounds before you leave, either with Mrs T or a Teacher. If you are going to be late for pick ups, please let the school know (06 862 5725, e-mail, facebook messenger) so we are aware of this as Teachers and staff are not always available after 3pm due to meetings, Professional learning off site and on occasions their own commitments.

Ormond School Reunion: This is taking place on Labour weekend, 25th-27th October. We are asking if any whānau have any memorabilia (photos, etc) that these be brought into the school office. Photos will be scanned and returned immediately.



Jonathan, Lynne, Mrs T, Raquel, Sophie, Angela, Michelle, Ash, Suellen, & Mike

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