



TERM 3, WEEK 4

7th August, 2025

Newsletter

WHAEA JOSIE'S KORERO

Another busy term is underway. This week we have sent 2 groups of students to the Kind Heart's event. We chose students who wear their CAP and show our school values in all they do. This event promotes kindness with speakers that also promote this message. Prizes and fun are had by all and it is a great event.

Our Pasifika Academy is up and running on a Thursday afternoon. Thank you to Whaea Janet and Ata who have got this up and running. We have also been lucky enough to have a group of PNGHS students who are supporting our tamariki in this space, which we are so thankful for. We cannot wait to see them perform later in the year.

We have had a number of high schools coming to promote their programmes and our Year 8s are beginning to enrol for 2026, which shows how fast the year is moving.

A big thank you to everyone that purchased a yo-yo which helps to fund the Ned Show that visited us, sales have now ended.

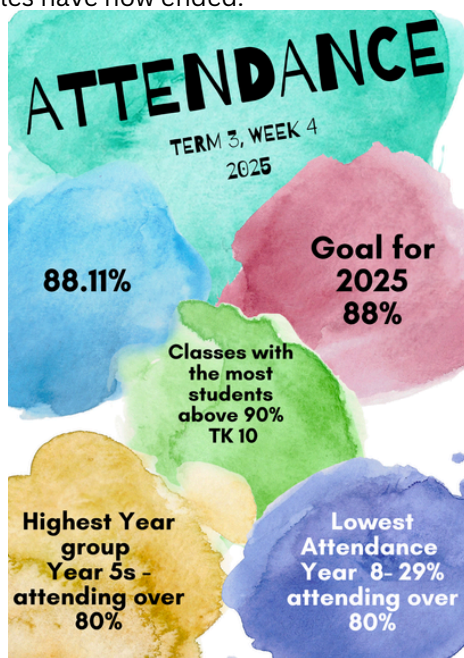
We have a Pie fundraiser out at the moment so please ask family and friends if they would like pies. A percentage of sales comes back to school and this goes towards supporting the cost of camp. Support across the school is appreciated to get our tamariki to camp each year.

Lastly on Friday we have 9 teams attending an orienteering event for the first time. We are excited to give this a go and hopefully it will spark some interest in a new challenge for our tamariki.

Thank you to everyone who is working hard to bring our school attendance numbers up. Whether this be contacting us, replying to texts or calling in. This has really been appreciated.

As per the Facebook post that went out yesterday we have had a lot of staff off sick. Lots of children are coming back to school when they are not well. This is spreading sickness across the school. So can we ask that you PLEASE keep students home until they are well. The attendance wheel will be paused until we start to get the illness under control. This latest flu is really knocking adults for a long time and we need everyone well.

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We have noticed a resurgence of head lice. It is really important that you treat your child if you have found they have lice or eggs. Shampoo is easily accessed at the school office and using a comb will ensure eradication.

What's On

Thursday 7th August
PNBHS Music show

Friday 8th August
Year 5-8 Orienteering
BOT nominations close at 12pm

Tuesday 12th August
Duffy Theatre

Wednesday 13th August
Te Pūtahitanga Te Manawa visit

Wednesday 20th August
Disco 3.30-4.30pm

Friday 29th August
Pie orders due
Daffodil day - wear something yellow
and bring a gold coin.

Tuesday 2nd September
Board of Trustees' Hui = 5pm

Monday 8th September
Teacher Only Day

I am an independent
learner and can discuss
my learning

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BOARD OF TRUSTEES NOMINATIONS

Board of Trustees nominations close this Friday the 8th August at 12 noon.

If there is someone you would like to nominate or would like to nominate yourself then pick up a nomination form from the school office. and hand it back before the 12 noon deadline.



Football

Our Elite football team went to Calaeno Park on Tuesday. They came 6th Taite and Lwe paw were the players of the day.



BASKETBALL



Congratulations to our Takaro Kiwi team who won their final against St Mary's magic last Thursday. The score was 26-14.

They had an awesome season.

Big thank you to their coach Whaea Shirley, You did an awesome job.



