

UP and COMING EVENTS

DATE	EVENTs
Monday 22nd October	School Closed – Labour Day Public Holiday
Tuesday 30 th October	Whole School Whanau Hui 5.30-6.30-pm
Wednesday 14 th November	Board of Trustees Hui 1.30pm
Friday 16 th November	School Photos – Photolife will be here
Saturday 17 th November	TE ARAWA PRIMARY SCHOOLS KAPAHAKA 2018 – Taupo Events Centre
26 th – 30 th November	Ahurei Kapahaka
Sunday 2 nd December	Sanitarium Weetbix Kids Tyathlon – Kuirau Park
Monday 10 th December	Reports go home
Tuesday 11 December	End of Year Prize Giving – 10am -12.30 Taheke Marae.
Wednesday 12 th December	School Picnic
Thursday 13 th December	Last Day of School

Principal Awards – Week 1

Auraki	
Rangikawhetiu Gillespie-Robson	For always being helpful. Caring for our Teina and helping teachers.
Acia Tango	For being an excellent role leading our Auraki assembly
Rumaki	
Maraea Dewes-Green	He ringa wera tōhau ki te marae
Angel Paringatai-Collier	He tohunga o te manaaki. To pakari hoki ki ngā oro reo Māori

Congratulations to our very own Markus Langendoen for winning Best Dressed Boy at the Pink Walk for Breast Cancer yesterday.



Whangamarino School

Rotorua New Zealand

School Motto -=*Kia pono ki to mahi kia whati hua ai*

Thursday 18th October 2018

Term 4 / No 1

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!

We hope you all had a relaxing time with your children over the past two weeks and they spent some time looking after you too! For me my break consisted of much packing and organising as we moved house in the holidays, back to beautiful Rotorua.

Great to see the Silver Ferns have a win over the Australian Diamonds last weekend. It's always lovely to see a situation where a team has its spirits down as a result of disappointing performance, make changes, accept the challenge and turn the outcomes around. We have started talking about this at kura in relation to having a 'Growth Mindset' and how difficulties can hinder our progress. We talk about the power of the word 'YET'. E.g. "I'm struggling with this and I can't do it yet. But if I keep trying, challenge myself, ask for help, believe in myself, I know I will get there." You might like to reinforce this with your children as well. See our Growth Mindset Chart in this week's newsletter.

This morning we took part in the NZ Shake out, which is the national earthquake drill and tsunami hikoi. Taking part this morning was a great way for our students to learn and reinforce the right actions to take before, during

and after an earthquake and tsunami.

A special welcome to our new students, Destiny Heemi, Jade Kameta-Ngatai, Tristyn Kameta, Tara Ngatai. We hope you enjoy your time here with us at Whangamarino school.

Whole School Whanau Hui (Tuesday 30th October) This term we will be having a combined Whanau Hui on Tuesday 30th October (note change of date from Skool Loop) starting at 5.30pm and ending at 6.30. The purpose of this whole school hui is for Rumaki and Auraki Whanau, teachers and community to come together. We see it as being a great opportunity for you to meet new staff, check out our new sealed driveway and find out about all the exciting things that will be happening at Whangamarino School in Term 4, 2018.

Fruit in Schools – Great to see Teimana Newton and Ngatai Mear talking to the reporter from the Rotorua Daily Post about the benefit of having the Fruit in Schools programme here at Whangamarino. Love the photo too! Check it out online whanau.



Whangamarino School pupils Teimana Newton, 7, (left) and Ngatai Mear, 7, enjoy fresh fruit. Photo / Ben Fraser

WHAT KIND OF MINDSET DO I HAVE?



FIXED MINDSET

- I'm either good at it, or I'm not.
- If I fail, I'm no good.
- I don't like to be challenged.
- I feel like feedback is personal.
- If you succeed, I feel threatened.
- I give up if I find something difficult.
- My abilities determine everything.



