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Caring About Others

Doing My Best

Caring About Our Environment

Respecting Others

Term 3 Week 10 2017.

29 September, 2017

Kia Ora Whanau,

Firstly, I would like to thank you all for your continued support this term. I have enjoyed meeting you all and learning more about your children and whanau.

Secondly, a lot of events have happened during week 9 and 10. We have had our year 6 students visit Manukorihi Intermediate. This was very successful visit and gave our students an opportunity to become familiar with their future surroundings.

Last week we also had 2 visitors from the Ministry of Education visit the school to review our bilingual programme and implementation. This was a very successful visit with very positive feedback towards our school and programme.

This week some of our students participated in the Taranaki Cross Country event in Hawera. We were very proud of their efforts in some very testing conditions and a very long and difficult course.



Lastly, this week, we also we held a special assembly to present classes Duffy books and listen to our visiting author Sharon Holt speak about her work and how she got the dream job of being a writer.

Enjoy the holiday break and see you all back on Monday 16th of October, 2017.

Me ahopoka tātou kia tū hei iwi kotahi,

Perrie Topia
Principal

CROSS COUNTRY: A big thank you to the parents who helped out with transport and who came to support our tamariki at the Taranaki Cross Country Champs held in Hawera. Your support was very much appreciated. Congratulations also to our tamariki who represented our school with pride and who tackled the very muddy ground conditions. Ka mau te wehi!



From left – 11 year old boys
10 year old girls, 9 year old girls, 9 year old boys,

OTHER IMPORTANT NOTICES:

LOST – Bears Hoodie, and a black Puffer Jacket Size 12. These belong to Eche Maxwell, if you find them could you please return them to the office.

WALK FOR KIDS – Child Mobility Foundation. Family, stroller and wheelchair friendly, Music, Fun Food. The theme for the day is Super Heros. It will be held on Sunday 8 October at TET Stadium Inglewood. Please register through the Inglewood Lions Club – juliansathome@xtra.co.nz. The entry fees are children 5 – 14 years \$5.00, Adults \$10 and a family pass is \$20.00.

WAITARA LAWN TENNIS CLUB – Browne Street, Waitara. Youth coaching with Randall Croon on Monday 30 October starts 3.30 p.m. Costs – 7 sessions: up to 11 years of age \$20.00 13 – 18 years of age \$28.00. All are welcome. Please register or if you have any queries please contact our club president Raewyn Nickson 0277 682 025.

MANA TANIWHA

The Mana Taniwha helps me when I am so angry and its like a secret in your head. It's like anything to help you so Taniwha you are great!

It achieves our Mana focus. It's like a force field that protects me all around. It's the coolest thing I every knew. It tells me don't be scared, it's secretly wraps around me and it's soft as the softest blanket in the world.

It protects me from anything that hurts me. Mana Taniwha if you run off please come back. You are the special one. By Te Ari Brand.

This is one of 3 stories picked from Room 3 to be published in the newsletter. The other two will be done the first week of Term 4.