

UP and COMING EVENTS

DATE	EVENTS
Friday 28 th September	Last day of Term 3
Sunday 30 th September	Clocks go forward 1 hour –Daylight Saving starts
Monday 15 th October	First day of Term 4
Friday 16 th November	School Photos – Photolife will be here
Saturday 17 th November	TE ARAWA PRIMARY SCHOOLS KAPAHAKA 2018 – Taupo Events Centre

Principal Awards – Week 10

Auraki	
Tamakaimoana Apirana-Teepu	For helping a younger student by role modelling positive behaviour.
Kahurangi King	For great work ethic.
Rumaki	
Manaaki Gage	To ū ki ngā mahi whakahirahira.
Dredis Hughes	He ringa tuitui kākāhu.

Past Students Sports Achievements

Basketball	Aryan Emile-Chhura Kahurangi Dewes-Green Mark May
Netball	Ngatapa Te Moana
Waka Ama	Anahera Mear Putiputi Rowberry

Thank you.

- Whaea Miriata for looking after the school last week while the leadership team were out.

Have a safe and happy holiday with your tamariki.

Ngā mihi nui
Whaea Lorraine
PRINCIPAL



Thursday 27th September 2018

Term 3 / No 10

Mission Statement

The children at Whangamarino School will stand tall and be caring and honest in all aspects of their life so they may strive to do their personal best

Whakaaro Rangatira - Manaakitanga, Aroha and Whanaungatanga

School Newsletter

Te Panui o Whangamarino

Tena koutou katoa / Dear Parents, Caregivers, Whānau and Community Members

Remarkable Things Happen Every Day Here at Whangamarino!

This is the last week for Term 3. Thank you for your support over the term, we appreciate the partnership we are in with you in supporting our tamariki to grow to be the best they can be. Some great evidence of their class programmes last week were on show for those of you who were able to attend our Parent Teacher interviews. The teachers and our tamariki have put considerable work into creating an environment that documents your child's learning journey and enhances their creative minds.

I would also like to take the opportunity to thank our teaching staff and support staff for all the work that they do. I am regularly humbled by their work ethic and ongoing commitment to making challenging and engaging programmes for our children as well as the huge amount of time they have given to fundraising this term.

Health & Wellness Principal's Conference –

Last week Tiria Haylock, Rehua Mihaka and I attended the Principal's Health and Well Being Conference in Okoroire.



I have a **GROWTH MINDSET.**

I am in charge of how smart I am because

I can **GROW** my **BRAIN** like a muscle by learning hard things.

I can achieve **ANYTHING**

with **EFFORT** and **RIGHT STRATEGIES.**

And when I fail or make a mistake, it is a **GREAT** thing, because

I can **LEARN** from them and **I GET BETTER!**

We thoroughly enjoyed this hui and learnt a number of practical strategies to promote our own well-being and the well-being of our tamariki. Strategies included: growth mindset, mindfulness, looking at student's strengths and a number of other evidence based topics. We introduced a number of these topics to staff at our recent staff meeting and are looking forward to introducing these to our students next term.

Shoot-a-thon - We raised a staggering \$2578.00 in our recent Shoot-a-thon. Congratulations to all students who participated. In particular, our top student fundraisers from: Senior School - Maraea Dewes-Green, Middle School - Manawa Gates and Junior School - Markus Langendoen. Well done tamariki ma. Our thanks to all the parents and whanau members that supported this fundraiser. We will be purchasing school sun hats for each child and lots of new PE equipment. A big thank you to Whaea Teina for organising this fundraiser.

Te Roopu Whanau Manaaki Next term we would like our parents / whanau to start up our own Whangamarino School Fundraising roopu to raise funds for our tamariki. We need a group of dedicated parents'/whanau members that are keen to get this started for us. If you want to contribute your time to our kura this could be the perfect opportunity for you to do so. Currently our teaching staff organise all fundraising events. This takes a huge toll on our teachers and I do worry about the amount of teaching and learning time that goes into fundraising

organisation for our children. If you would like to be part of this parent/whanau group with the main purpose of raising funds for our tamariki please contact me at kura. Thank you.

Farewell Nanny Te Aue. It is with sadness that we say goodbye to our lovely Nanny Te Aue. She will be leaving us at the end of the term to work at Te Puia. We wish Nanny Te Aue all the best in her new position.

Looking for Mahi? If you are a fluent speaker of Te Reo Maori and would love to spend time teaching our fantastic tamariki Te Reo Maori in our Rumaki classes, WE WANT YOU! The position is for 5 days a week from 9.30am 12.30 everyday. Start date is negotiable. If this sounds like you please email me at principal@whangamarino.school.nz thank you.

Photolife Photos School photos will take place in week 5 (Friday 16th November) next term. We are letting you know early so you have a bit of warning. The Photolife envelopes will be sent out next term.

Fortnightly school newsletter - As of next term our school newsletter will be going out fortnightly i.e. Weeks 1,3,5,7 & 9 in Term 4.

Don't forget to SPRING FORWARD
Clocks go forward 1 hour at 2am
Sunday 30th September

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