



# Newsletter

Newsletter #9

Term 4

Kia ora koutou,

The final term of the year is in full swing! We hope to start enjoying some warmer dryer weather (soon??).

On Friday 3rd November the Ngutunui School Board is holding a dessert evening, where we invite whanau and community to come along to share your ambitions for our students as we begin the process of writing the 2024-2025 school Strategic Plan. Please come along and be part of this process as we value the thoughts and ideas of our school whanau.

Over the next couple of weeks, the students will continue to practice their athletics skills, a selected team will then venture to the Lower Waipa Senior Athletics to compete. We will be holding an athletics showcase on the 15th of November where parents are welcome to come and watch their child's athletic skills.

The Ministry of Education has approved Ngutunui School to join the Nga Awa ki te Moana Kahui Ako (Community of Learning) where our students and staff will be able to join in with the learning pathway of this collective group of schools (Otorohanga and the Coast). On Thursday 16th of November, we have a Teachers Only Day along with these schools to receive professional learning and development in the Curriculum Refresh and the One Practise Model that is due to begin its rollout within all schools in 2024. **The school will be CLOSED for instruction on Thursday 16th November.**

We hope to see you all on Friday night for dessert and coffee!

## What's coming up:

- 30th October Duffy Assembly 1:15pm
- 31st October Waiwhakata Farm visit
- **3rd Nov Community Consultation Evening 6pm**
- 7th Nov Y8 HPV Imms
- 10th Nov Lower Waipa Athletics
- 15th Nov - Athletics Skill showcase 11am
- **16th Nov Teachers Only Day**
- 20th-23rd Nov SCHOOL CAMP (Y3-8)
- 21st Nov Y1-2 Lower Waipa Athletics (TBC)
- 30th Nov Life Education Bus visit
- Wed 13th Dec - Learning Celebration & Final Assembly
- Thursday 14th December - Last Day of the term
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- Tue 30th Jan 2024 Teachers Only Day
- **Wed 31st Jan Term 1 2024 starts**
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# You are invited!

Please join us for a dessert  
and coffee evening to gather  
ideas for our school planning . . .  
**2024-25** . . .

Come and share your ideas, hopes and  
wishes for our tamariki and school  
community . . .

**When: Friday 3rd November**

**Time: 6-8PM**

## Community Consultation

**Bring your children!**

A movie and dessert will be available  
for children.

