



# Pirinoa School

Inspired, Confident, Proud Tamariki

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## Week 3

Tēnā koutou katoa

The fun that autumn brings! You don't have to look far in order to see fun, creativity, and team work during school time at the moment. Our students have created this leaf fortress by following our Pirinoa Pathway and what a sight it is! It was easy to see Pride, Activity, Respect, and definitely fun. It is also great to see all students in this photo wearing the correct uniform. These are the little things that make the big difference.

In other news:

We were very lucky to fit in one quick training before many willing Kapa Haka students ventured to Palliser Ridge Farm on Tuesday morning. Our students represented the school and community well with another strong performance lead by Nakcha and Hazel.

The senior basketball team have had some intense training sessions and one challenging game so far.

Health curriculum - Thank you for responding with your thoughts on our Health Curriculum. It is always motivating for me to listen to parents' point of view regarding education and what learning they see as valuable for their students and this community.

Mathletics - Thank you for also responding with your thoughts on Mathletics (a web based math programme for students). We will most probably begin using this as an optional homework tool for all students at the beginning of Term 3. It is up to teachers as to whether they use the programme during class time so please talk to them if you have any queries.

Next week on Wednesday we have a group of students heading to Wellington for a mini adventure race. I'm looking forward to hearing their stories when they arrive back!

Have a great weekend everyone.

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## **ROOM 1 NEWS**

We have been learning about what it takes to be a police person. Students decided that they would have to brave, protect others, control their anger, and be a good driver and a good person.

Constable Julie is going to be visiting us soon to answer any questions that students may have about training to be a police officer.

## **ROOM 2 NEWS**

My Mummy's name is Ange and she is a nurse.

Mummy started her job in 2006. She had to go to university.

My Mummy had to learn how the human body works. She uses a pen, torch, stethoscope, a doppler and scissors.

Mummy works with lots of people. She has two breaks each day.

Mummy likes her job. She works there because she likes helping people.

The best part about Mummy's job is all the great people she works with and helping sick people feel better.

By Reade

## **ROOM 3 NEWS**

Camp fundraising update. So far Room 3 have raised \$2100 by selling chocolate, selling raffle tickets and selling juices. We would like to thank everybody in our community that has supported us with this. On the 14th of June the Room 3 students are running a market day at lunchtime at school. Groups of children have set up their own business and are selling their product at the market day. Some of the groups would like to sell toys and books so please have a clean out and send them to school.

Thanks



## **AWARD WINNERS**

### **WEEK 3 LEARNING AWARDS**

**PRINCIPAL'S AWARD:** Nakcha Robinson for Stepping outside of her comfort zone and showing excellence in Kapa Haka.

**ROOM 1:** Rakau Watson Morrell for making a great start to Pirinoa School.

**ROOM 2:** Jacob Manze for working hard to complete all of his work to a high standard.

**ROOM 3:** Aria Whiteman for working independently and finishing her work to a high standard.

**PLAYGROUND AWARD:** Melesia for being nice.

### **BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

Unfortunately, I will be attending a funeral on Monday 20th May. I have spoken to the Board and they have kindly agreed to change the meeting date to Tuesday 21st at 6pm. Sorry for the change and hopefully you can all still make the meeting if you were planning to.

Matt Jackett



**Cross Country is Tuesday 4th June at Kahutara School.**

### **FRIDAY SAUSAGE SIZZLE & JUICIES**

Don't forget Sausage sizzle is every Friday and we now have juices available too \$2 each.

**\*CAMP FUNDRAISER\***



