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Mount Biggs Bulletin

Principal's Message

Kia ora koutou e te whānau,

The term and year are coming to an end very quickly. It is hard to believe we are in our second to last week. It has been great to reflect on the year and think about all the amazing things we have done at Mount Biggs School. The children, staff, community, Home and School, and the BoT have worked incredibly hard throughout the year to make this the best place to be. I would like to thank all of you for your generosity.

Last week we had the showcase. What an awesome night. We were all blown away by the confidence and talent all of our children displayed. They all performed so incredibly well and made us all very proud. This highlighted many of the incredible things that happen at Mount Biggs School. The organisation that went into making this event successful was outstanding. The staff and volunteers all worked so hard. We appreciate all of the assistance we had. It has been very nice to hear the positive feedback from our parents, caregivers, and whānau.

This week the Year 8s had their Kainui Day Out at Highland Home. This is a great way for the children to meet other Year 8s going to the same high schools. They did team-building exercises and fun activities to build connections. Thank you to Mr Gilbert for organising this and Val who helped with transport.

On Wednesday our senior children took part in the Senior Kainui Athletics at Newbury School. This was a postponement day. It was great for the senior children to have their chance to compete against the other schools. We had some amazing results. Thank you again to all of the parents and caregivers who helped with transport and who supported the team. Thank you to Mr Gilbert for his organisation.

We hope you enjoy the last week of school and that we will see at the prizegiving/final assembly next week.

Ngā mihi nui,
Kyle Harris

School Reminders	School Dates
<i>School Final Assembly Starts at 10am School finishes at 12.30pm</i>	<i>December 5th - Yr 2 graduation 5th - Rm 1 weaving 12th - Final assembly January 30th - Term 1 starts</i>

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Room 1



Wow! Showcase was amazing. Room 1 did an outstanding performance. Every child had their moment on the stage. Everyone planned their own costumes, performances and scripts.

Auction Prizes

Some lucky students have been taken to the park with ice cream and pizza. Others get to go this week with more park trips and one group heading to Makino. Room 1 worked hard to earn their Mount Biggs Bucks at our school auction.

This year has been an amazing year. Everyone has worked extremely well over the last 4 terms.

Room 2



What a jam-packed couple of weeks we have had. Room 2 danced to the Final Countdown for our Showcase class item. The class had been practising for quite a while and put on a great show on the night. It was great to see how many Room 2 kids were also involved in other items like Kapa Haka and choir.

We had so much fun at 'Keepy Uppy' a few weeks back that we decided to keep a couple of balloons for ourselves. Every few days when we have a spare minute we push all the tables back and have competitions. Year 3 against Year 4 and girls against boys. It is getting extremely competitive.

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Room 3



What a busy year and a crazy term it's been, packed with so much excitement and activity! Our biggest and proudest moment was our whole school showcase last Thursday, where students amazed us with their incredible talents. It was a fantastic celebration of our school community's creativity and hard work. We also cheered on some outstanding achievements at the Kainui athletics. A huge congratulations to several of our class members who placed 1st, 2nd, or 3rd in their year groups—way to go, team! As the term winds down, we've noticed some very tired kids who are undoubtedly as ready for the holidays as we are. Rest up and enjoy the break—you've earned it!

Room 4



Room 4 are amazing! The past few weeks have been hectic, with showcase practices, rehearsal, scripts being learnt and songs sung. I was very impressed with the mahi that went into the showcase and how the leaders of our school represented Mount Biggs School.

The band was amazing - Ollie

It was an enjoyable night, very busy behind the scenes - Alicia

We thought we were not ready but on the day it was awesome! - Nathan

The duck story was my favourite - Esther

The showcase was hilarious. - James

The showcase was really fun and I wish I had signed up for more things - Autumn

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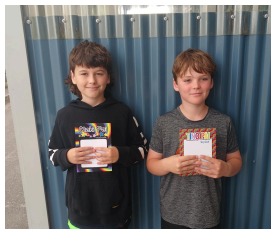


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School Certificates

Room 1

Week 6



Week 7

Room 2

Week 6



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