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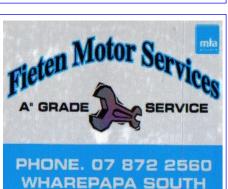






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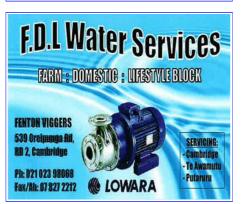
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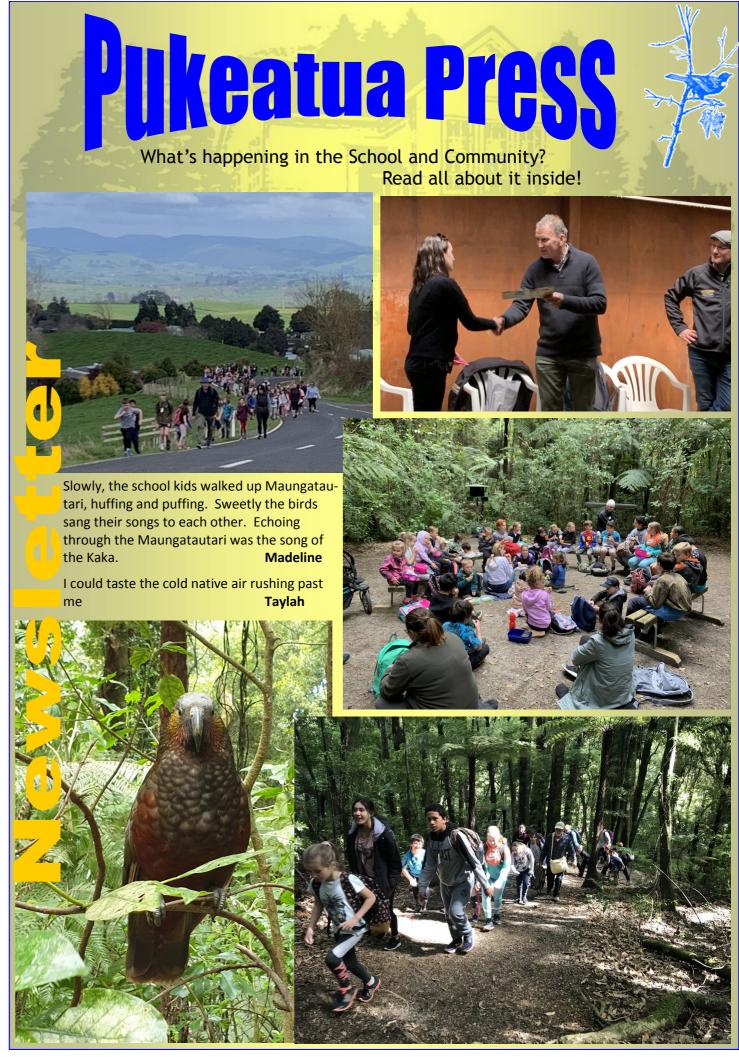
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# **BOARD & SCHOOL**

# Ehara taku toa i te toa Takitahi engari he toa takimano

My strength is not that of an individual but that of the collective

Hope you all have a great break from school routines and arrive back on Monday 14 October refreshed and ready for a very busy 9 weeks. As John mentions in his musings it is going to be a fullon Term, get ready for it!!

The next **Board Of Trustees Meeting** will be held in the Pukeatua School staff room on Monday 21st October 2019 at 7.00 pm Everyone is most welcome to come along

# Te Awamutu Tennis Club Season 2019 - 2020

## Club Open Day 28th September 2019

9 - 10am - Primary 10-11am - Intermediate 11- 12 noon - Secondary 12 noon onwards - Advanced & Adults BBQ & Drinks provided from 10:30am

Warren (Club Captain) 027 472 4677 FIND US ON FaceBook: Te Awamutu Tennis Club - Current 263 Teasdale Street, Te Awamutu

Term 4 Juniors, Monday afternoons with **Professional Coach** 

## **COMING EVENTS**

26 The Wild West Disco Sep

> 27 Last Day Term 3

29 Daylight Saving begins

Oct 14 **Term 4 Begins** 

> 16 Ag Day

**Group Day at Puahue School** 18

**BOT Meeting** 21

Waikato A&P Show Nov 1

22 Athletics for whole school

Dec 13 Last Day for 2019

#### **Next Newsletter: Thursday 24th October 2019**

All items for the next newsletter are due by: 12 noon, Tuesday 22nd October 2019



#### Simple free download:

In Google play & App Store search 'Skool Loop' & choose our school once installed. Available on the Google play





# Agricultural Day -Wednesday 16 October Group Day - Friday 18 October

That all important bond should be beginning to form between child and pet by now, encourage your children to spend time with their chosen pet daily and leading practice should be a daily exercise.

