



Karaka School

EMBRACING LEARNING. BUILDING RESILIENCE. ACHIEVING EXCELLENCE.

"Ka whangaia, ka tupu, ka puawai."

No. 15

24th June 2020

Newsletter

Principal's Note

Week 11, Term 2 2020

Kia ora and welcome to this fortnight's newsletter.

CELEBRATING LEARNING & ACHIEVEMENT

Welcome

We are excited to announce appointments for the teaching positions beginning next term. Mrs Meagan Vorster is looking forward to joining forces with Mrs Jenny Glover to work alongside our Pateke learners. Mrs Vorster is an experienced teacher who most recently taught at ACG Strathallan. Mrs Glover is well known to us all and a familiar face for the Pateke learners. Mrs Vorster will be working Monday to Wednesday and Mrs Glover Thursday and Friday. Another familiar face to join our teaching team is Mr George Glover who will be working with Mrs Sutton in Mangopare alongside our Intermediate learners. Mr Glover is an experienced teacher and educational leader. His array of curriculum strengths and diverse skill sets will add value to our Intermediate programme. Over the next week both Mrs Vorster and Mr Glover will be spending time with our learners and their co teachers to ensure that the transition for our learners is as smooth as possible.

We look forward to officially welcoming them to our team!

Farewell Assembly

On Thursday the 2nd of July at 1.45pm we will be holding a farewell assembly for Mrs Corlett and Ms Reimer. If you would like to join us in wishing them both all the very best for their next journey, we would love to see you.

Good News Call of the Week:

Congratulations to Harrison S who was last week's Good News Call of the Week! Harrison is a responsible and mature learner at our school. He is respectful and strives for excellence in all he does. Harrison you are a role model for our values of respect (whakaute) and excellence (hiranga) - we are very proud of you!



Nga mihi nui, Sarah Hynds

sarahh@karaka.school.nz



19th September 2020

Trophies—Please return trophies won at last years Ag Day. Please return them to school in a **clean and undamaged condition**.

Entry form and Information Booklet—This was sent via email last week. Coming home this week you will receive a hard copy of the booklet.

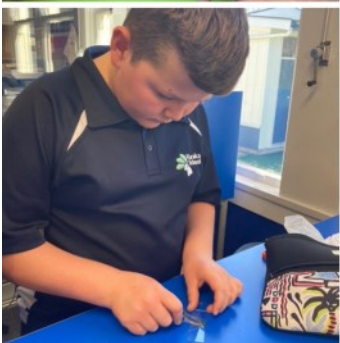
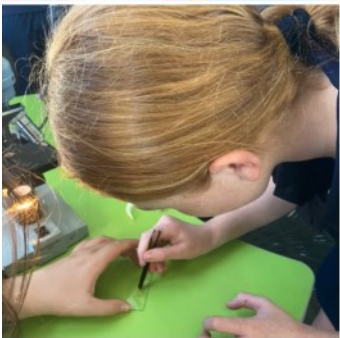
Next Meeting—Tuesday 21st July 7.00pm in the staffroom

**CHICKEN ORDERS
AND PAYMENTS DUE
THURSDAY 2ND JULY**



Congratulations Nelly

Nelly's work got published in "Beyond Belief An Anthology of New Zealand—Intermediate School Writing 2020."



Botany—Study of Plants - Students are learning how to use a microscope to focus on a specimen, and then creating a slide specimen for others to view.

STEM Week (Intermediate Students)

STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics) focuses on teaching these disciplines together not separately.

- Uses real world problem based learning to connect the STEM subjects together
- Is based around the 5 E's:
 - * Engagement
 - * Exploration
 - * Explanation
 - * Extension
 - * Evaluation
- Units involve hands on science experiments
- Include NCEA style assessment aspects

This week Mangopare's focus for STEM is Botany (Living World).

They will then work individually or in pairs to research a botany topic of their choice and present their findings in a presentation of their choice.

Whittaker's Chocolate Bars

\$2.00

The Intermediate students will be selling chocolate bars after school each day to help fundraise money for Sports Camp.

Please bring along your spare change to help support these students.



Cross Country Parent Helpers

We are needing more parent helpers to help out next Wednesday from 9.00am.

Please email Kim (kims@karaka.school.nz) if you are able to help in any way. We will try to rotate you so you will be able to see your own children run.

KARAKA SCHOOL PRESENTS GUMBOOT TUESDAY

TUESDAY 30TH JUNE

The School Council has organised a Gumboot Day to raise funds for
“I AM HOPE” supporting Kiwi Kids in need.

Come along in your uniform but wearing your Gumboots and bring a
gold coin donation

(Gumboot Friday was during Lockdown however we have rescheduled this event as we feel it
is a worthwhile fundraiser)



First Aid Kits

Thank you everyone who supported this fundraiser recently. We still have a few Large kits available if anyone wants to purchase one—\$39.95. Please call into the office to have a look.



Roll Return Day—WEDNESDAY 1st July

If your child is absent on this day, can the office be provided with a note (either via email, our website or written).

This happens twice a year and is a Ministry requirement.



PTA News

Lunchroom

Don't forget Sushi every Tuesday....

And for Friday, Orange Cool Sips—we are currently out of stock, we get them back in the first week of Term 3.

Mince pie—we now have only one type of Mince Pie—the price is \$3.00.

When ordering on Friday, remember to include your **child's name and room name** on your order form and anything required for morning tea has to be taken during the morning when you are ordering. Deliveries to the class are only made at lunchtime.

Thank you everyone for your support over Term 2 and watch out for any announcements on new products next term.

