BOARD & SCHOOL

He koromiko te wahie e taona ai te moa

Koromiko wood was used to cook the moa

Koromiko timber was burnt to heat the oven stones when moa flesh was cooked because it gave out an intense heat

Agricultural Day, Wednesday 14th October 2020 Group Day, Friday 16th October @ Wharepapa South School. Saving dates are as follows:

<u>Calves</u> Early 1/6/2020—26/7/2020

Late 27/7/2020—20/9/2020

<u>Lambs & Kids</u> Early 1/7/2020—20/8/2020

Late 21/8/2020—20/9/2020

Agricultural Day - less than a month away now and final planning is underway. The covid level dropping to 1 has helped with those plans. We ask that all parents/caregivers and those from the community get involved by coming along and supporting the day, have a great lunch and meet new friends. Parents & caregivers have received a list and a roster to help with food for the day and help at the various tables, please be generous with your time, many hands make light work!

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COMING EVENTS



28 Pukeatua Hall Meeting, 7.30 pm

Oct 12 Term 4 Starts

14 Agricultural Day 10 am

16 Group Day @ Wharepapa Sth Schl

26 Labour Day

27 Teacher Only Day (TOD)

27 BOT Meeting

29 Waikato Show

Nov 9-13 Book Fair

20 E-Z Athletics

Dec 15 Last Day

Next Newsletter: Thursday 22nd October 2020

All items for the next newsletter are due by:

12 noon, Tuesday 2th October 2020



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The next <u>Board Of Trustees Meeting</u>
will be held in the Pukeatua School staff room
on <u>Tuesday</u> 27th October 2020
at 7.00 pm

Everyone is most welcome to come along

TERM DATES FOR 2021

Term 1: Mon 3 Feb to Thur 9 April Term 2: Tue 28 April to Fri 3 July

Term 3: Mon 20 July to Fri 25 September

Term 4: Mon 12 October to Tues 15 Dec



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Principal's Message

Spring is in the air! We are in the last week of Term 3! It is hard to believe that we are so far through the year! Many people have commented on this fact after what has been a very different year so far!! The good news however is that we are back at **Alert Level 1** and we can go about most activities as per normal. This is great news for the organisers of the **Agricultural Day for the first week back next term**. They can organise this day as per normal.

We had a great **Hangi** at school last week and a big thank you for **Whaea Viki** and her helpers is well deserved! The hangi organisation was a massive undertaking with hours of preparation needed! Over 200 meals were prepared! Thank You to all the generous people in our community who donated meat, vegetables and fire wood! After a little hiccup, the meals were presented and all agreed it was delicious!! The children all ate in the hall in a very orderly fashion reminding many of a wedding reception!

Garth Thomas from Project Energise has been working with the senior class over the last three weeks, practicing leadership skills and in particular ideas for running mini games. The theory was put into practice last Thursday when the group ran a sports afternoon with the whole school. All the children did a great job and look forward to other occasions where they can use these skills learnt.

It was a pity the children missed out on the majority of the **Netball season this year**. Organised community sport has taken a hit this year. However next term we have 3 teams (about 30 children) involved in the **Putaruru 'Touch' module**. The competition will be tough but our guys are improving.

Mid -Term BOT Elections. This year we have two BOT positions coming up for election in late November early December. If you are interested, talk to a current member about what is involved.

Congratulations to **Josh the Bus Driver** and his wife on the arrival of their first born. A little daughter arrived a week or two back. Also we wish **Chris Stevenson** a speedy recovery from his recent

illness

Enjoy the holiday break. Explore the country. I'm heading North for a week. Remember to turn the clocks forward this Sunday!

See you next Term 12 October!

Quote of the Week

"You have brains in your head. You have feet in your shoes. You can steer yourself any direction you choose." - Dr. Seuss

Pupils of the Week

Jake Hemmingway, Shelby Duncan, Jack Little, Olivia Bowers, Ella Little, Melita Sheehan, Brooklyn Turpin, Jenna Chappell, Harry Oppert -Ballantyne, Bella Holmes-Bates, Bradley Taylor, Vann Saywell, Bella Warren, Tommy Yates, Kodee Franklin, Madeline Holmes, Hannah Watson, Sophia Warren William Smith, Ariana Callingacion, Hailee Shelly.

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