



The Pukeko Call

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EVERY CHILD SUCCEEDING IN AN ENCOURAGING AND STIMULATING ENVIRONMENT

Tena Koutou

On Friday last week, Sharon Brown, myself and Odette Wech went to the Glenfield Primary school Garden to Table open day. Whilst we were there we saw children gardening, composting, planting, preparing food, cooking, and finally sharing the food they had grown and prepared. It was inspirational to see the children working so independently and being able to answer all of our tricky questions. As well as other schools, there were representatives from the food and health industries, all keen to look at the learning happening around the life skills they were seeing. Next term we are going to launch our own Garden to Table initiative here at Kaipara Flats Primary and we are all very excited.

On 23rd October at 3pm, we would like to invite parents and people from our community into school so that we can share our vision. We will be looking to harvest and develop our communities skills and knowledge. If you are not a gardener (personally I'm going to be learning alongside the children!) but you are a cook, if you're not a cook but you are an artist, if you're not an artist but a handyman, we need you! If you have knowledge and skills that you are happy to share, we need you!

Spring is on the horizon and we have a two week break to look forward to. A happy and safe holidays to one and all.

Have a great week.
Debbie Hamer
Principal

Library Books

Time to search your house for library books and class readers that may be lurking in dark places! Please return these to school before the end of term.

Pre-Season School Pool Working Bee

This is a small working bee to prepare our pool for the summer months. The work required:

- Smooth the bottom of the pool - wet work! And yes the pool will be empty but you may get wet. This is for a small team of people.
- The rail in the pool needs to be reattached as it has come away from the side.
- Our change sheds need sanding and painting. This is weather dependent.

If you are able to help please let me know.

Important Dates Term 3 2018:

End of Term 3 - 3pm Friday 28th September

13th September - Kea Speeches

20th September - BOT Meeting

24th September - PTA meeting - 7pm start

26th September - Inter-school Speech

Competition

28th September - bakery lunch at school

Term 4 Starts - Monday 15 October

ASSEMBLIES IN TERM 3

Week 1 - House Buddy Reading

Week 2 - House Assembly

Week 3 - House Buddy Reading

Week 4 - House Assembly

Week 5 - House Buddy Reading

Week 6 - House Assembly
Week 7 - House Buddy Reading
Week 8 - House Assembly
Week 9 - House Buddy Reading
Week 10 - House Assembly

Sewing Bee

Sewing Night to Make Fabric Bags for Show Day - 6:30pm on Wednesday 26th of September at the school

Calling all those folk who can sew, stitch, cut and glue - we are going to get together to make some fabric bags to sell at this years' show day. If you are keen to help please contact Amanda Powell on 021 269 4270, 09 422 5877 or email her at abcpowell@gmail.com to register your interest. Bring along your sewing machine, scissors etc and any spare fabric you might have. See you soon, Amanda & Ro.

PTA Show Day

39 days until Show Day 2018!!

Please bring in your grocery items and preserve donations this week. We ask that everyone donate something if they can as we use these for raffles and stalls. We will need them by the end of the first week of term so we can sort items for raffles.

Also keep bringing in any books, toys, kid's clothes and bric a brac items. The container will be open on Friday before and after school if you are having a clear out before the holidays and want to drop larger quantities there instead of Jan's office.

Collectors will be visiting local businesses to collect donations over the holidays. If you work for a business further afield that hasn't been contacted in the past, let us know if you can help with donations for auction or raffle items.

We are also on the lookout for any seedlings that can be donated for the plants and produce stall. Please label these though as it is a bit tricky selling them if we don't know what they are.

Have a safe and happy holiday
 PTA Committee

Sports Events

BASKETBALL HOLIDAY CAMP

Venue: Orewa College
 Date: Mon 8 - Tue 9th October 2018
 Time: 9:30am - 2:30pm (earliest drop-off 8:45am, latest collection 3:00pm)

Ages: Yr 2 - Yr 10
 Price: ONLY \$50 for both days
 Optional: - add \$10 for subway lunches both days
 - add \$10 for a Camp T-shirt

The 2-day BearCat Basketball camp provides FUNDamental skillsets and game coaching from top development coach, Shane McCauley. So bring your favourite basketball if you have one (if not we will provide) and join us for 2 days of local Basketball Fun!

TO SECURE YOUR PLACE
 1. complete the Online Registration Form at <http://camp.bearcats.nz>
 2. pay correct \$ into ASB 12-3449-0770746-00 (ref camp and name)

Hibiscus Community Basketball @HCBallers

Mahurangi COLLEGE

HOCKEY Development Sessions

Hockey Development Sessions for Years 4-8
 Wednesday afternoons
 4:30-5:30pm

WHEN: 24 & 31 October,
 7, 14 & 21 November

WHERE: Warkworth Showgrounds

COST: \$50 all inclusive

BOOK: g.kearins@mahurangi.school.nz

Pukeko Points and Our School Values

KOWHAI were this weeks' winners for the second week in a row! Next week, we will find out the overall winners for term 3. The competition is heating up. Keep living those values guys!

