



The Pukeko Call



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Tena Koutou

Winter Walkers

Thank you to those parents who have supported the travel wise winter walkers programme. It is just terrific to see so many parents and children walking to school. Our travel wise tree is looking fabulous in the foyer and by the end of next week I am sure it will be buckling under the weight of fruit.

Cross Country

Our School cross country will be held next week on Tuesday on the Berger's farm adjacent to the school. A huge thank you to the Berger's for making their property available to us. We will start at 1.20pm and all parents are invited to watch. All children participate and more detailed organisation will come home later this week. This event will also be a house competition.

Please do not bring your dogs to the cross country!

PTA

Our PTA is holding a meeting in the library on Friday at 3.15pm. This meeting will mostly be focused around Country Show

Day organisation. Please come along and support our PTA as they organise this superb event. I will see you there.

Tui Assembly

On Friday we have our first awards assembly of the Term as Tui celebrate some of the work that is going on in their classroom. The assembly starts at 2.30pm.

Bus

As our School gets bigger, and it is, it is really important to make sure that parents let us know what is going on with regard to buses. Please make sure you fill in the book in Jan's office if you are picking up children as opposed to them taking the bus. It makes it much easier to ensure there are no mistakes and saves time at bus time each day.

Nga mihi nui

Gary O'Brien

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School Cross Country.

Aug 15th 1.30pm.





School and Community Notices



PTA Meeting

Our next PTA Meeting will be held in the Library.

Friday 11th of August

3.15pm

The main topic on our agenda will be organisation for Country Show Day.

See you all there!

Daffodil Day

Support cancer research.

We will be supporting daffodil day on the 25th August with a crazy hair day for the children. Children who have crazy hair on that day should also donate a gold coin. Daffodils will also be available from our office for a gold coin donation. All funds will be forwarded to the Cancer Society.

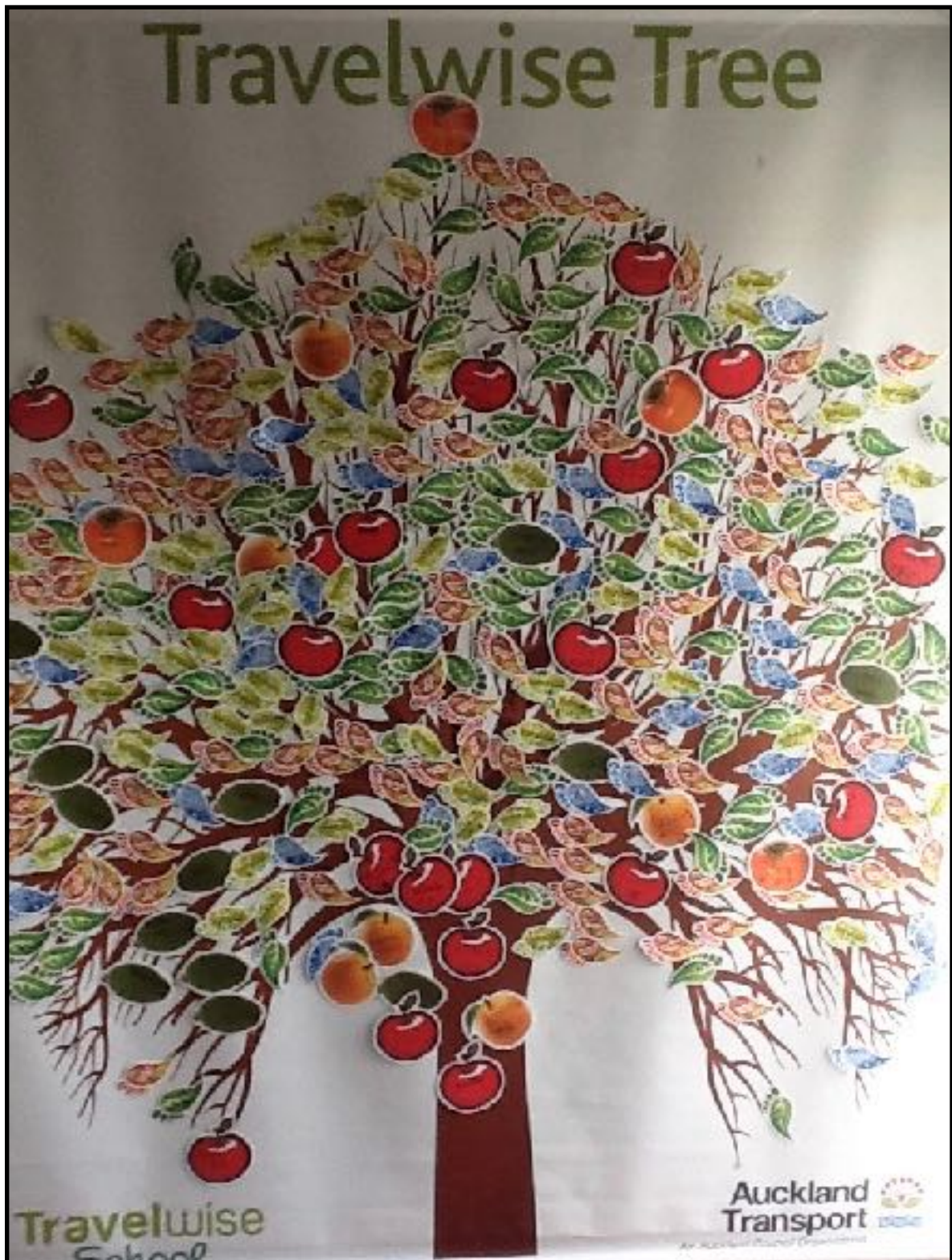
This is a an initiative run by our House Leaders.

St. John Cadets looking for interest

St. John Cadets offers a programme for children age 6-18. The children work through badges a little like scouts but incorporating first aid through their Badge work. They attend district competitions against other divisions covering first aid, drill, communication, caregivers etc.. We encourage the cadets to get out into the community to assist with local events, fundraising and even teaching first aid to their community. The nearest division is currently in Warkworth but if enough interest a division could be started in Kaipara Flats. Fees are 10.00 per child per term with a one off fee of 50.00 for uniform. If interested call

SarahRobinson 0273229980. You can also find more information at Youth.stjohn.org.nz

Country Show Day! Saturday 4th November.



Term 3 2017 Dates:

Aug. 11th Fri. Tui Assembly 2.30pm
Aug 11th. Fri. PTA Meeting 3.15pm
Aug. 15th Tues. School Cross Country. 1.30pm
Aug 18th. Fri. Gumboot Parade.
Aug. 22nd. Tues. Inter school Cross Country.
Aug. 23rd. Wed. Open day at Mahurangi College.

Aug. 24th. Thurs. - Board Meeting 7pm.
Aug. 25th Fri. Takahe Assembly 2.30pm.
Aug. 31st. Thurs. HBC Cross Country.
Sept. 8th Fri. Kea Assembly 2.30pm
Sept. 12th. Tues. Inter School Hockey.
Sept. 22nd. Fri. Piwakawaka assembly 2.30pm.
Sept. 29th Fri. - Final Day of Term 3.

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