



Mangere Bridge School Newsletter



Term 3 – Week 8
Friday 14th September

THANK YOU...

TO ALL OUR PARENTS AND WHANAU FOR THE MANY WAYS YOU ENRICH OUR CHILDREN'S LEARNING!

The joyful sharing of your knowledge, skills, and language, the coming to and participating in meetings, bringing your children to school on time and being there for them at 3.00pm, coaching, transporting, supervising and supporting children's activities outside the school, fundraising and supporting us with the requests for a gold coin, being at the end of a phone when we call and helping us to solve problems.

We value our partnership and all that you do!



Te Wiki o Te Reo Māori



If we stop speaking Māori, our culture might die. I think Māori culture is precious because the Māori language was the first language of Aotearoa. I do not want Māori language to go away because I like to sing the cool songs!

*Ethan Levy
Room 6
Year 2*

COMING EVENTS

TERM 3

Week 9	
Wed 19 Sept	Road patrol training for Year 5 & 6
Week 10	
Tues 25 Sept	MBS Survivor Fun Run @ Ambury Farm
Tues 25 Sept	Board Hui @6pm
Wed 26 Sept	Survivor Mangere Bridge school evening event from 5.00 – 7.00
Fri 28 Sept	Newsletter
Fri 28 Sept	Assembly hosted by Room 7
Fri 28 Sept	Last Day of Term 3
Mon 15 Oct	First Day of Term 4
Mon 15 Oct	Powhiri for new entrants at 9.00am

GAIN ALL THE SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE YOU NEED TO BE A SURVIVOR ON THIS FUN WHANAU EVENING.

26.09.18 | MANGERE BRIDGE SCHOOL | 5 - 7PM

We hope you can join us



These are our future leaders!!



Congratulations to Esther Totton-Levy who has gained a scholarship to attend St. Cuthberts School next year. We celebrate your hard work and commitment to your learning!!



Our beautiful girls Mali Tolefoa and Lily Sciascia at the APPA/MPA Rehu Tai Festival of Oral Language. We were so proud of them and super proud of Mali who came second overall with her speech 'How Voicing Your Thoughts Can Make a Change to the World'.

Our beautiful girls Ocean Dawber and Yolanda Tamo'ua represented our school at the Tongan Language Speech Festival.



A visit from the hoiho



SAFE PARKING! SAFE KIDS!

Thank you to those parents who came to our meeting with ideas on how to keep our children safe on the roads around Mangere Bridge School. Since this meeting we have met with Robyn, our Travelwise support person and Frank, our Community constable. With their help we are organising information cards to share with parents and beginning a dialogue with the engineer working with 'The Mangere Bridge Safer Community' We will have more ideas to share with you over the coming weeks!!

Our road patrols will be receiving their training before the end of term and you are welcome to come with your preschooler and learn with them how to safely cross our roads.

#no 1 tip... do not step out onto the crossing until the patrol has put down their arm and said "cross now"!

In the coming weeks Constable Frank will be keeping our children safe being out and about randomly ticketing and talking to whanau who are:

- Parking on yellow lines
- Double parking
- Parking in the White Heron car park which is a tow away zone

Parking on the clearway zones



Walking School Bus

If you are able to commit to running a walking school bus on any day of the week AM/PM or both please let us know at the office.

If we can have children walking on at least one day a week this keeps everyone fit and reduces the traffic around our school!

Summer is coming let's make the most of it for our children!!



PTA Notice/News

THANKS FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

Thanks to everyone that attended the movie night. Also to the volunteers who helped to sell tickets, setup, sell food, raffles and drinks as well as help clean up for our Movie night last week. We could not put on these events without you. You are appreciated.

We raised just over \$1000 towards our NEW PLAYGROUNDS.

Raffle winners were Jackson Room 4 and Seteone Room 6. Congratulations boys on your new air couches. Thanks to SKIDS for sponsoring the raffle prizes.

What is coming up?

Upcoming CROSS COUNTRY/ FUN RUN-Tuesday 25th September at Ambury Farm.

WE NEED HELPERS please to set up for the sausage sizzle, cook the BBQ, sell food and pack up. You would need to be at Ambury Farm from 9am – approx. 1:30pm. Or even if you could come and help for part of the time. Also looking for gazebo's to borrow please.