GROWTH MINDSET

- I can learn anything I want to.
- I learn from my failures.
- I want to challenge myself.
- I feel like feedback is constructive.
- I am inspired by the success of others.
- I always persevere, even when I'm frustrated.
- My effort and attitude determine everything.



- 1 FREE BEGINNER CLASS-ENTRY LEVEL**
 Sunday mornings between 10-11am at Prodrive opposite the events center in Rotorua. Totally FREE.
- 2 \$100 MEMBERSHIP-1 YEAR**
 Three golf course memberships in one by becoming a member of our virtual golf club. All funds go back into running the programme.
- 3 FREE AFTER SCHOOL COACHING**
 If you are a member of the GJGC you can come to FREE after school coaching for Term 3. This may happen every term.
- 4 SCHOOL GOLF PROGRAMMES**
 Talk to us about running your own school golf programme.

Email: info@juniorgolfclub.co.nz

Phone: 0272519937

CONTACT ANT FOR MORE INFORMATION

JUNIORGOLFCLUB.CO.NZ

Project over the holidays Part of our driveway was resealed over the holidays and it looks amazing! See before and after photos below. A big thank you again to Whangamoa Trust for donating \$12,000.00 and Taheke Paengaroa Trust for donating \$1,000.00. Ka mau te wehi koutou!

BEFORE



AFTER



Te Roopu Whanau Manaaki - A big thank you to the one parent who has offered to take on this fantastic opportunity. Is there anyone else out there willing to be part of our parent fundraising group please? A reminder that the main purpose will be to raise funds for our tamariki from both Auraki and Rumaki. 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 in our week 3 newsletter.

Halloween Disco Date – Thursday 5th November. Location: Manawatakotokoto – Gold coin entry. Time 5.30 -8pm. Theme: Halloween. Lots of prizes will be up for grabs.

Touch Rugby A big thank you to Whaea Tracy for organising our touch teams this term. Congratulations to all our touch teams for winning all their games yesterday. A great way to start the season. Thank you Whaea Tracy, Whaea Rose, Matua Rehua, Matua Wayne and Matua Harlem for coaching these teams. If you have any queries about touch rugby please contact Whaea Tracy at kura.

Skool Loop App –Currently we have 34 users that have downloaded our school app. Please remember to download our school app. Go to the app store and look for Skool Loop then press Whangamarino School. In the future we will like to download all school newsletters onto our school app.

Fortnightly school newsletter – A reminder that our school newsletters will be going out fortnightly from now on i.e. Weeks 1,3,5,7 & 9. We will continue to keep you updated weekly on other information through our Skool Loop App and our School Facebook Page.

Kaiarahireo Vacancy 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 need 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 phone me at school on 3624879. Thank you.

Buses – A reminder that if you intend to change your child's bus schedule can you please contact Ranui in the office before 12. It would be a good idea if you could let your children know the change of plan before they leave home and also ensure they have a note to give to Ranui in the office. We have had a couple of incidents where messages have been miscommunicated and children have hopped on the wrong buses and we don't want this to happen again. Thank you for your understanding.

BOT News – Mariana Te Kanawa has recently been co-opted onto our BOT for her skills in accounting. Thank you Mariana for joining our team, we look forward to working with you in the future.

School is closed on Monday – A reminder that Monday is Labour Day a public holiday and school will be closed.

Have a lovely long weekend everyone.
Nga mihi

Whaea Lorraine
Principal

You're invited to

Rotoehu Ecological Trust's

5th Birthday Celebration!

Celebration activities will commence on Sunday 11 November 2018 at 10:00 a.m.

These family friendly activities will include a scavenger hunt, art activities, pin the wattle on the kōkako, and coffee identification games. Food and drinks will also be available.

Please RSVP to rotoehuecologicaltrust@gmail.com by Sunday 4th November.

Date: Sunday 11 November 2018
Time: 10:00 am—2:00 pm
Location: Follow the blue kōkako signs in from the intersection of Pukehangi and Rotoehu Roads

For more information on Rotoehu Ecological Trust visit our website (kokako.kiwi), or search for us on Facebook or Instagram.

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