

MANGAWHAI BEACH SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER



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Monday 6th May 2013

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PRINCIPAL'S SOAPBOX

REQUEST TO THE USERS OF THE GYM CARPARK: There are disability spaces at either end of the carpark for use by non-able bodied people. **Could users of the car park please be considerate of these spaces and leave sufficient space for easy access to and from vehicles for our parents and students.**

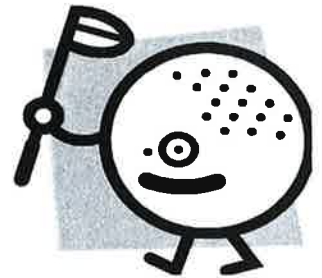
That was one of the nicest holidays I think I have had in awhile. The weather was great and I was able to just relax and enjoy my children and quietly get ready for what is to be an exciting term 2. Welcome back to all our existing families and we welcome many new families to the school. We also welcome Honor Stratton and Donna MacGregor-Cox who will be teaching in Room 4 and also Sonya Smith who will be starting with us in Week 6 starting a new class in Room 2.

Tsunami Drill - Please be aware that we will be having a whole school tsunami drill and evacuation on Wednesday 15th May. Again if the weather is wet we will postpone the drill. This event will happen at 10:00am.

Fundraising - The golf tournament was an extreme success. Thank you to our fantastic FOMBS committee and especially Denise Stuart for all her hard work in organising such a great tournament. We also should acknowledge our amazing sponsors who are listed below. Please support them as they support our school. The tournament raised \$6500 which will go towards much needed resources in the school. Our sponsors:

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What's on this fortnight -

This week is the first week of Term 2. The Intermediate children have technology on Tuesday. Please ensure that they have paid their Technology fees (to the College) and that they have the correct footwear. We will be having another Tsunami drill on the 15th as our planned one in April was postponed. We have a new parent's meeting on Thursday 23rd. If you are a new parent to the school please attend to meet other new parents and discuss any concerns or information about the school.

Activity fees for term 2: There are two school wide activities planned for term 2. The first is **STRIKE PERCUSSION ON TUESDAY 28TH MAY.** Cost is \$4 per student. Strike will be performing a 45 minute high energy show which draws on styles from around the world to introduce a broad range of modern percussion. The second is **SOCCER SKILLS WITH OWEN STARTING ON 21ST OF MAY.** Cost is \$1 per student. Please send a total of \$5 in a named, sealed envelope to the school office.

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Educational Update.

Our virtue for the next few weeks is Respect. Respect is an important way of being kind and good to other people. Respect means not making fun of others. Respect means thinking of how somebody else feels. Respect is treating another person the same way you'd want to be treated yourself!

There are lots of easy ways to show respect! You show respect when you are polite, saying things like "please" "excuse me" and "thank you." You show respect by appreciating people's differences, like seeing someone as unique for the outfits they wear, rather than thinking they're weird for dressing differently. You also show respect by not making people feel uncomfortable, like not pressuring another child to play on the big playground if they say they're scared of being so high up. You even show respect when you lend a helping hand!

Thank you to Stuart and Gaye Burt who kindly donated the tractor that the school used in the recent tractor cavalcade. The students enjoyed repainting it and Martin and Aaron certainly had fun trying to control it during the event.

Calendar Update

- 15th May Tsunami drill (10:00am)
- 21st May Soccer Skills with Owen \$1 per student
- 23rd May New Parents Meeting (10:00am)
- 27th May BOT Meeting 6pm Staffroom
- 28th May Strike Performance \$4 per student
- 31st May Senior Assembly Performance 1:45pm
- 31st May Quiz Night
- 14th June Intermediate Assembly Performance 1:45pm
- 21st June Disco

ELECTION AND VOTING DATES FOR BOARD NOMINEES

- May 2nd - Call for nominations for BOT positions**
- May 16th - Nominations for BOT positions close**
- May 21st - Post voting information**
- May 30th - Voting day for BOT positions**
- June 5th - Declare results**

DO WE HAVE YOUR CORRECT ADDRESS TO MAIL VOTING PAPERS???

Aaron Kemp, Principal

principal@mangawhaibeach.school.nz

CLASS ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS ISSUED AT ASSEMBLY

ROOM 1: Liam Bates, Zoe Karnapke, Ben Karnapke, Grace De Witt **ROOM 3:** Alise Rogers, Luka Heperi, Tembo Kimani, Michayla Lynch **ROOM 8:** Wade Anderson, Eliza Bishara, Renee Canton, Aliyah Malcolm. **ROOM 12:** Tenaya Johnson, Madaline Sosene-Fletcher, Emily McGee, Allyson Sheffield (Maths Whizz). **ROOM 13:** Ethan Osborne, Ruby Ewing, Molly Curnow. **ROOM 14:** Jodie Lannie, Daniel Thomas, Daniel Wall, Chelsea James **ROOM 15** Daniel Taylor, Damien Cullen, Courtney Biddle, Mellissa Clark



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After School Care - After School care is available at the school three days per week - Tuesday to Thursday. The cost to enrol for a session from 2:45pm - 5:30pm is \$15.00. Enrolment forms are available from the school office.