MASSEY KIDS' CLUB

BEFORE & AFTER SCHOOL CARE

MONDAY TO FRIDAY
TIL 5:30PM

Children aged 5-13 years old

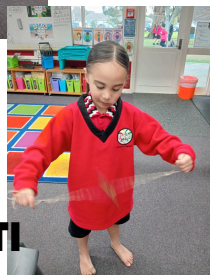
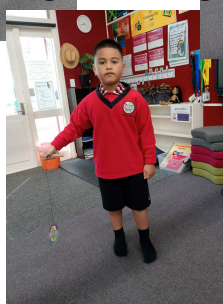
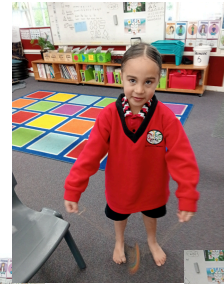
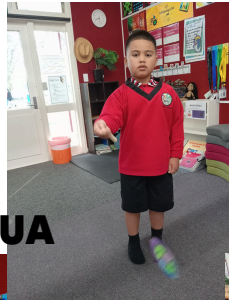
OUR PROGRAMS INCLUDE:

- ✓ High-quality care
- ✓ A friendly & nurturing environment
- ✓ Drop offs to school
- ✓ Pick ups from school
- ✓ Breakfast and Afternoon tea
- ✓ Fun and engaging activities
- ✓ Outdoor play

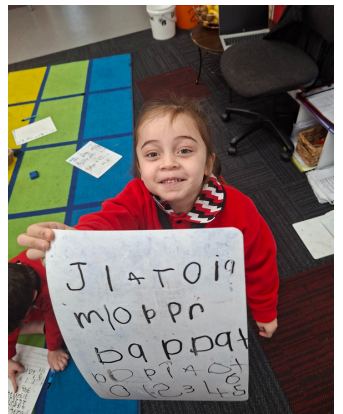
OSCAR subsidies available

TE REO PŪTAHI

I tēnei wāhanga kei te ako mātou e pā ana ki ngā Atua mō te Toi pērā i ēnei: Mataora, Niwareka, Hine Raukatauri, Tanerore, Hine Te Rehia. I ērā o ngā wiki i aro atu mātou ki te mahi raranga hei hononga ki ngā mahi a Niwareka te Atua mō te mahi tāniko. I tēnei wiki i aro mātou ki te mahi a Hine Raukatauri me tana waiata tino ataahua. Koia kua ahu mai ngā putorino. Mā tēnei ka hanga mātou i ngā momo tāonga pūoro rerekē pērā i te pūrerehua, te pūtangitangi me te porotiti.



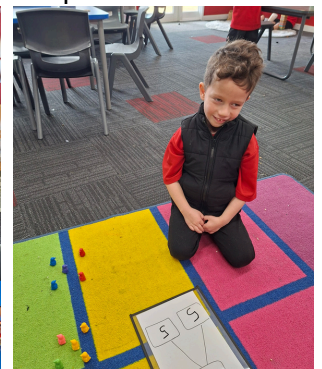
TE PŪTAHITANGA



Nau mai haere mai to our new tamariki in TP2. Tuakana teina is being embraced with our older tamariki supporting our new tamariki to feel a sense of belonging at kura.

“He waka eke noa, we are all in this canoe together”.

We have been enjoying maths learning about numbers, counting, addition, and place value.



TE KŌWHITINGA

In Te Kowhitinga 9, our learning journey has been all about Mana Motuhake – exploring what it means through the stories of our tangata, our whenua, and our whakapapa. We've been diving into the past to understand the strength and independence that shape who we are today. Alongside this, we're busy practising for our upcoming production – an exciting event that we can't wait to share with whānau! We'll keep you updated as the big day gets closer. Ngā mihi.

“He tangata akona ki te marae tū, tūtū ana ki te ao.”
A person taught on the marae is prepared to face the world.



MĀHURI TŌTARA

This week in Māhuri Tōtara, our students have had a strong sports focus.

On Tuesday, a group of our Year 7/8 students competed in the Interschool Elite Football competition, putting their skills to the test against other top teams.

Our Year 7/8 Basketball team is currently second on the leaderboard for intermediate mixed teams in the Manawātū region. They have been training hard, with their semifinal game this Friday and the finals the following week, as they push to take the win this year.

In addition to our team sports, we also have a small group of students heading out this Friday for an interschool orienteering competition. This is a new sport for them, and they are looking forward to the challenge of navigating the course and testing their wits.

Both teams and our orienteering group are hoping for great results!

