



TE KURA O MANGATANGI

(Mangatangi School)



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PĀNUI

(Newsletter)

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MAI I TE TUMUAKI

(From the Principal)

Dear Parents, Caregivers and Whānau,

Week 9 is already upon us, only one week of Term 3 remaining!

This week is Te Wiki o te Reo Māori, or Māori Language Week and congratulations to our students who are using te reo Māori in their everyday conversations.

Students are exceptionally busy with their learning, both in class and out - age appropriate structured literacy, numeracy, topic work and of course preparing their Indoor Exhibits for Calf and Lamb Day on the 20th October. All students have also been invited to do some art work for a calendar fundraiser, further information about this will be available to you next week.

Room 2 has again started planting out the donated seedlings as part of the Trees for Survival program sponsored by Waiau Pa Bulk Haulage. These plants will be mature enough for planting next year.

On top of all this, we have our Year 7 & 8 boys participating in the Franklin Basketball Competition next week. Phew, everyone will need a holiday at the end of next week!.

When our students wear our school uniform correctly they not only show pride in our school but also themselves. Currently we have a number of unclaimed plain black socks and polar fleeces in our lost property in case you are missing them! Congratulations, and thank you to those students who show pride by wearing uniform correctly.

Finally, we have been requested from the Ministry of Education to inquire as to school families who do not currently have internet. If that is you please let me know, thanks

Ngā mihi,
Christine West,
Principal

Maramataka

(Calendar)

If you are growing [Lettuces](#) for Calf & Lamb Day, plant when ready from now* (*remember to collect your Plant Diary from the school office before planting)

September 2023

- 11th - 18th Te wiki o te Reo Māori
(Maori Language Week)
- 12th Home & School Committee Meeting 7:30pm
- 14th Samosas collection day from school
- 14th School Board meeting 6:30pm
- 15th Mufti Day #4 (**non-food** item as "payment")
- 19th Franklin Basketball Tournament (Year 7/8 Boys)
- 19th - 21st Life Education bus onsite
- 22nd Year 7/8 Technology
- 22nd LAST DAY OF TERM 3!

October 2023

- 9th First day of Term 4
- 14th Election Day at Mangatangi School
- 20th Calf & Lamb Day!



Tēnā Rawa Atu Koe

(Thank you very much)

- To all the parents who were able to collect their wet and muddy children early after the Rippa Rugby tournament last week!
- To all the students who have returned their Animal Registration form for Calf & Lamb Day
- To all the students who have remembered to pick up a Plant Diary before planting their Calf & Lamb Day Horticulture section entries



Touch Rugby is back!

Registrations of interest for Touch Rugby are due by this coming Friday 15th September! Year 7/8's - are you playing...? We particularly need you!

Forms are available from the school office, please ensure you have completed one if your child would like to play.

Games start on the first Tuesday of Term 4, so we will be organising teams this term.

Please remember...

Either way it's 20k



The correct speed when driving past a stationary school bus is 20kph.
This applies to vehicles passing in both directions.



SPORTS RESULTS & DRAWS



RESULTS

TEAM	OPPOSITION	RESULT	PLAYER OF THE DAY
MINIBALL 11th September - Semi Finals			
Mangatangi Madness	Waitakaruru Warriors	14 - 2	Samantha, Liam, Thomas, Hemi Kahurangi, Fletcher, Leo, Max
Mangatangi Mayhem	Ngatea Jets	6 - 9	

DRAWS

TEAM	OPPOSITION	DATE	TIME	COURT/TURF
MINIBALL - FINALS WEEK!				
Mangatangi Madness (play off for 5th & 6th)	TBC	Mon 18 th Sept	TBC	1
Mangatangi Mayhem (play off for 3rd & 4th)	TBC	Mon 18 th Sept	TBC	1

A massive thank you to Nikki Walker for managing both teams each week - your support and encouragement each week is appreciated!



RUBBISH STICKERS

Waikato District Council / Community rubbish stickers are available from the Mangatangi School Office during school hours for \$1.50.

If you do need any, you are welcome to pay on-line (use no. of stickers and your name as reference) and they can be sent home with your child.

Plan ahead and check you have got enough to last the upcoming school holidays!



SCHOOL OFFICE

Office hours:

8.00am - 3:15pm Monday - Thursday

Any school payments can be made either at school (cash, cheque or eftpos) or by direct debit.

