

Pukeatua Press

What's happening in the school
and Community?



Newsletter



**Current
Happenings in
R3**



BOARD & SCHOOL

Ehara tāku toa i te toa takitahi,
engari he toa takitini

My strength is not as an
individual, but as a collective

Hi Everyone, another 2 weeks has zoomed by and here we are with the next edition of the Newsletter. It has been particularly quiet at school without the children in attendance, no doubt they are having an awesome time experiencing life on a Marae.

We will be offering our Annual Pie Fundraiser at the beginning of Term 3, just in time for those busy days on the farm so keep a look out for the order form and get orders from all your family and friends and support our school.

The next couple of weeks are going to be busy, so please make sure that you keep the calendar of coming events close to hand for quick reference

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COMING EVENTS

2021

- Jun 28 BOT Meeting, 5pm
- Jul 1 Firewise
- 2 Cross Country, whole school, at Arohena School
- 6 **Movie Night** - Hitman's Wife's Bodyguard
- 7 GymFest
- 8 **Disco 6-8pm, Pukeatua Hall**
- 9 **Last Day Term 2**
- Aug 3 School Photos
- 27 Junior Winter Sports @ Wharepapa
- Sep 3 Senior Winter Sports @ Wharepapa
- Oct 20 Agricultural Day, (proposed)
- 27 Calendar Art orders due
- Nov 12 Athletics
- Dec 14 **Last Day 2021**

Next Newsletter: Thursday 8th July 2021

All items for the next newsletter are due by:
12 noon, Tuesday 6th July 2021

PUKEATUA Community Has a FACEBOOK PAGE

Go check it out!



If your membership hasn't been approved, please answer the membership questions or send a private message to Jodiandscott Watson

Farewell To:

Brooklyn Turpin Y7

The roll now stands at 88



TERM DATES FOR 2021

- Term 2:** Mon 3 May to Fri 9 July
- Term 3:** Mon 26 July to Fri 1 October
- Term 4:** Mon 18 October to Tues 14 Dec

The next **Board Of Trustees Meeting** will be held in the Pukeatua School staff room on **Monday 28th June 2021 at 5.00 pm (note time)**
Everyone is most welcome to come along

DISCO!



Thursday 8th July

Pukeatua Hall

6pm-8:30pm

0-13 year olds

Theme: White, Black and Gold

Prize for best dressed!

Food and Drink available for Purchase:

Lollies \$1

Chips \$1

Fries \$3

Cupcakes \$2

Soft drink \$2

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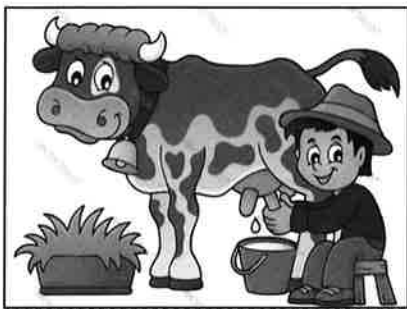
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Principal's Message

Mihi mai i te marae o Parawera. Kei te pai nga mea
katoa! Greetings from the Parawera Marae. All is well!



I'm writing this from **Parawera Marae** where the whole school is about to complete a two day visit. Children from the older classes also stayed overnight and that was a new experience for most. The compact sleeping quarters made sure that the children were warm as there was a pretty good frost Wednesday morning! A big thanks must go out to all the parents who accompanied the group. **Danielle Ziegler** and team catered for the masses along with the local people who made sure we were well fed and looked

after! **Whaea Viki** made sure it all went well! The facilities at the Marae were also outstanding so all in all a very well worthwhile

exercise! The children were busy both days involved in the different activities and the time went quickly!

The staff along with a few hundred other teachers enjoyed a good day out at Te Awamutu College last Friday for the combined **Teachers Only Day!** The day was well organised and hosted by the College. Workshops were interesting and the catering was first class. It was good to get together and compare notes with teachers from our area!

Next Friday we are all going to Arohena for the **Eastern Zone Cross Country**. For some children this is a day to shine and for others this day can present its challenges. Once again an opportunity to come together as a cluster of schools and be involved in competition as well as supporting the local schools fundraising opportunity. The challenge is to do your best and get out of your comfort zone! Life lessons actually!

Congratulations to two boys from our school who have made the Te Awamutu Gwynne Shield Rugby Squad. **Tommy McBeth** and **Ben Little** have been selected. The team is for players under the weight of 57kg. They play a tournament in the first week of the holidays and play teams representing their Sub Unions from over the Waikato Region.

We are now past the shortest day of the year. We may plan a mid-winter swim for those brave children who want to have a go?? Only two weeks left before the end of term. Half the year nearly gone!

Quote of the week

One kind word can warm three winter months

Japanese Proverb

Pupils of the week

Ryan Watkin, Savanna Traill, Madisyn Flowerday, Khloe Shelley,
Boston Edgar, Zara Bowers, Hayden Duncan, Xavier Smith

Principal Awards

George Staniforth - *Enthusiastic learner*

John McLean Principal

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