

Wednesday, 2nd November 2016

Ko te Rāapa, te tua 2 o Noema 2016

Tēnā koutou katoa

Term 4, Wk 4 of 10

As you have no doubt heard, Leanne is in Auckland supporting Kawharu, and will be there for as long as is needed. Our hearts and our prayers go out to the entire Apiti whanau at this very trying time. Kia kaha Kawharu. Kei kōnei mātou katoa ki te tautoko i a koutou ko tō whanau.

Our thoughts are also with the whanau of Bryan Tarawihiti, who was sadly taken last week. Bryan has been very supportive of the school and recently put a lot of time and effort into helping tidy up the area of the school just inside the fence line by the road.

Ngā mihi ki a koe e te matua. Moe mai i roto i te ringa o te Atua.

Kua tae mai a Zion ki te kura nui. Nau mai, haere mai e tama.

Te Kauri Lodge—7 to 11 November

There are still a lot of permission slips that need to be returned for this trip. Replacements were sent home on

Monday. Please complete and return to school as soon as possible. We also need several parent helpers, so if you are able to come and support our tamariki and teachers, please let us know.

Please note that children will not be attending manual this week.

Spring Fling

The children took some wonderful photos for this competition.

Congratulations to all who participated, and well done to Felicity Llewellyn, Hemara O'Carroll and Tiani Morris, who were each awarded first place in their respective sections, and to Taane Thom, who received second place. Their photos were stunning.

Athletics

Athletics Training is well under way, and it is only until The Kawhia School Meeting.

Te Kura Kaupapa Māori o te Puwaha o Waikato

This kura visited us last Thursday. Our children performed well at the pōwhiri and supported our visitors well during

break time and in the athletics rotation that all participated in during the afternoon.

Hamilton Zoo

Both children and adults had a really enjoyable trip to the zoo last Friday. The children were very well behaved at the zoo and on the bus trip. Many thanks to The Warehouse, who sponsored the bus and entry into the zoo.

Kia pai tō koutou wiki Roimata Pikia

COMING EVENTS

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| 7-9 Nov | Room 1 Te Kauri Lodge Camp |
| 9-11 Nov | Room 2 Te Kauri Lodge camp |
| Fri, 11 Nov | Otorohanga College Experience Day |
| Thu, 17 Nov | Kawhia School Athletics |
| Wed, 23 Nov | Manual |
| Thu, 24 Nov | Interschool Athletics |
| Fri, 2nd Dec | Maniapoto Festival |
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Duffy Books in Homes

When your child brings home their new book or books, ask if they would like you to read with them (or to them if they have just started school). Reading to your kids is a wonderful way to improve their reading and also a great way to spend time together. Our sponsors who are putting more books into your homes:

The Sproule Family,
Greg and
Karen Nicholls,
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Tray Bake Mondays (Yr 8 Fundraiser)



Secondary Teacher Wanted

Fixed term position: Starts Term 1 2017- end of Term 4 2018.

We are seeking a registered teacher, with knowledge of NCEA and the ability to relate well to rangatahi, to facilitate the Kāwhia Learning Centre three days a week. The Kāwhia Learning Centre is funded for up to five secondary school students enrolled with Te Kura Correspondence School. The facilitator will be responsible for liaising with Te Kura, supporting the students with their work as well reporting regularly to the Ministry of Education and the Kāwhia School Board of Trustees.

Please email office@kawhia.school.nz or phone 07-8710725 to request an application pack. Applications close 11th November 2016.

From the Board of Trustees:

Carey Thom Chairperson Kāwhia School Board of Trustees

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