# Saving dates for the animals are:

Lambs & Kids

Early: 1/07/19 to 19/08/19 Late: 20/08/11 to 20/09/19

Planning for the actual day is well under way, over the next few days a roster will be sent home to all families asking for your support in the following ways:

Baking for judges

Baking for Cake raffle

A rostered time on the day for families to help out with BBQ's, raffles, serving food etc

We ask that you all support this day by playing your part when asked so that all parents get the opportunity to spend time watching their child's animal events

# **Interested in Playing Tennis this Season?**

#### **Junior Tennis Coaching**

Weekly starting Thursday 17 October

#### **Men's Social Business House**

Weekly starting Thursday 17 October at 6pm Individuals of team of 4 welcome

Enquiries to Trevor Bayly, Ph 027 533 5106

#### **Veterans Tennis**

Continues on Tuesday and Thursday mornings at 9am

Enquiries to Dorothy Harker Ph 871 4085

**NEW PLAYERS WELCOME** 

# DISTRICT NOTICES

## The Wild West Disco

Pukeatua Hall

Thursday 26th September

Time:

under 5's - 4pm-5:30pm 5-7 year olds - 5.30-7pm 8-13 year olds 7-8.30pm

#### Gold Coin entry

Theme: Western
Spot Prizes! Including best dressed
Snacks and refreshments available to
purchase, Cash Only

All proceeds to go towards
Pukeatua Hall

## **Rental House Wanted**

Couple with 3 children, pug dog and 1 cat Require rental house from early October

Contact Selina gloryjames0810@gmail.com

## **Pukeatua Rural Women**

**NEXT MEETING: Tonight** 

Thursday 26 September 7.30pm

Monica Anderson's niece Sophia will be talking about her travels to Russia & Mongolia

Ross & Martha Bradstreet's 497 Waimanu Road

Please invite your neighbours and/or friends to join us

All Welcome Ph 872 4879 with apologies

# **Thank You**

**Nigel Anderson** - for showing the children how to care for and train their lambs and kids for Agricultural Day, it was very informative despite the temperature of the day. We appreciate you bringing along a lamb to demonstrate.

# Principal's Message

The last week of term is upon us! Monday was the day when we had 12 hours of daylight and 12 hours of night! (equinox) Summer is speeding towards us! We all cannot believe that we are three quarters of the way through the year! **This weekend we put the clocks forward an hour!** A little shock for some systems!?

We had a **great day up the mountain last Monday**. Thanks to all the parents who accompanied the group. The day was made successful because of the parents who came and looked after a group in the bush and supervised the walk to and from. Tali and the rest of the staff from the **M.E.I.T** were very grateful for the money we raised at our last terms Market Day. A cheque of \$1900 was handed over to the Trust. The money will go towards the Kiwi programme. The children have also helped release two young Kiwi onto the mountain this year. Our close association with **Maungatautari** is really important and worthwhile.

Also last Wednesday we had a 'Science Day.' The children rotated around 7 different science activities stations and performed a number of experiments at each stop. Some children were so motivated that they did try to replicate the experiments at home. (so they told me) I hope that the parents gave them permission!!

Next term we are planning to stage our biannual Production, "The Way We Were," is the title of the production and it looks at the history of the Pukeatua area. We have a number of children taking lead roles and the rest of the children will be learning songs, dances etc in their own classes. It will be a busy time learning all the bits and pieces. All learning fits into the "Arts Curriculum" area and the experience really encompasses the key competencies of Relating to others, using language, symbols, and texts, Managing self and Participating and Contributing.

A number of children have mentioned the **Rugby World Cup** and the fact that they saw the All Blacks play. It will be an interesting next 6 weeks with plenty of discussion, opinions and debate around the country. One thing's for sure though... is that every team will be trying to win! My Spark Sport connection seems to be working!

Enjoy the holiday break coming up and let's hope for some good weather! See you all on the 14 October for the start of Term 4

## **Quote of the Week**

Success is not final, failure is not fatal: it is the courage to continue that counts.

Winston Churchill

# **Pupils of the Week**

William Smith, Sarah-Lee Franklin, Tommy McBeth, Tessa Chappell, Enja Barrowcliffe, Summer Le Normand, Brooklyn Turpin, Jaskaran Singh, Eli Monkley, Madison Phillips, Indie Turpin, Blake Watkin, Lily Lodge, Aurelia Holmes.

# **Principal Award**

**Cooper Barnes** 

**000000000000 -** Being helpful and working well in class **Ryan Phillips -** Great enthusiasm for learning