Our account number is: 12-3023-0387504-01

Please put your child's name and what it is for in the ref, code and description to ensure your account is updated.



CALF AND LAMB DAY 2023

Friday 20th October

SPONSORS

Thank you to our sponsors who have come on board so far. Sponsors like these ensure we raise as much as possible on Calf & Lamb Day, which then turns into resources for our tamariki at Mangatangi School.

Anexa Vet Services	ASB Pukekohe	Auckland Zoo
Auto Super Shoppe Pukekohe	Black Pond Farm	Countdown Pokeno
Counties Custom Killing	Counties Energy	Dalmaine Foods
Dapper & Co	Farm Source Pukekohe	FIT 360
Franklin Vets	Frenz Eggs	Hellers Sausages
Kennerly Retail Investments (Z)	Laurie Family	LIC Corporation
Mangatangi/Maramarua Catchment Group	Miranda Holiday Park	Mitre 10 Mega Pukekohe
OnRoad Transport	Pak n Save Pukekohe	PEL Produce
PGG Wrightson Pukekohe	Protune	Red Fox Tavern
Silver Fern Farms	Soppet Family	Spencer Family
ST Genetics	Strawberry Hills Bombay	Takanini Feeds
Valley Toyota	Young at Art	

If you are able to help sponsor our event in any way, please do not hesitate to get in touch! You can call Shelley on 096 232 7898 or email admin@mangatangi.school.nz.

REMINDERS

- If your child has an animal and you have not yet completed the Animal Registration Form, can you please organise to do this before the end of term (Friday 22nd September).
- Has your child talked to you about their Steam Punk Animal that they will need to make at home? This is the Technology component of the Indoor Exhibits.
- We have two more mufti days - this Friday is a non-food item and the final mufti day "payment" is a sweet item. Thank you to everyone who has supported these, our grocery raffles will be amazing this year!
- If you have any Calf & Lamb day trophies at your place, could these please be returned to school this term. There is no need to polish them - we will take care of that.
- Horticulture - the following plants should have been planted by now:
 - Strawberries
 - Herbs
 - Potatoes
 - Tomatoes
 - Lettuces (plant about now)

If your child is planning to grow **flowers**, check with your local garden centre as to when to plant so that they bloom in time for Calf & Lamb Day.

NOTICES



Mangatangi Trail Ride

Please come help us prepare for the biggest school fundraiser of the year.

If you have equipment such as motorbike, hedge trimmer/cutter, spade or chainsaw, these will be kindly appreciated. Most importantly, we just need the man power.

This year we are welcoming families (including children) to join in on helping us.

We will have the Pee Wee track set up so kids can ride their bikes while their parents are helping setup - this will be marshalled.

BBQ Lunch will be provided for all adults and children.

Contact Jayden Anderson on
0279154517
for any more information



Seasons For Growth is a grief and loss programme for children dealing with changes in their lives through separation, divorce, death or other significant family changes.

Our next Afterschool Programme will be starting in Term 4 on Thursdays from 4:00pm - 5:00pm, over 8 weeks. It is held at the St Andrews Church facility in Pukekohe. A Parent Programme also runs at the same time, and an Adult Programme will be running over the term for those interested.

For enquiries or enrolments contact Marisa Skilton

Phone/text 021 142 5812

Office (09) 238 7228

email seasonsfranklin@xtra.co.nz.

For more info please visit:

www.pukekohecommunityaction.co.nz/seasons

Hauraki Representative Touch Trials U12 and U14

I would like to run a trial with a view to establishing some Hauraki Rep touch teams. The vision is to potentially have teams of U12 and U14 players in either boys, girls or mixed that will compete in the senior touch module and also attend tournaments.

The idea is to give those that wish to exposure to a higher level of competition and to potentially then become Thames Valley Rep players. There is a pathway here to NZ level representative teams which has been achieved by several local players.

The make up of the teams, ie boys, girls or mixed will depend on how many players are interested as the teams will consist of as a minimum 10 players.

There will also be a need for parent help/coaching as we do not have coaches in place for these teams.

We are looking to hold the trials for the U12's on Wednesday 13/09 at 4.30 at Hugh Hayward Domain, front of the grandstand and for the U14's on Thursday 14/09, same place.

Expressions of interest and player registrations can be sent to alanandtearoha@outlook.com or contact Alan on 02102443463