Upcoming Student Enquiry Outcome-SURVIVOR EVENING-Wednesday 26th September at School.

WE NEED HELPERS please to set up and cook the BBQ, sell burgers and pack up. You would need to be at School from 4:15pm – approx. 7:30pm. Or even if you could come and help for part of the time. Also looking for a coffee cart to hire if anyone has a contact?

Upcoming POHUTUKAWA FESTIVAL- Saturday 27th October 2018, from 9am – 2pm at Mangere Bridge School.

Our annual Pohutukawa Festival (Gala). Lock it into your calendars!

This is our largest fundraising event and it is a way to celebrate our school with our whanau and community.

Like last year, there will be cultural performances, food stalls, cake stall, coffee, games, stalls and also a FERRIS WHEEL!

HELP/ Donations needed: If you or your whanau can help out in anyway with donations of: Money, Product (food, drink, something to auction), a talent (hairdresser, makeup artist, balloon twister etc.), a service (vouchers for hair, beauty, plumbing or electrical work, free lawn maintenance, massage, cleaning etc.). Just for the day we need to borrow-A COFFEE MACHINE (café style), gazebos, trestle tables, other hire type equipment.

We can offer you advertising of your company on our school website, at the festival and also social media.

WE NEED HELPERS please to make the day a success. If you would like to register your interest in helping we need adults, teenagers and senior students that can assist. Whether you can be there for set up (6am onwards), clean up (from 2pm), help on a stall (From 8:30am-2pm) or the whole day (6am-3:30pm).

We would love to hear from you! Thanks in advance for your generous support.

If you can assist with any of the help listed above, please

email jasmineh@mangerebridge.school.nz or mbspta@mangerebridge.school.nz or text Jasmine (Events Coordinator) on 021 1517116 or Victoria (Chairperson) on 027 5554128. Thank you!

JOIN THE PTA.

Hi Whanau, we NEED people to join the PTA. Many hands make light work. What's involved? It involves attending monthly 1.5 hour meetings, help on leading/ assisting with fundraising events etc.

Please call Victoria for more details-027 555 4128 or make contact on mbspta@mangerebridge.school.nz

Any help is greatly appreciated.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Just like that are only a need us break for a on some please let us know.



the school holidays week away. If you during the school week or two or even selected days,

We have lots of activities organized for this coming school holidays. Your children will have lots of fun and will have a fantastic experience.

We will have trips to Tristar, Safari Adventure and Mini golf. We also have lots of on-site activities which will keep everyone occupied and entertained.

If you will be applying for some OSCAR/Work and Income subsidy, we will need to apply as early as possible. If you are working (full time or part time and/or studying; on sickness benefit; on CDA) you may qualify for some OSCAR subsidy and pay as low as \$3 a day (conditions apply). We will help you through the process (even submit the forms on your behalf).

For any queries you can ring Hazel and George at 0800 900 754 or 021-278-4462. You can also email us at mangerebridge@skids.co.nz or george@skids.co.nz We also run a morning programme 7:30am to 8:30am and an after school care programme from 3pm to 6pm Mondays to Fridays.

We look forward to hearing from you soon!

Adventure Survivor Camp Oct 1st-5th

Awesome outdoor activities, rock climbing, archery, bush walks and bush survival skills.

Based at Aongatete lodge with pick up/drop off points in Hamilton, AKL and BOP.

OSCAR available
8-14 yr olds

\$495

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Marcellin College Enrolments

"Marcellin College in Royal Oak has limited places available for boys and girls in Year 7 & 9 for 2019. Please contact the office on 625 6509 or email office@marcellin.school.nz for an enrollment pack".

MANGERE BRIDGE
FUN
RUN · WALK · STROLL · STRIDE
SUNDAY 23 SEPTEMBER 2018
NAOMI AND BILL KIRK PARK
5KMS & 10KMS - ADULTS \$20 & \$25 / CHILDREN \$5
FAMILY \$45 (2 ADULTS & UP TO 4 CHILDREN)
For more information & to register: <https://mangerebridgefunrun2018.lilregie.com>
www.facebook.com/mangerefunrun

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