



We are MANA!

Kei te Tū, Kei te Ora, Kei te Ako

Manaakitanga Angitu Ngākaunui Aroha

Caring About Others

Doing My Best

*Caring about Our
Environment*

Respecting Others

NEWSLETTER NO. 11

Friday 21 May, 2019.

Kia Ora Whānau,

Firstly, we would like to wish our Young Leaders the best of luck on their Leadership trip to Wellington. Our Leaders will be attending The National Young Leaders Day which has a range of fantastic speakers and entertainment. The focus of the event is on powerful conversations with the whakatukī - ***He aha te kai ā te rangatira? He kōrero, he kōrero. What is the food of a leader? It is conversations.*** Along with attending the conference our leaders will also visit Te Papa Museum and The Beehive. We look forward to hearing about their experiences when they get back.

Secondly, this week we play Puketapu School in our sports exchange, we would like to apologise for the miscommunication last week with the dates and thank you for your understanding at such late notice.

Also, some whānau have elected to be the trialists of our new parent portal within the Linc-ED school management system. We would like to hold a parent workshop on Wednesday 5 June, 2019 at 3.45 pm to help whānau that signed up to log in and see what this portal does. More information will follow about this workshop.

Lastly, the Primary Teachers Union (NZEI) has been working hard to secure a package with the current government for teachers. The ongoing nature of this negotiation reached a point last week where a vote was taken by all members to accept or reject the latest offer and to also vote on what the next case of action would be if the offer was rejected. An overwhelming response was reached and **on Thursday 29th May, 2019 all state owned schools in New Zealand will be closed and all teachers striking.**

Ngā Manaakitanga,

Principal

Important Dates for Term 2:

Monday 20 May	Young Leaders Trip to Wellington
Friday 24 May	Interschool Sports - Puketapu
Monday 27 May	Cycle Skills for Seniors
Wednesday 29 May	School Closed due to Teacher Strike
Monday 3 June	School closed - Queens Birthday
Friday 7 June	Interschool Sports - Coastal
Friday 20 June	Interschool Sports - Norfolk
Friday 27 June	Interschool Sports - Waitara East
Monday 1 July	Interschool Sports - Frankley
Friday 5 July	Term 2 ends

BOARD OF TRUSTEES UPCOMING ELECTIONS:

PLEASE REMEMBER Nominations for Board of Trustees close this Friday at noon.

What do the Board of Trustees do - it is an opportunity for more learning; professional development; to understand how a school operates and work together as a team; to represent whanau and community view and be part of the school going forward in today's world.

Week four MANA Focus:

Korero pai e ngā wā katoa



A great focus to have while focusing on the way we interact with each other. At the start of the term classes reviewed their classroom treaties / rights and responsibilities and this focus follows on nicely with the looking at how they interact verbally with each other.

BOOK AWARDS this week is for “**Encouraging and supporting peers to make good choices**”

Room 2 - Layla Clarke-Haupapa, **Room 3** - Nikau Pirini, Kameron Newport, **Room 4** - Vickie Lee Mehana Baldwin, **Room 8** - Catiele Rodrigues, **Room 11** - Aotea Broughton

PRINCIPAL AWARDS were given to Grace Waiariki - **Room 4**, Jahliya O'Reilly - **Room 2**, Lincoln Elliott - **Room 8** and Anaru Waiariki - **Room 11**

Congratulations to you all, keep up the good work