

Waikoikoi School - Little School Big Spirit!

Newsletter

Principal's Note:

Thank you to all the students, families and supporters that braved the weather at cross country. Congratulations to our following placegetters.

Reid - 1st - 6 year old boys

Lincoln - 10th - 10 year old boys

Mikayla - 4th - 8 year old girls

Millah - 4th - 10 year old girls

At the end of the term we are excited to be participating the Mauri Ora Matariki celebration/ Each student needs a coloured top to wear over their school uniform please for a special song. Please send these along to school asap and we will look after them.

Whero (red) - Ardie, Isabelle and Tihirau

Karaka (orange) - Kees

Kowhai (yellow) - Reid and Jaxon

Kakariki (green)- Emily and Arianna

Kikorangi (blue) - Lincoln

Mahoe (purple) - Millah

Waiproporo (violet) - Mikayla

If you do not have the correct colour at home, please let me know and I will source one for you.

Ma te wa Jacqui Dillon Term 3 - the students will begin to learn from the Health and Physical Education curriculum. Sexuality and relationship education is one of seven key areas of learning in the HPE learning area of the New Zealand Curriculum.

The seven key areas of learning are:

- mental health
- sexuality education
- food and nutrition
- body care and physical safety
- physical activity
- sport studies
- outdoor education.

These are the topics that we will be covering next term.

Working together: Making our class a great place to be

Overarching question: How can I help make my classroom a happy and positive place for everyone to learn?

Me and other people: Making friends

Overarching question: How can I have friendships that are happy and healthy?

Me and other people: Standing up for myself and others

Overarching question: What is bullying and what can we do about it?

Me and my body: Growing and changing

Overarching question: How does my body grow and change as I get older?

Me and my body: Keeping my body clean

Overarching question: How can I keep my body clean and why do I need to?

Me and my body: Being responsible for my body

Overarching question: What does it mean to be responsible for my body?

Me and other people: Our families - the same and different

Overarching question: How is my family the same as, and different from, other families?

Me and other people: Challenging gender expectations

Overarching question: Are some things just for boys and others just for girls?

Me and my community: Who can help?

Overarching question: Where can my family and I get help to keep well?

Please contact me if you have any questions about this learning.

Whats is happening at school this term?

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
4 Week 7	5 Kings Birthday School closed	6	7	8 Whaea Jaki- Kapa Haka	9	10
11 Week 8	12	13	14 Sports Activator BOT Meeting	15 Whaea Jaki- Kapa Haka	16 Mid year reports	17
18 Week 9	19	20	21	22 Parent teacher interviews	23	24
25 Week 10	26	27	28 Assembly 2:20	29 Matariki Festival - Tapanui	30 Last day of Term 2 End of term award (to be confirmed)	1st July to 16th of July School Holidays
16 July Week 1 Term 3	17 First day of term 3	18	19	20	21	22

Whats for Lunch?







Mauri Bra Matariki

THURSDAY 29TH JUNE WEST OTAGO COMMUNITY CENTRE GYM

We invite you to join us for mihi whakatau and shared kai at 11:50am followed by Kapa Haka performances from 1pm by all of our local schools and early childhood centres.

TREE PLANTING CEREMONY

FRIDAY 14 JULY 2023 10AM

KidzWay will plant a Kahikatea Tree, donated by Blue Mountain Nursery, at the Tapanui Playground to mark the second Matariki holiday.

FRIDAY 14th JULY

FREE ENTRY

·LIVE STAGE
ENTERTAINMENT
·DISPLAYS
·FOOD VENDORS
AVAILABLE
·FIREWORKS!!!

AT THE WAIMUMU FIELD DAY SHED 1:30pm-7:00pm

Come and enjoy the festivities.



Maruawai

CELEBRATION

This event is brought to you by the Hokonui Runanga, Lower Mataura Valley Community of Learning Kāhui Ako, Gore Kids Hub, Pomāhaka Community of Learning Kāhui Ako, Gore and Districts Community of Learning Kāhui Ako.

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