

TERM DATES 2013

Term 2: Monday 6 May – Friday 12 July

Term 3 Monday 29 July – Friday 27 September

Term 4: Monday 14 October – Friday 20 Dec

Ngatimoti Festival Day Sunday 27 October

Labour Day Holiday Monday 28 October



Term 2 Week 8 Newsletter

Wednesday 26 June 2013

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY	REMINDERS
<p>MOTUEKA LIBRARY VISITS</p> <p style="text-align: center;">TERM TWO</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1 July Room 5</p> <p style="text-align: center;">8 July Room 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Book Club Issue 4 brochures out now: Orders will be placed this Fri 28 June. BOT Meeting tonight at 6pm. <p>SAUSAGE SIZZLE THIS FRIDAY LUNCH - \$2 each</p> <p>Our enviro group will be sizzling more sausages this Friday to raise further funds for their projects. Please bring \$2 on Friday if you would like one for your lunch.</p>	<p>Thank you for all your School Donations! For 2013 these are set at \$25 for one child at school; \$40 for 2 children and a maximum donation of \$50 per family.</p> <p>Room 4 School library day is now Thursdays. Please help your child to remember to return books from the previous week.</p> <p>Mouthguards must be worn to play tackle rugby at lunchtimes (Y6 & above).</p> <p>Miniball Both our teams play at 5pm this Friday 28 June. TEAMS FOR TERM 3 MINIBALL ARE BEING FORMED NOW – REGISTER YOUR NAME WITH MR DUNN OR THE SCHOOL OFFICE</p> <p>ROOM 1 & 2 SCIENCE Students in Rooms 1 & 2 are preparing for their Science Fair and will need to use display boards as we did last year. These can be purchased from school for \$10 each if you would like your own to keep.</p> <p>Room 2 is looking for black outdoor paint or furniture stain for their raised strawberry garden made from recycled pallets for the Upcycle competition</p> <p>Information Booklets, school photos and Boredom Buster magazines are being sent home today with newsletters. If there is anything you think we have missed from our revised school information booklet, please let us know so that we can include it for next time. If you would like a pdf version please let Amanda know.</p> <p>WOF Time? If you have your vehicle WOF done at Parkes Automotive in July, Aug or September they will donate \$5 per test to your chosen school. Choose Ngatimoti! ☺</p>
<p>HAPPY BIRTHDAY!</p> <p>Best Wishes to Ethan who celebrates his 9th Birthday on Friday. Have fun!!</p>	<p>Room 5 – Terms 3 & 4</p> <p>Heather Reid will be on leave for Terms 3 and 4, and Cheryl Isles will be teaching in Room 5 for this time. All the best for your travels in Europe, Heather! Mrs. Isles will be at school tomorrow if any parents would like to pop in to meet her ☺</p>



Lunches Following our recent food and nutrition unit, it is great to see so many students with fantastic lunches. One thing we have noticed though is that junior students often have more food than many older students. We suggest that, as a minimum, all students should have the equivalent of sandwiches and a piece of fruit for lunch. As well, all should have some morning tea and most need something for after school too. It is great to develop independence, but it seems that a few students do not pack themselves enough to eat. You might like to check on this!



Room 1 created some awesome sand art at Rabbit Island last week! Today Rooms 1 & 2 are visiting the Roman Machines exhibition at the museum and also Brook Sanctuary in Nelson.

Lucky!



Thanks to last year's Festival we were lucky to have Bob Bickerton come and perform his eclectic mix of musical entertainment last week! **Next Tuesday** we will be treated to another live performance – this time "The Big Sad Wolf" by NZ Playhouse!!

SCIENCE IS COOL AND

CLEVER.

IT IS INTERESTING TO LEARN.

EXPERIMENTS ARE EXCITING.

NOW TRY MY EXPERIMENT BELOW, BE

CAREFUL NOT TO GET WET!

ENJOY!

Our **Science Fair** for Room 1 & 2 students and parents is scheduled for Wednesday 10 July – more details to follow.

The final **Māori Culture Club** will take place next Monday 1 July at the Marae. Thanks to all who have been involved with this!



Joelle's dad keeps warm watching the brave mid-winter swimmers last Friday!



Ruben demonstrates his 'defying gravity' experiment. Very cool! He also wrote the acrostic poem above as part of his Rm 3 homework.

Book Quiz Good luck to our 2 teams of Years 5 & 6 students for tomorrow's book quiz in Motueka!

Inter-School Gymnastics at Motueka Rec Centre.
Grade A competition: Thursday 4 July for selected Year 7 & 8 students
Grade B: Friday 5 July for Year 4- 6 students.
Parent transport and supervision will be required. If you are able to help out please let us know. Thanks!!

NETBALL All matches were cancelled last week. The match draw for this week is as follows:

Diamonds	Stars	Future Ferns
Play at 1pm. Please be at the courts by 12.15pm	Play at 12pm. Please be at the courts by 11.15pm	Play at 10am. Please be at the courts at 9.30am

Netball parents: Our fundraising day at the netball courts is **Saturday 6 July**. We will be asking for donations of baking to sell on the day and parent volunteers to 'man' the stall from 9am – 3pm on that day. Please let Lou or Dianne know if you are able to help. Thanks!

NGATIMOTI PARENTS GROUP Thanks to your time and baking we are able to provide cakes every Friday for \$1 each. On your duty day please be at school at 12.30pm with 20 pieces of cake or slice. If you cannot make it you can send your baking into school for us to serve or swap with another parent, but please do let us know at school. \$1 cake. Please send money in a named purse if possible.

TERM TWO PARENT CAKE ROSTER

28 June – Meeka Gibbins, Julie Ann Allely, Rachel Gorrill

5 July – Tracey Harrison, Vanessa Hatton, Bridgit Knowles

12 July – Elaine Haycock, Nicola Heckler, Liz Rajnai

Community News

Peninsula Bridge Centenary Celebrations

This community celebration is being held on **Sat 6 July**. As a school we think it is important to participate in this celebration and so we will have art on display in the Ngatimoti Memorial Hall and we hope as many students as possible make the effort to come along on the day. Check the MVA newsletter for general plans for the day.

Go Potty This Holiday!

Creative Pottery Workshop for kids aged 7-13

A two part workshop of fun using your imagination with clay.

Workshop 1: Mon 15/Tues 16 July 1 - 4pm

Learn about coiling/slab/pinch pots and have a whirl on the wheel.

Workshop 2: Approx Thurs 25/Fri 26 July 1 - 3pm dates tbc

Learn about decorating and glazing.

Your creations will be fired and ready to collect a week later. Cost per child \$70 for both workshops. Discounts given for siblings.

Includes all materials and morning tea. Contact: Julie 526 8798 joolzart@kinect.co.nz

**For rent:
2-bdr-house in lovely setting
in Ngatimoti**

(5-min walk to school)
Adjacent workshop also
available.

Not suitable for toddlers. No
dogs, cats welcome.
References and bond
required.

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