Food Friday!

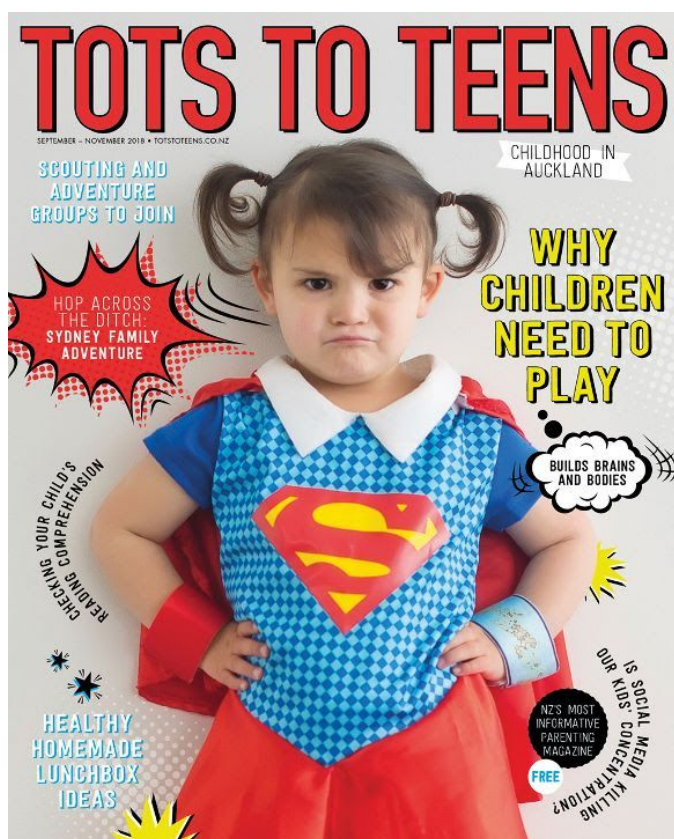
Food Friday - 28th September

We are again offering the option of a bought lunch for the children on the last day of term - Friday 28 September. An order form has been sent home today. Options are strictly limited to what's listed on the order form. Please return your order with cash payment. Please *do not pay online* as we pass the cash directly to the bakery. Thanks.

Yummy Stickers

This year's promotion for Yummy Apple stickers closes this week so please return your sticker sheets to school by Friday 21 September. The school receives free sports gear in return for these stickers. Thanks to everyone who has been sending them in. We will continue to collect them after that date so keep collecting them and don't worry if your chart isn't full. Thanks.

Tots to Teens



Our school's link to the new digital magazine is available here issue1809a.totstoteens.co.nz

Tots to Teens magazine is a free community parenting resource for Kiwi families. They focus on positive, well-researched parenting advice to support children's reading, learning, behaviour, nutrition, health, well-being, and resilience. They have distributed 550,000 free magazines nationwide each year to families through schools, preschools, libraries, and Plunket for over 16 years. To help support more New Zealand families, they are now producing Tots to Teens as a free digital magazine, using new technology that ensures an easy-to-read experience for parents, particularly for those parents who read emails using their phone. They want to make it easier for parents to read our helpful articles, by making it simple to share the Tots to Teens digital magazine in your school newsletters and emails to parents.

Parents can access the latest issue of Tots to Teens for free through this link. It's easy to open and there are no big files to download, and it's secure – parents can only access their digital copy of Tots to Teens magazine through this link via our school.

Community Event

LAUGH CLUB EST. 2012 NEW ZEALAND

FEATURING

- NICK RADO: 7 DAYS & SIDELINES
- ADRIAN SUTTON: KAIPARA FLATS BEST (only) STAND UP COMEDIAN
- WILL WOOD: NZME
- JUSTINE SMITH: 7 DAYS

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STANDUP COMEDY

KAIPARA FLATS SPORTS CLUB \$40 PRESALES OR \$45 ON THE NIGHT IF ANY LEFT

get tickets at: kfcccmedynight@gmail.com

SATURDAY OCTOBER 13TH

DOORS OPEN AT 7PM - THERE WILL BE FOOD FOR SALE

VISIT WWW.LAUGHCLUB.CO.NZ

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NEW WORLD

CRICKET CLUB

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Tickets can be purchased at: kfcccmedynight@gmail.com and that all proceeds from food sales will go towards the building extension at the sports club.,

Thank you,
Regards,
Steve Dill.

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