



# Pirinoa School

Inspired, Confident, Proud Tamariki

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## Week 2

Tēnā koutou katoa,

-The school year 2020 has begun and we have welcomed several new students to Pirinoa School. Welcome back to Manaia, Mereana, Rakau, Hazel and Shayla and welcome to Romy, Maru and Oliver. This takes our roll to 42 students and we are expecting two more New Entrants this term.

Pirinoa School has two new staff members. The Board of Trustees has appointed Sue Fleming as Acting Principal for Term 1 and Elizabeth Rudd as Room 2's teacher. Both are finding their feet and enjoying the opportunity to meet the students and the school community. They are also enjoying the area where they live and work.

-The **school Facebook** is up and running. A reminder that this platform is for parents use only. This site will give information regarding trips, information about sports outings and other activities.

Pirinoa School is a **sun smart** school. The students have been issued with a sunhat each. This must be worn at school while students are outside. It is NOT to go home with your child. If the hat is worn to an event outside school, the hats will be collected by the class teacher and returned to your child at school. Each hat has been named. It is a very smart accessory and looks great with our school uniform.

-**Stationary accounts** will be sent out to those families that have purchased stationary. The cost of the hat will be added to this account as it is a necessary item of school clothing.

-**Fuels for Schools** Due to the generosity of our community Pirinoa School has been able to purchase three Chrome books for the school. The scheme works through nominating our school who in turn is given points. These points accumulate and we are then able to use them to purchase equipment.

We are most appreciative of this scheme and thank the following subscribers:

**Turanganui Ltd**

**Raho Ruru Romney Limited**

**Gleniti Romneys Limited**

**MK & MP Tipoki**

**Palliser Bay Station**

**Yeronga Ltd**

**Tauanui Farm Limited**

**Pirinoa Station Limited**

**Haurangi Heartland Limited**

**Elan Fishing Ventures Limited**

-Buses Wayne the bus driver has had a meeting with me regarding the buses and the behaviour that is expected while students are travelling to and from school. Congratulations to Romy and Manaia (Y7 tamariki) who have been appointed bus monitors on the South bus route. The school expects students to sit quietly in their seats, to keep their hands to themselves and be courteous at all times. For some tamariki it is a long time to sit on the bus but we have discussed bus behaviour this week and they do know what the expectation is. The principal will monitor the bus during the term.

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Sue Fleming  
Principal

## ROOM 1 NEWS

First we put mentos in the coke. It exploded.  
We put mentos in the pepsi. It exploded.

By Kymani



## ROOM 3 NEWS

In a town called Spotty Dotty there was a girl called Molly.

Spotty Dotty was the happiest town in the world with the happiest people ...but Molly was the unhappiest girl in the world. Molly spent her days cleaning gutters for people \$3 per day. Molly was homeless and couldn't afford a house or much food or clothes.

After many days of working she could afford a book.

I know it doesn't sound like much but she heard people talking about it, they said the book was called the book that made your dreams come true. Molly had always wanted to be a princess. Molly ran to her cardboard box to get her money. Molly got to the library and went looking for the book. Molly saw a sign that said fix your problems. Molly walked down the aisle she saw the book and grabbed it. She went to the librarian and gave her the money. Molly went to her cardboard box and opened the book she read turned into a princess spell. She read the spell and then went to sleep. Molly woke up and saw she was in a palace. The book was right she would turn into a princess. She got out of bed and looked in her closet there were ball gowns hanging on hangers she picked out a pink dress and pink slippers. Molly tied her hair with a pink bow. She went out to the garden. There were Beautiful rose Coloured flowers. Molly walked down to a stream where swans were swimming. Molly walk map to the Palace and had a muffin.

Molly was very happy that she finally got to be a princess. Molly spent her days like a princess and lived happily ever after.

By Willow

## ROOM 2 NEWS

In Room 2 this fortnight, we've been busy settling into the classroom and the New Year. I've loved getting to know everyone, and hearing their stories! These photos show us getting a few splashes of colour about the place. Kendra and Ursula tried their hand at sewing for our library corner; Caleb, Emma and Jesse decorated our plant pots, and everyone else had a lot of fun painting our book and shoe shelves.



## AWARD WINNERS

**Room 1: Ryan Jope** who has stepped up to help in many different ways.

**Room 2: Matai Andersen** for a fantastic start to his goal of being a role model.

**Room 3: Lily Donges** for being helpful and kind to others.

**Principal Award: Aria Whiteman, Alec McDowall, Nakcha Robinson and Aleesha Hume** for great leadership.



The Land Girl school lunches are back \$10 for Seasonal fruit and slice for morning tea and ham cheese toasty and hot

chocolate for lunch.

\$7.50 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.

## Pirinoa School are delighted to welcome two new amazing staff members!

Elizabeth Rudd in Room 2 and Sue Fleming as our Acting Principal.

We are very excited to have you two lovely ladies!