Next Meeting

Wednesday 1st July 7.00pm in the staff room. This will also be available as a zoom meeting. New faces are always welcome! If you want the zoom link, email us to request.

Any questions/fundraising ideas you can email us on karaka.pta@gmail.com.
The Karaka School PTA account is **12-3031-0851231-00**
To order a uniform please download the form from the website and email it to uniformshop.karaka@gmail.com

Reminder Dates

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| 29 June | BOT meeting |
| 30 June | Gumboot Tuesday |
| 01 July | School Cross Country |
| 02 July | Save day for cross country, Farewell Assembly 1.45pm |
| 02 July | Term 2 Ends |
| 03 July | Teacher Only Day—Curriculum Development |
| 20 July | Term 3 Starts |
| 21 July | AG Day Meeting 7pm in the Staffroom |

Community Notices



KAS

KIDS AFTER SCHOOL

July Holiday Programme

Holidays again? Time to book in to keep the boredom at bay!

Send the kids along for excitement & entertainment at your local KAS Programme!

Celebrate winter with a onesie party or indoor Nerf battle!

Cook up a storm with KAS Pâtisserie & sushi lessons! Learn a little magic, spread some kindness & enjoy our version of a drive-in movie!

For more information & bookings visit us at:


www.kidsafterschool.co.nz

Any questions please call our office on 09 236 4078

MSD Social Sector Level 3 Accreditation

WINZ subsidies available for eligible families

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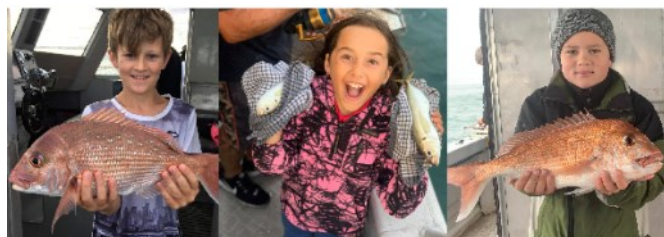
ZUMBA® WITH Annabel
 Zumba® Class Tuesdays @ 6 PM
 Karaka School Hall
 \$5

Kids Prizes

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Presents

Take A Kid Fishing



July School Holidays | Take A Kid Fishing

Kids Prize for the Biggest Fish

For Info & Bookings

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Karaka ART & YOGA School Holiday Program



HOUSE OF HARMONY and YOGA TAMARIKI

are teaming up together
to provide a unique
holiday program for your
tamariki.



7 & 16 July, 9am-4pm, age 5-12 years

Venue:

Karaka War Memorial Hall,
321 Linwood Road, RD 1,
Papakura, Auckland 2580

7 July Theme - SEA'S THE DAY!

16 July Theme - A JOURNEY IN NATURE

A fun-filled creative day, packed with a variety of activities - creating nature inspired art to take home, Exploring Yoga & Mindfulness activities through interactive movement and games. Learn breathing techniques, these can be amazing coping strategies to help children manage with a variety of feelings.

Bring Lunch, Snacks and a Water bottle, everything else will be supplied.

Bookings are essential - Limited numbers!

Non refundable deposit of \$40 per child per day to secure spot.

Price per day - \$70, additional siblings - \$60 each

Viktoriya & Shelley are both certified Yoga and Kids Yoga teachers.

For further information visit our Karaka ART & YOGA School Holiday
Program Facebook group page

or

Phone Shelley 0273572804; Email: telshel@xtra.co.nz

Phone Viktoriya 0223143203; Email: viktoriyamateva@gmail.com





July Holiday Shooting Clinics

AUCKLAND CLINICS

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| Clinic 1 - Year 5/6 | Stage 1 | Mon 6-Wed 8 | 9-11am | Saint Kentigern Girls' School Hall |
| Clinic 2 - Year 7-9 | Stage 1 | Mon 6-Wed 8 | 9-11am | John Wigglesworth Sports Centre, St Cuthberts |
| Clinic 3 - Year 10-13 | Stage 1 | Mon 6-Wed 8 | 12- 2pm | John Wigglesworth Sports Centre, St Cuthberts |
| Clinic 4 - Year 7-13 | Stage 2 | Mon 6-Wed 8 | 3-5pm | John Wigglesworth Sports Centre, St Cuthberts |

NORTH SHORE CLINICS - Barfoot and Thompson Netball Centre

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| Clinic 5 - Year 7-9 | Stage 1 | Mon 13- Wed 15 | 1.30-3:30pm |
| Clinic 6 - Year 10-13 | Stage 1 | Mon 13- Wed 15 | 4:30-6:30pm |

STRUCTURE OF THE CLINICS

STAGE ONE

- Learn the fundamentals of an accurate shooting technique
- Learn how to train as a shooter and how to track your progress
- Develop footwork and movement in and around the shooting circle
- Learn powerful, positive mindset strategies and how to implement them for success

STAGE TWO

(Must have attended 2 or more of our stage one shooting clinics)

- Explore different shooting based scenarios and learn how to train for them
- Develop a variety of pre-movement strategies in and around the circle
- Learn the roles and court specific movements of a GS and a GA and how they work together

Limited spaces!

\$150 per clinic

Email

shootingclinic.swish@gmail.com
to register and secure your spot



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SCHOOL HOLIDAY PERFORMING ARTS WORKSHOP



Be part of our Performing Arts Workshops in the School Holidays!

This is a fun yet educational week for students aged 5 - 15 years.
Students participate in a range of performing arts classes, concluding
the week with a performance!



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WWW.ARTZONSHOW.CO.NZ
HAYLEY@ARTZONSHOW.CO.NZ

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OR ANY SPECIAL OCCASIONS**

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