



Karaka School

EMBRACING LEARNING. BUILDING RESILIENCE. ACHIEVING EXCELLENCE.

"Ka whangaia, ka tupu, ka puawai."

No. 8

6th May 2020

Newsletter

Principal's Note

Week 4, Term 2 2020

Kia ora and welcome to this fortnight's newsletter.

CELEBRATING LEARNING & ACHIEVEMENT

Kia ora and welcome to our third 'Distance Learning' Newsletter!

Celebrating Learning and Achievement:

We continue to be impressed with the level of engagement with online learning. We know that this has been new learning for us all so this week we want to celebrate our 'at home teachers' - YOU! You are doing an incredible job navigating the digital platforms, providing guidance and encouragement, ensuring zoom meetings are attended as well as juggling the teaching with your own work from home. Thank you all - we appreciate your support!

Important Updates:

This Thursday we expect to hear what the new Alert Level 2 will look like. Following this announcement the Ministry of Education will provide more specific guidelines for schools. We will then begin to plan for this move so that should the Prime Minister announce the move to Level 2 on Monday, we will be prepared. Below is a timeline based on the information we currently have at hand.



What will happen	What we will do	How you can help
<p>Thursday 7 May PM will announce guidelines for the 'new' Level 2</p>	<p>Read/watch the announcement and begin to think about what the return to school might look like at the 'new' Level 2.</p>	<p>Read/watch the announcement and ask any questions you may have.</p>
<p>Friday 8 May MoE will provide further detail for schools</p>	<p>Read/watch the announcement. Use this specific information to make a plan for a return to Level 2.</p>	<p>Read/watch any relevant reports to ensure you are well informed.</p> <p>Ask any questions you may have.</p>
<p>Monday 11 May Prime Minister will announce if the country will move to Alert Level 2</p>	<p>Formalise the plans for a move to Level 2 should this be confirmed. OR Continue with distance learning should we remain at Level 3.</p>	<p>Please check your emails for any correspondence from us and respond as asked as soon as possible.</p>
<p>Tuesday 12 May MoE will update schools with any new information as a result of the Prime Minister's announcement</p>	<p>Read any new information. Communicate relevant information to our school families.</p>	<p>Should we be moving to Level 2, you will be asked to confirm your attendance. Please do this as soon as possible so we can be well prepared.</p>

Good News Call of the Week:

Congratulations to Stephania E-V who was last week's Good News Call of the Week! Stephania impressed us all with her commitment to her own distance learning through pursuing excellence in all that she does. In particular Stephania has persevered with her math learning, asking questions and seeking support and as a result has made excellent progress.

Thanks Stephania for showing our value of Akoranga (learning) and Hirangia (excellence) - we are proud of you!

Nga mihi nui, Sarah Hynds

Principal@karaka.school.nz

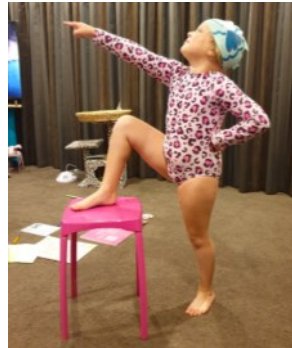
Lucky Book Club - Scholastic Orders

All orders placed for Issue 2 (end of Term 1) have now arrived and will be held at school for collection once school resumes. Once Issue 3 is available for orders we will let you know. Stay safe.



Photolife

Class, sibling and individual photos were taken before lockdown. At this stage we are **still waiting** to receive the "Shoot Key Codes" from Photolife so you can complete your online ordering.



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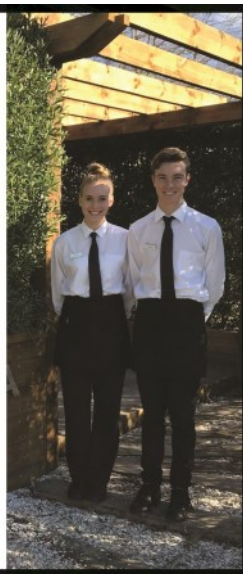
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