



## Pirinoa School

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### Week 8

Tēnā koutou katoa

As usual, there have been lots of things happening at Pirinoa School, which makes it a creative and inspiring school to a part of.

Our students have been busy preparing acts and organising the upcoming Pirinoa X-Factor. Please join us by heading down to the Community Hall this evening at 6.30 to support all of the acts. I'm sure it will be an exciting and entertaining night!

The senior hockey team played in their annual tournament yesterday and did a great job. We always have a range of experience in our sports teams, but when our players support each other and give it 100%, they are a real challenge to play against. It was awesome to see Leah refereeing, Aleesha playing, and Sonya coaching all in the same game, and from the same family!

The whole school is taking part in the Science Roadshow at Kuranui College today. Thank you to all of the parents who have volunteered to help out with transport and supervision. It should be a valuable learning opportunity for all students.

Jess Donges and others are well on the way with the planning for this year's annual Pet Day. We are planning on having a Working Bee on Saturday 12th October (last Saturday of the holidays) at 9am to ensure the school is in great shape for this special event. If you can't make it and still want to help out, please come and ask for a job to complete another day or pull out some weeds around the school.

It's always great to see our students getting involved in a range of activities that they are interested in and showing creativity inside and outside the classroom. As we are nearing the end of the term, please ensure your children have enough sleep to get them through each day as positively as possible.

Hopefully I will see you all tonight!

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### ROOM 1 NEWS

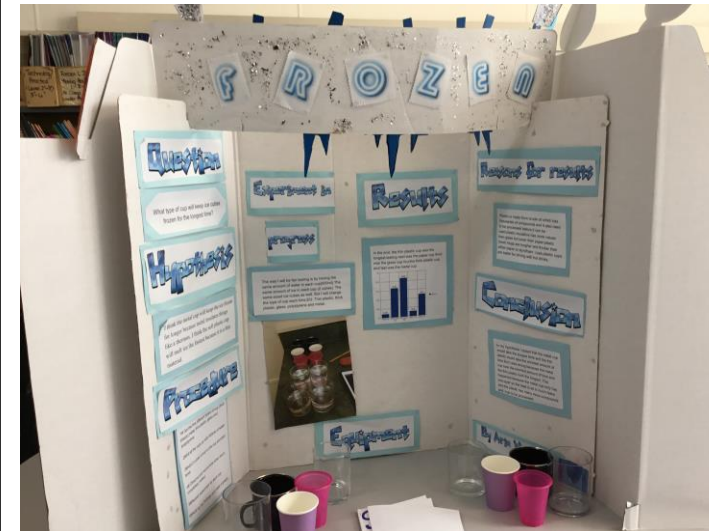
We have been using computers to research, write and publish facts about animals: Rakau wrote, "There are more shark attacks near California. Sharks in cold water can activate an organ next to their eyes. It heats up their eyes to hunt better in colder water. Dog fish can swim while they sleep. The dog fish can swim around someone when they sleep in the sea.

### ROOM 2 NEWS

It's a nice shady spring day and I am sitting under a nice green leaf.  
A few days later I turn into a lovely black and orange caterpillar that loves the hot summer days. I have three body parts.  
I close my eyes in my green chrysalis. Now I am a lovely black and orange, flying monarch butterfly. I love the spring and I love to help.  
My favourite snack is a nice juicy fruit and some yellow nectar from fresh flowers.  
I live for six weeks. I lay my eggs and then I die.

By Lily

### ROOM 3 NEWS



### Upcoming Events

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> September – Pirinoa School X-Factor.

Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> September – Rippa Rugby Masterton

Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> September - All Blacks first game of World Cup.

Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> September – Kapa Haka Festival.

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> September – End of Term.

### FRIDAY SAUSAGE SIZZLE & JUICIES

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

## AWARD WINNERS

### WEEK 8 LEARNING AWARDS

**PRINCIPAL'S AWARD:** Amanda Jephson for showing skill and determination on the hockey turf.

**ROOM 1:** Rakau Watson Morell for using his manners in class.

**ROOM 2:** Mereana Watson Morell for being helpful, kind and friendly all the time.

**ROOM 3:** Maiyah Fellerhoff for outstanding results in her literacy test.

**PLAYGROUND AWARD:** Maiyah Fellerhoff for doing great in the reading test.



### Room 2 Knitting Club



The Land Girl opens next Thursday for our new season! Thursday school lunches are back on the menu; \$7.50 Ham cheese toasty and hot chocolate for lunch, \$10 Seasonal fruit and slice for morning tea and ham cheese toasty and hot chocolate for lunch. Text orders to 0272709304 before 9am. Internet banking available - just text for account or pop in to pay.

Spring hours are: Thursday 8.30 to 3, Friday 8.30 to 3, Saturday 9 to 4, Sunday 9 to 3.

Open Friday 27th until 9pm for platters and drinks. Text to book for a meal or swing by for a drink to meet your neighbours. Follow us on Instagram and Facebook for updates.



