Ngaruawahia Primary School

"Mana te Tuatahi"

*Manamotuhake *Manaakitanga *Kotahitanga *Whakapiringatanga

T3 WK 10 2024

Kia ora e te whaanau,

And just like that, we have made it to the end of another fun filled term.

As we wrap up an incredibly successful term, I want to take a moment to reflect on the achievements of our aakonga and the amazing NPS community we share. Your ongoing support has played a crucial role in our success, and we are truly grateful for your involvement.

Looking ahead, Term 4 promises to be filled with exciting opportunities and activities. I can't wait to see what we will accomplish together.
During Term 4 and 2025, we are excited to be exploring a rebranding process. A new school logo, recrafting our school values and looking into a new school uniform. We can't wait to have input from all of you as we dive into this next stage of our NPS journey.

As we head into the holiday break, we wish you all a safe and happy time with whaanau and friends. We hope the tamariki are able to have a refresh before heading into a busy Term 4.
We look forward to seeing everyone back on Monday 14 October.

Noho ora mai
Matua Murray and the NPS team





Yorkie Anderson-Tarawhiti,
Boston-Ray Pikia, Menzie-James Pikia,
Te Ranea Hurinui, Kaia Pohoiwi,
Tayla Pocock

VAN PASSENGERS:

We will be reviewing this service for TERM 4.



- Fri 27th LAST DAY OF TERM
...School Holidays...
- **MON 14TH OCTOBER:**
TERM 4 FIRST DAY BACK

PUAAWAI HUB





Celebrating our tamariki, our RAINBOW FEATHER treats , a PYJAMA DAY and also shared birthday kai.





PUANGA HUB

PUANGA KAI RAU

Whaea Maggie and Whaea Keana have learnt some neew things using the Six Bricks programme. The hub has been having fun learning what GROBBY stacks are, and the different activities that we can do using LEGO bricks.

We have been gearing up for our upcoming production, and dancing hard every afternoon.



Whanakee HUB

Whanakee Tahi - We succeed by doing the mahi

Whanakee Rua ~ To meet our full potential, learning is essential

Tree Planting with Whaea Coby & Whaea Kim

The Enviro group, alongside a few Whanakee Tahi friends, were involved in planting trees just below the Waingaro bridge. This area of land is being turned into a ngahere (forest) to be enjoyed for many years to come. In fact, some of the trees planted today will be around for thousands of years!

As we completed this mahi, we grew our knowledge about native plants and how they contribute to te taiao. The tamariki involved worked so hard & fast that we finished early, and then explored the ngahere & waterways in the Hakarimata range. It was an awesome learning experience outside of our classrooms.















Sports Update!

Heads Up for Term 4

Athletics

Touch Module

We finished our NPS netball season with a small prize giving in our school hall and spent the remainder of the day swimming at Waterworld Te Rapa.

Thank you to all our coaching staff, whaanau who came along to games/practices, supported us with fundraisers and assisting along the way. Maytrix, Irie & Mazina pictured with their awards.







Most Outstanding Players: Te Kurawairua, Maytrix, Preston, Cali-Jo & Bryzla

Players Of The Year: Kaycey-Leigh, Tangiaitua, Karenez, Atraeus & Irie

Most Improved Players: Waitaororangi, Shalias-Dee, Italiyah, Devinci & Cairo

Sportsmanship Awards: Bernadette, Kawiti, Maria, Mazina & Teaorere

Best All Rounder: Maytrix

Whanau Award: Nanny Marina & Nanny Kaff

Mokopuna Award: Raine Maru

T N T Awards: Jiraiya & Kasariah

enviro group

Enviro Group & Whaea Kim

Introducing the NPS Enviro Group for 2024/25 - Henessey, Kereama, Dee'Jae, Te Maia, John (not pictured) Ataahua, Tumatauenga, Cayden, Delaney, Liam, Karenez (not pictured), De'vinci, Madison, Cairo & Mahuika.



This group has been selected from all year groups across the kura.
They will lead all the mahi related to te taiao(the environment) around our kura. To start with we have looked into a new group name & logo to represent us; redesigned the Enviro Class Award; created the criteria for classes to earn this award; and explored areas within our kura for redevelopment or improvement.



NPS

BREAKFAST CLUB

MONDAY TO FRIDAY
8:30AM IN THE SCHOOL HALL

SWIS WORKER and *Counsellor*

Our kura is lucky to be able to offer Social Worker and Counseling support services free for our tamariki. If you would like to engage with these services or want to know more on what they offer, please contact the office.



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