

## **BOARD & SCHOOL**

**Ehara i te aitanga a Tiki!**  
Well done, O descendant of Tiki!

*This was an exclamation of encouragement*

**Agricultural Day** - Been and gone.... And what a superb day it was! Animals and children basked in beautiful sunshine. We wish to thank the children for presenting their animals so well, parents for providing baking and help on stalls and tidying up at the end of the day, Stewards, Judges, Teachers, Sponsors and supporters, each and everyone of you helped to make it a successful day, well done.

### **2020 Agricultural Day Results**

#### **LAMBS**

##### **Bradstreet Senior Points Cup:**

*Person with highest total of points from Most Obvious Pet,*  
*Leading & Rearing:* **Kate Watson**

##### **Knox Junior Points Award:**

*Person with highest total of points from Most Obvious Pet,*  
*Leading & Rearing:* **Ella Little & Jake Gillespie**

#### **KIDS**

##### **Olsen Senior Points Cup:**

*Person with highest total of points from Most Obvious Pet,*  
*Leading & Rearing:* **Hayden Duncan & Ophelia Brawn**

##### **McGillivray Junior Points Cup:**

*Person with highest total of points from Most Obvious Pet,*  
*Leading & Rearing:* **Jaiden Molina**

#### **CALVES**

##### **Forsman Senior Points Cup:**

*Person with highest total of points from Leading & Rearing:* **Tommy McBeth**

##### **Williams Junior Points Cup:**

*Person with highest total of points from Leading & Rearing:* **Enja Barrowcliffe & Meela Jacobsen**

##### **Mytton Rearing Trophy:**

*Person who has reared the best calf:*

**Mia Barrowcliffe**

##### **Spirit of Agriculture Day Trophy:**

*Person who has a pet, is seen to be enjoying the day, interacting well with their animal and in general being a good sport:* **Nina Lloyd**

There was an awesome display of Pet Projects that were presented by a number of students who had obviously put a great deal of effort into their chosen animal, wow, what an accomplishment!

**CONGRATULATIONS TO EVERYONE**

## **COMING EVENTS**

Oct	26	Labour Day
	27	Teacher Only Day (TOD)
	27	BOT Meeting
	29	Waikato Show
Nov	4	Book Club orders due
	9-13	Book Fair
	13	Grandparents Day
	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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In Google play & App Store search 'Skool Loop' & choose our school once installed.



**The next Board Of Trustees Meeting**  
**will be held in the Pukeatua School staff room**  
**on Tuesday 27th October 2020**

**at 7.00 pm**

**Everyone is most welcome to come along**

## **TERM DATES FOR 2021**

<b>Term 1:</b>	Tue 2 Feb to Thur 9 April
<b>Term 2:</b>	Tue 28 April to Fri 3 July
<b>Term 3:</b>	Mon 20 July to Fri 25 September
<b>Term 4:</b>	Mon 12 October to Tues 15 Dec

## **Book Fair is Coming to School**

**9-13 November 2020**

We are looking for people to (help) co-ordinate this event - set up display  
- order taking, roster (of Help)  
- packing up

This is a great opportunity to view affordable, quality books & encourage our children to read, read, read!

**Help support Pukeatua School in this awesome fundraiser**

**Please contact the school office with details of how and when you can help**

## DISTRICT NOTICES

### 3 Bedroom House Wanted For Rent

No pets

Contact Tracey 022 605 2991

### Arapuni Village Market

Sunday 1st November 2020

\$20 a site  
\$25 after 25th October

9am-2pm  
Rain or Shine

Contact 07 883 5682  
027 334 7880

Arapunimarket.co.nz  
Arapunimarket@gmail.com

### Principal's Message



Welcome back to the final term of the year. Christmas is on the horizon and as mentioned before, this year has flown and has been like no other! Hopefully we see normal times for a good period now! The weather was kind for the holiday break and I trust they went well for you. I know a lot of you were busy on the farm and the children were tending to their pets! Driving around the country in the holidays I was reminded about how great the Waikato Country side is looking at this time of the year!

**Spring is in the air** alright but last Thursday was a shock to the system when the temperature outside only got to about 8 degrees!

The good news was that it was fine for the **Ag Day** on Wednesday and the **Group Day** Friday! I missed my first Ag Day in many years but saw many photos of this very well organised event! The children were happy to tell me all their news when I returned to school on Thursday! Thanks to all the people who made this day a success. All the baking, volunteers on the stalls and to **Kylan, Anna and family** for all their hard work! Also well done to all the children who participated with calf, lamb, goat and pet projects!

**Touch** was supposed to start last week but the terrible weather Thursday delayed the start! The children are looking forward to playing touch and getting back to organised sport!

This term will go quickly and we have a few events on the calendar that need to be worked towards. We are planning a **Grandparents Day** soon. Details to follow. **Interschool Athletic events** take place this term as well!

The elections in the weekend saw record numbers of voters turn out! A lot of discussion around the results has and will take place. Whether we voted for the Government or not, Life will go on! Speaking of elections there are **two positions up for grabs on the School BOT** scheduled later this term. Interested?? Talk to a current member.

**Remember that Next Tuesday the day after Labour Day is a Teacher Only Day. No school for the children!**

### Quote of the Week

*Finally my winter fat is gone. Now I have Spring rolls.*

### Pupils of the Week

Bradley Taylor, Carlos Atkins, Hayden Curtis, Blake Watkin, Jackson Jones, Blake Ward, Amelia Hine, Asher Anderson

### Principal Award

**Oliver McLean** - *Great skipping, effort and style!*

**John McLean** *Principal*

  
**Rural Support**

*presents*  
**A night at the Plaza**  
*with special guest*

**TONY CHRISTIANSEN**

Tony Christiansen is a world-leading motivational and inspirational speaker.

He is humorous, bold and straight talking as he brings you a story you will never forget. Tony has no legs, a result of a horrific train accident when he was 9 years old yet has achieved remarkable feats in his life.

He shares his life story and the secrets to his incredible success.

He encourages his audience to set their own challenges, rather than accept the limitations imposed by their own attitudes and other people's perceptions.

**The Plaza  
Putaruru**

**Thursday 12  
November 2020**

Complimentary tickets on  
Eventfinda

**BBQ from  
6pm**

Cash Bar available

**Tony Christiansen  
7:30pm**

For more info  
021 180 2995



**Pukeatua War Memorial Church**

## Remembrance Day Service

**Sunday 15th November 11.00 am**

**Following the service a light luncheon will be served in the  
Pukeatua Hall**

**All welcome**