



Pirinoa School ~ *Vibrant and Successful learning*

Te kakama, te momoho o te ako

Newsletter ~ 21st October 2016 Week 2 Term 4

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Kia Ora Whanau

What an explosive start to the last term of the year. Last Friday was our Lamb & Calf and what a great day it was, the children's arts/crafts and animals were amazing and you could tell that the children had put in a lot of effort to have their pets ready for the day. I was a little worried for a moment when the rain started to come down but we managed to get it in. A big thank you to all that came along and supported the day and for buying a sausage - we made \$320 on the BBQ!!

The children looked absolutely amazing yesterday in their Kapa Haka uniforms, I've had many people and schools comment on how great they looked, well worth the investment. The children performed with excellence and pride. They made me very proud and it's great that 96% of the school were up there giving their best. A special thank you to Jo Love for her awesome tutoring.

Our latest fundraiser over at the Didsbury Woolshed on Wednesday was a huge success. It was a great evening and seemed to run very well. A big thanks to all that helped and for supplying food, equipment, auction items etc, which meant that we could keep costs down. We raised \$2400 so that's very impressive. A special thank you to Andrea for organizing the event.

Our term has started busy and will continue to do so. Some important dates to remember are: Wednesday the 2nd of November is the Kapa Haka world record attempt, Thursday the 3rd of November is Cluster Athletics and on the 24th of November it is our School Production, starting at 6pm.

Your Principal
Troy Anderson

| OCTOBER | | | | | | | | | |
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| 16 | 17 | 18 | Kapa Haka Festival | 19 | Kapa Haka Festival | 20 | 21 | 22 | |
| 23 | Labour Day School Closed | 24 | Board mtg Yr7/8 technology | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | |
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| NOVEMBER | | | | | | | | | |
| | Yr7/8 technology | 1 | Kapa Haka World record attempt | 2 | Cluster Athletics | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| 7 | 8 | 9 | | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | | |
| 14 | Yr7/8 technology | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | | |
| 21 | 22 | 23 | School Production 6pm | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | | |

Did you know:

✓ **SAUSAGE SIZZLE:**

Thank you to Sara for cooking our sausage sizzle today. Please check your roster for your next turn at cooking our sausage sizzle. If in doubt, ring school, we have a master list. We still need someone to do 18th and 25th November please.

✓ **SCHOLASTIC BOOK CLUB:** Orders together with payment are due at school no later than Tuesday 1st November.

✓ **MARTINBOROUGH JUNIOR TENNIS COACHING:** For more information phone Penny Kirkup 021 378978 or Marco de Groot 021 566 489.

✓ **WATTIES Cans for Good:** We will be collecting cans to help fill Salvation Army foodbanks on Friday 18th November. Please send your donation to school by then.

STORY FROM ROOM 1

– by Willow Macdonald.

Yesterday we went to the Carterton Events Centre. We had new costumes for Kapa Haka. Mum was there. I got a lollipop from Amanda.

ROOM 2 NEWS

Spring is here winter is gone, we all want to hear a happy song,

We can smell the blooming of the flowers, when they release their special powers,
The springy air is here with a flare leaving behind a bit of cold air,

Spring is here to do BBQ's
And to let the grill spill the air. **SPRING IS HERE!!!**By Indy & Olivia



WEEK 9 LEARNING AWARDS

PRINCIPAL'S AWARD: TE ATAWHAI LOVE – Te Atawhai you were absolutely amazing at the Kapa Haka yesterday. You lead that school with ease and showed a great level of maturity. Well done - you are a born leader.

ROOM 3: LEAH TURTON - Leah you were amazing at Kapa Haka yesterday, I knew you were nervous but you did a great job. Well Done.

ROOM 2: KALA BAIRD - Kala you have proved that you are a very diligent worker. As a result, you have made great progress in your running record results. Your attention to detail in your reading activities has paid off, Your comprehension is of a very high standard. You are always willing to do your work in any subject and try your very best! Well done.

ROOM 1: WILLOW MACDONALD – For independent work, showing initiative and helping others.

YEAR 8 PLAYGROUND AWARD: CHARLOTTE JEPHSON – Keeping to the Pirinoa PATH.

FROM ROOM 3.

We have been learning about different types of poems. This week we were learning about acrostic poems. Here is some of the students' work.

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A nimal
V et
A wesome
N ice
H mazing
H appy

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U niverse
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