Money for School Activities – Thank you to all the families that are now bringing money to school in pre-written envelopes. This has certainly eased the congestion in the office each morning and outside the office door on Friday's for lunch orders.

Second Hand Uniforms – If you have a uniform item in good condition and wish to sell it on our second hand uniform rack, please label the garment with your name, phone number and price before leaving them at the office.

FOMBS.

Friends of Mangawhai Beach School

Heads to Hub Run

A great turnout, 34 Mum's, Dad's, Grand Dad's and Kids joined our school team. All the photo's are on the school website, so check them out.



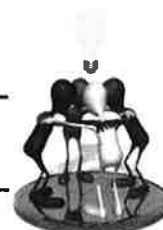
Mangawhai Beach School Golf Day Fundraiser—Friday 26th April

This event was a wonderful success with \$6500 dollars raised for our school. Many thanks to Mangawhai Golf Club, the hole sponsors, all those who donated prizes and those that helped on the day.



Sandwich Board

Watch out for the FOMBS sandwich board for all the latest FOMBS fundraising events. Many Thanks to Tony Allen for the fantastic new notice board.



Quiz Night

Pencil Friday 31st May in the Diary for our Quiz Night—Details will follow shortly

Next meeting to be held in the Mangawhai Beach School boardroom on 8th May 2013 at 12.30. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Whooping Cough

The main symptom is a nasty cough that tends to occur in bouts. Sometimes sick people make a "whoop" at the end of the coughing bout. Others vomit or stop breathing. The illness can last for several months. Some parents have called whooping cough "the cough of 100 nights". It can be a dangerous disease for babies and pregnant women.

Ways to protect your children:

1. If your child is coughing please take them to see a doctor.
2. Keep sick children at home and away from other children if possible. People with whooping cough can spread the disease to others.
3. Children with whooping cough should not go to preschool or school until:
 - * 3 weeks have passed from the start of coughing bouts or
 - * they have stopped coughing or
 - * they have completed 5 days of a course of antibiotics
4. Make sure your children are up to date with their vaccinations.



OUR JUNIOR GOLFERS AT THEIR PRIZE GIVING LAST TERM



MANGAWHAI BEACH SCHOOL

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QUIZ NIGHT



Get your thinking cap on and come and join in the fun!



Friday 31 May 7.00pm
Mangawhai Community Gym
(Insley St, beside the school)

\$10 per person, Tables of 6
(Includes light supper platter per table)

Bring your own nibbles for your table

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COMMUNITY NOTICES

Mangawhai Soccer Club Presents Bambini Soccer Fun

Is your child (boy or girl) 4 to 5 years old and likes to kick a ball? Starting Term 2: Bambini Soccer Fun; Thursdays 3.00pm till 3.30pm, Mangawhai Domain Let your child enjoy playing soccer in a fun team. We even have a professional coach!

Costs: \$35 per Term

Register with: Michael Becker; home 431 4506; mob 021 431 676; email michael@smart-partners.co.nz

Registrations still open for older children who want to join Mangawhai Soccer Club!



Jesse Van Kekem's Soccer Academy
In Association with Wynton Rufer Soccer NZ

After School Soccer Programme
Week 1 FREE for all players!!!
6th May to 12th July - 10 weeks

Mondays - Tomarata Primary School
2:45 - 3:45pm 5-7 year olds
3:45 - 4:45pm 8-12 year olds

Wednesdays - Port Albert Domain
4:00 - 5:00pm 5-7 year olds
5:00 - 6:00pm 8-12 year olds

\$110 + free Van Kickem's T-shirt for first time registration.

HOLIDAY PROGRAMME
Day 1 FREE for players

22nd April - 24th of April - Matakana Primary
9am - 12pm 5-7 year olds
1 - 4pm 8-14 year olds

30th April - 2nd of May - Port Albert Club
9am - 12pm 5-7 year olds
1 - 4pm 8-14 year olds

For further enquiry and information please call Jesse on 09 425 8716 or email vankickem@gmail.com

Rodney College 2013 Pre-Ball fundraising event.

Supported by 'Golden Gown', sponsors of Miss Universe New Zealand 2012

Monday 20th May

Presentation and fashion parade.

Tickets available from Rodney College and Woody's Winners from April 16th.

\$15 for both events or (incl. light supper) 6-9 pm

\$10 for fashion parade only (8-9 pm)

Primary school students \$5 for both events

Tickets available at the door



Matariki Festival 2013 FREE EVENT

Theatre production : Ruia Te Kākano

Ruia te Kākano is an entertaining family show that follows Rima through his adventures in pre-colonial New Zealand. With the help of Tanemahuta and his children, Rima becomes a master carver, saving his lwi with the new found skills that he has developed.

Ruia te Kākano is written by Matthew Donaldson and presented by Te Rehia Theatre Company as part of a limited season at four North Auckland community marae facilities. The show is presented in 50% te reo Maori and is suitable for all audiences. (Children and Family)

• Showing at: Te Hana Te Ao Marama Marae
317 State Highway One, Te Hana

Friday 28 June

Session One : 11am - 11.45am ; Session Two : 1.15pm - 2pm

• Booking contact: Te Hana 09 423 8701
tehana@xtra.co.nz

This is a fully Council-funded production for the benefit of our communities.



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