

Manaakitia Tou Ao

Manaakitia Ngethi Atu

Manaakitia Te Taiao

Wednesday, 13 September 2017
Ko te Wenerei, 13 o Hepetema 2017

Please return permission notes and payments as soon as possible. The photo on the right is how we will be dressing the students. Girls to wear a black skirt no longer than their knees and boys to wear black shorts.

6.45am Meet at school - get moko, hair and costumes organised
7.15am Depart for Te Awamutu
8.30am Pōwhiri begins
10.45am Our School performing
2.30pm Festival ends

We welcome our whānau (kaumatua, pakeke, parents, older siblings and under fives with parent supervision) to come along to support, watch or sing on stage with us. School practices are on Tuesday and Thursday afternoon from 2pm.

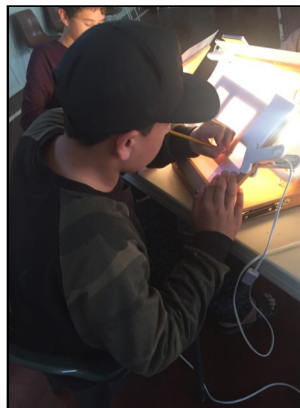
Waipa Kapa Haka Festival



Thursday,
28th
September



We were saddened to lose one of the oldest members of our Kawhia School whanau yesterday - Googie Pirika Apiti, aged 79 years and 8 months. Our aroha and condolences go out to his family. He proudly looked after and wore this precious school pin for more than 60 years after receiving it. We will miss you!



Some of our senior children had the wonderful opportunity to combine with other Coast school seniors to attend a two-day Young Animators Workshop with top animator, Nikora Ngaropo. Thanks to Hinga and Lloyd Whiu for bringing this wonderful opportunity to Kawhia.

COMING EVENTS

Fri, 15 Sep	Manu Korero— Speeches—10am- 2.30pm
Mon, 18 Sep	Youthtown Sports
Wed, 20 Sep	Manual—bus leaves 8.20am sharp—bring container for cooking
Thu, 21 Sep	Marau-Curriculum Development Hui— SCHOOL CLOSES AT 2PM
Fri, 22 Sep	Project Energize with Whaea Gina

Children are to be to school by 9am as usual to prepare and then will move to Maketu Marae from there.

KAWHIA SCHOOL PRESENTS

MANU KORERO SPEECHES

FRI 15 SEP 2017 | 10AM | MAKETU MARAE
BRING A PLATE TO SHARE
ALL WELCOME

DON'T MISS THE OPPORTUNITY TO BE "DISOBEDIENT" : The Hauturu/Oparau Womens Group extend an open invitation to you, parents, grandparents, teachers, teachers aides, kindergarten teachers, those in the police and medical professions, artists, politicians, councilors and counselors, the butcher, the baker and Paksave stickmen. Everyone is invited to come and listen to Dr Welby Ings on "Disobedient Teaching" - reaching beyond an education system that fails unique thinkers. Dr Welby Ings is a Professor in Design at Auckland University of Technology. He was raised in Pukeatua and attended Te Awamutu College. He is an elected Fellow of the British Royal Society of Arts and has been a consultant to many international organizations on issues of creativity and learning. His short films have garnered numerous international awards including short listings for the Oscars and special screening at Cannes and Berlin. Welby has written and spoken extensively on education and creative thought. His highly acclaimed book "Disobedient Teaching" confronts an education system that has become dangerously obsessed with tick box reporting and micromanaging both learners and teachers. Within two months of the book's release in March of this year, it was into its third reprint and although it draws on New Zealand experiences in teaching, it has sold widely in the US and Europe. In 2001 Welby was awarded the Prime Minister's inaugural, Supreme Award for Tertiary Teaching Excellence and in 2014 he was awarded the AUT University medal for his contributions to research and creativity. Friday 15 September at 7.30 pm @ Hauturu Hall. Gold coin koha is appreciated. Join us for an interesting talk and partake in the ensuing discussion over a scrumptious supper.

Curriculum/Marau Development Hui, Thursday, 21st September SCHOOL CLOSING 2PM

Our next marau-curriculum development hui with Robyn Hata-Gage is next Thursday, 21st September at 2.15pm. School will be closing at 2.00pm so that all staff can be involved in this. We really encourage you to come along. Those who have attended have really enjoyed the sessions.

DUFFY CAUGHT BEING GOOD AWARDS -

- Desire for his perseverance on focusing and completing his mahi
 - Laytin—pai to mahi kapa haka
 - Eshkar for her wonderful progress in reading
 - Tia for showing courage when sharing her speech to the whole class
 - Tiani—tona kaha ki te mahi motuhake- she is now working really hard independently
 - Lee —working really hard on learning her speech
 - Patrick—manaaki ia ngeteahi atu
- Ka pai koutou!

TB Information Hui today, at the Kawhia Community Centre—5.30 p.m. Please try to attend.

Duffy Books in Homes



Thanks to our sponsors: The Sproule Family, Greg and Karen Nicholls, Gallagher and the Kāwhia School Board of Trustees

Our latest Duffy Hero, Taylah (Ngāti Maniapoto) impressed and inspired our school yesterday as she shared her life journey to get to where she is now.



Top Attendance for August:

95%

Randall Uerata-Greenbank,

96%

Kenneth Bishop,

100%

Rachel Apiti
Sarahleena Graves
Alexis Lawrence
Troy Lawrence
Skylah Marino
Lee Ryan
Desire Toki,
Mihi Turner

