

## **MANGATANGI SCHOOL**

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'A thirst for learning'

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## NEWSLETTER

14 November 2023

### FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents, Caregivers and Whānau,

What a gorgeous weekend for a Horse Trek and a Trail Bike Ride-thank you all so very, very much. It was an absolute highlight for me to this year actually go around the track albeit on a 4x4—thanks Craig & Steph! Now I know exactly what they all rave about!!!

It was a very proud moment for us at Mangatangi School to see a student on our school Honours Board receive the Rhodes Scholarship to study at the University of Oxford- congratulations to Isaac Heron, and his family, Karl & Kirsty Wright. Mangatangi students definitely 'live rural, learn local & think global'.

Have a great week!

Ngā mihi, Christine West

# Calendar

### November 2023

13th - 15th Room 1 Camp

15<sup>th</sup> Year 2 Tabloid Sports at Te Paina School

15th - 17th Room 2 Camp

16th Franklin Athletics

17<sup>th</sup> Year 7/8 Technology

21st Franklin Basketball onsite

22<sup>nd</sup> Year 3/4 Tabloid Sports at Mangatawhiri School

23<sup>rd</sup> School Board meeting 6:00pm

### December 2023

1st Year 7 only Technology

1st Discovery Day at Hauraki Plains College for

Year 8 students

5<sup>th</sup> Franklin Basketball onsite

6<sup>th</sup> Year 7/8 Technology (make up day)

8th Year 8 Dinner

**14th** Prizegiving & Final day for students

### THANK YOU EVERYONE!!!

Oh. My. Goodness! What a weekend! The sun was shining, engines were revving and the smell of petrol was in the air (on Sunday at least). We had an incredible turn out for the Trail Bike Ride, and the Horse Trek will be bigger and better next year.

On behalf of Mangatangi School and our School Board, thank you to the Home & School Committee for running these events. Your support and dedication to the school is incredible and we, and the students thank you.

To all the volunteers (including school parents and community members), without your help we could not have run these events.

We'd like to take the time to thank everyone and especially the following:



Craig & Jayden Anderson & Family

The Ratcliffe Family

Mangatangi Volunteer Fire Brigade

Liz McPherson & Caleb Bilton

Glenn & Rachelle Brown

Kurt & Tyla Pogson

Damian & Ethan Harrison

Stephen Beazley

Sam Smith

**Box Right** 

Welsh Egg Company

The Registration team

Tracey Jensen & the food tent team

Our thanks also goes to the **McWatt Group Ltd** who donated their time and machinery to help with the preparation of the track.



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### THUMBS UP

- To everyone who contributed to the Horse Trek and/ or Trail Bike Ride. It was an awesome weekend and one that all your children will benefit from. THANK YOU
- To Mr Chipman who has been assisting Rooms 1 & 2 with their tennis skills.

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### **END OF YEAR MUSIC CONCERT**

Mark it in your diaries! Our students who have been taking music lessons this year will be performing their end of year concert on Monday 11th December at 1:00pm Everyone is welcome.



A massive congratulations to Julianne Mladenov who represented Mangatangi School at the Franklin Primary Schools Tennis Tournament last week. She made it all the way to the final of the Year 6 & Below grade! Awesome Julianne!

### MANGATANGI SCHOOL POOL



# Thank you for your patience! *The pool is OPEN.*

Pool keys for our current school families are \$100 and for all other families/community members \$150.

Keys are available to purchase by cash or eftpos from the school office between 8:00am - 3:15pm.



## MANGATANGI SCHOOL TERM 4 UNIFORM

Term 4 = summer uniform options! These are as follows:

- School hats must be worn during the morning tea and lunchtime breaks and for outside PE lessons (the "No hat, no play" rule will be enforced from tomorrow)
- Sports shirts can be worn as a standard uniform top
- Classroom swimming will start during the term (classroom teachers will be advising when children are to bring their togs and towel).
   Swim caps are compulsory during these lessons
- All uniform items can be purchased from the school office (\$15 school hat, \$23 sports shirt, \$5.50 swim cap)



Today's Game Times

Mangatangi Minis (Years 1 - 3)

4:05pm, Field 2

Mangatangi Minions (Years 1 - 3)

4:05pm, Field 1

Mangatangi Machines (Years 4 - 6)

4:45pm, Field 2

Mangatangi Monsters (Years 6, 7 & 8)

5:25pm, Field 2

# Mangatangi School Assembly - 10th November This weeks value: "Respect - for self, others and human rights"

#### **Room Awards:**

Name Reason

Room 1: Bailey Soppet-Main For exceptional effort in athletics

**Thomas Kerehoma** For exceptional effort in maths

**Toby Kemble** For improved effort in all areas of learning

**Room 2:** Gemma Johnston Oldham For always trying her absolute best in everything that she does.

Maia SmithFor making excellent progress in mathematicsSam WicksFor his great contributions to class discussions.

Room 4: Oskar Batato A great effort and attitude towards athletics, well done

Victoria Somani For being focused on her learning and working hard

Room 5: Olivia Jarvis For excellent effort, attitude and progress in maths

**Rory Brown** For excellent, independent writing

**Lucas Pogson** For believing in his ability and making awesome progress in all areas of learning

**Room 6:** Archie Henwood For being an all round and consistently excellent kid!

**Noah Hawryszczuk** For making good choices and showing greater respect for others.

**Matthias Turner** For fantastic independent writing.

### Principal Awards - Respect - for self, others and human rights

**Room 1:** Luke Rowberry For showing a growing respect for his learning by showing self- awareness in Room 1

Room 2: Julianne Mladenov For showing a deep respect for herself, the environment and others.
 Room 4: Ava Wood For always showing respect for herself, others and the environment
 Room 5: Spencer Henwood For being a responsible and respectful member of Ruma Rima.

**Room 6:** Isla Smith For always demonstrating our value of respect - to herself, others and our environment

### Mangatangi Manaakitanga - Year 8 Only

Cynthia England - 'S' - for striving to work with your House at Athletics - thank you!

Bailey Soppet-Main - 'I' - for your amazing integrity with your House at Athletics - thank you!

**Liam Millar** - 'l' -for your amazing integrity with your House at Athletics - thank you! **Luke Rowberry** - 'l' - for your amazing integrity with your House at Athletics - thank you!

### House Leader's Awards - Envirocare

AIR: Lana Clarke For always doing her job without being asked

**EARTH:** Braxton Green For always doing his job on time without being asked

FIRE: Ava Wood For always doing her job on time
WATER: Kaley Pearcey-Holtham For doing her job in a fantastic way

### **House Leader's Awards - Sport:**

AIR: Moana Kaneri For doing great at East Group Athletics

**EARTH:** Lucas Pogson For doing amazing at Athletics

FIRE: Isla Smith For having fun and doing great at Athletics WATER: Miguel Avila For doing wonderfully well at Athletics

### **Bucket Filler Winners:**

Moana—Thank you for your help at East Group Athletics

Bailey—Thank you for being a fantastic, dedicated helper at East Group Athletics

Hemi—Thank you for stepping up when the Year 8 students were away!

Hineiturama—Respect for self, others & human rights

Ritchie—Respect for self, others & human rights

Spencer—Respect for self, others & human rights

Tayla—Respect for self, others & human rights

Rory—Respect for self, others & human rights

Olivia—Respect for self, others & human rights

Jakob—for great respect in class

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