

Eltham School Newsletter

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Term 3 Week 7



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Check our Facebook Page for regular updates and important information.

Whanaungatanga

Kia ora Whanau, Community Members and Friends of Eltham School

Cross country

Well done to all of our children for 'giving it their best' at our Cross Country event last Friday. Despite it being a cold day, the rain held off and we were able to get all of the races completed in time for an early lunch. A big thank you to our supporters who attended to watch and encourage our children. Thanks also to the parents who volunteered to run in our golden gumboot race, with Miss Adlam and Miss Gardner and won against our senior room children. The results from our cross-country are on our School Facebook page, and in this week's newsletter. Well done to our place getters, and to those children selected to compete in the Central Taranaki Cross Country event on the 13th of September!

ANZCO Foods – Eltham

A huge thanks to the farmers and supporters who send their bobby calves to the Eltham Plant, and nominate Eltham School to receive '50c per calf funding'. This enables us to receive donations from the "Bobby Calf Promotion", and so far we have raised \$404 (808 calves) from this scheme with the promotion ending in late October. Many thanks to our supporters, please keep nominating us! We really do appreciate your help.

Kathryn Pick Principal

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Absent from the photo: Justin Salisbury.

Impact – Environmental Group

A group of year 8 students from Room 5 are working with Impact Taranaki to help reduce pollution in our community. We are hoping to tackle this issue by cleaning up the litter under our school deck, and introducing a litter prevention programme to support positive behaviour to keep our school clean. – This task was initiated by our student group. Our students will be working on this project with the assistance of our grounds person Lorraine Kelson. We will keep you informed of their progress.

Cross Country results

5 year old girls:

- 1. Chloe Squire
- 2. Nisa Nazri
- 3. Emma McCallum
- 5 Year old boys:
 - 1. Luke Ropiha
 - 2. Zeb Stantiall
 - 3. Kyzah Lawson
- 6 Year Old Girls:
 - 1. Ataahua Kelly-Pulman
 - 2. Nevaeh Hayman
 - 3. Ashah Lawson



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Congratulations to our "Learners of the week"...

Room 1 – <u>Mia Lindsay –</u> For being super organized for learning and helping others.

Room 2 – <u>Celestial Harrison – Maraki</u> – For being a clear speaker in front of an audience and showing others how it should be done.

Room 3 – **Joshua Mclver** – For trying your best to be a helpful and active member of our classroom on a regular basis.

Room 5 – <u>**Ryan Bain**</u> – For consistently striving to improve his learning achievements and always having a positive attitude.

Room 6 – <u>Ahrahnia Van Kuijk - Moffat</u> – For stepping up and taking responsibility for her learning and being a good role model to others.

Room 7 – <u>Justin Salisbury</u> – For showing pride in everything he does.

Room 8 – <u>Vincent Van Kuijk - Moffat</u> · For stepping up and trying hard with his writing. Well done!



6 year old boys:

- 1. Maaka Robinson
- 2. Celestial Harrison Maraki
- 3. Heath Helms-Smith
- 7 year old girls:
- 1. Jesica Howard
- 2. Sophie Mita
- 3. Jayley Keenan
- 7 year old boys:
- 1. Kupa Robinson
- 2. Tobias Ogle
- 3. Joshua Mclver





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Happy birthday to ...

Marama Harrison – Room 8 – 10yrs

Congratulations to our Cool Choices winners...

Eva Smith – Being a caring buddy – not wanting to see them upset.



Lucas Tonga – Cleaning our classroom without being asked.



<u>Clay Mita</u> – Doing an awesome job monitoring Room 8 during your lunch break, and for representing our school with pride at rugby.

Jaydan Barrow – Representing our school with pride at rugby.

Bronze Level Awards

Congratulations to Reginald Hetaraka – Sokolich and Sophie Edwards – Brown for gaining 10 cool choices and a bronze level certificate each. Well done Reginald and Sophie. Keep up with your great choices!



Community Award

This week our community award goes to Clay Mita for doing an

awesome job at road patrol and filling in voluntarily for others when they are away. Kapai Clay!



Whanaungatanga

Cross Country Results Continued...

- 8 Year Old Girls
 - 4. Johanna Somers
 - 5. Kaia-Rihi Ropata
 - 6. Danica Somers
- <u>8 Year Old Boys</u>
 - 4. Vincent Van Kuijk-Moffat
 - 5. Darwish Ridzuan
 - 6. Noah Muggeridge-Griffin
- 9 Year Old Girls
 - 4. Paipa Robinson
 - 5. Marama Harrison
 - 6. Teresa-Ann Sokolich
- <u>9 Year Old Boys</u>
 - 4. Zachary Renshaw
 - 5. Danial Ridzuan
 - 6. Elijah Brown
- Senior Girls
- 1. Shamika Hoeta
- 2. Taylor Ross
- 3. Oceana Brown-Martin and

Kaea Lawson – Phillips

1. Ahrahnia Van Kuijk-Moffat

- <u>Senior Boys</u>
- 1. Kurt McFaull

10 year old Girls

- 2. Tyler Nicholls
- 3. Aidan Renshaw

The following students have been selected to compete at the Central Taranaki Cross Country at the Stratford Race Course on 13th September. Congratulations to ...

Paipa Robinson Ahrahnia Van Kuijk – Moffat Joseph Howard Kyra Robinson Clay Mita Shamika Hoeta Aidan Renshaw Tyler Nicholls Zachary Renshaw Ethan Ogle Sophie Lozell Azara Muggeridge – Griffin Sebastian Lambert Taylor Ross Kurt McFaull



Board of Trustees Information

 Our next BOT meeting is on Tuesday 26th September at 5.30pm.

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Community Notices

Muse Hair and Beauty Girls Only Football

Great opportunity for Girls to give football a go, learn some new skills and have some fun.

Program details

Venue Taumata Park Eltham (Preston Street) Monday Night 4pm till 5pm Dates Term 4 2017 Oct 16th and 30th Nov 6th 13th 20th Term 1 2018 Feb 12th 19th 26th March 5th 12th Age 7 to 11 Cost \$30 for all 10 sessions

To register Contact Troy 027 89 47 452

Parent Notices

We will soon be hosting the **McLeod Shield semi final**, and our team of year 7/8 boys has joined with Matapu, and will be competing in this. The date and time of this game is yet to be confirmed but we will keep you posted!

Next week is **Maori Language Week**. We will be teaching our children one new word in Te Reo each day next week. We will post the word we are learning onto our Facebook page so you can learn with us.

Kids Quiz

Put your answers in the box on the office bench (next to the chaplain's box). All correct entries have a chance of being drawn out at assembly for a prize.

Senior Quiz (Rooms 5-8)

- 1 On what part of your body would you wear a beret?
- 2 What is 1/5 of 100?
- 3 In what country would you find a komodo dragon?
- 4 How did Miss Adlam win at Cross Country?

Junior Quiz (Rooms 1-3)

Draw and name the teacher running in last weeks Cross Country – NOT the teacher who cheated!

Calendar of Events

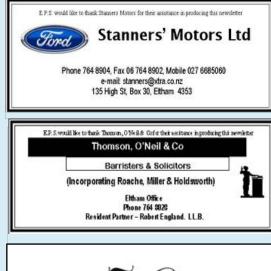
September

- 13th Interschool Cross Country event Selected students only
- 24th Daylight Savings begins
- 26th BOT meeting @ 5.30pm
- 29th Last day of Term 3

October 16th – Term 4 begins.



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Last terms's Quiz Winners Junior Quiz: Jorjah Nikora Senior Quiz: Sophie Lozell

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