

TERM DATES

Term 3: Mon 21 July – Friday 26 September

Term 4: Mon 13 Oct – Wed 17 December

Ngatimoti Festival Day Sun 26 October



Term 3 Week 3 Newsletter

Wednesday 6 August 2014

Rāapa 6 Here-turi-kōkā 2014


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**Indigo Year 6 students VISIT
MOTUEKA LIBRARY next Monday
11 August.**

ROCK DA HOUSE!

All choir performers have the chance to buy 2 tickets for the show @ \$10 each. PLEASE let Amanda know ASAP if you wish to buy your allocated tickets as we have a waiting list for spare tickets. Our performance night for the Rock Da House choir is TUESDAY 19 AUGUST with a dress rehearsal on the morning of Monday 18 August at the MOTUEKA MEMORIAL HALL.

 *Thanks for all the glasses you have sent in so far. We are still looking for another 15 pairs to wear as an important part of our costumes for the show. If you have any old sunglasses or 3d glasses we would appreciate it if you would donate them to school. Please note, we will pop out the lenses so please don't send glasses you need returned! Thank you.*

- **School Donations.** Thanks to those parents who have paid these already. For 2014, rates have been set at \$25 per child, \$40 for two children and a \$50 maximum donation per family for 2014.

- **MOTEC Payments.** Thank you to those Y7 & 8 parents who have paid Motec fees. For 2014 these are \$60 per student. If you have yet to pay you may do so by direct credit, cash or cheque payable to Ngatimoti School. Thank you.

- **Book Club Issue 5** Brochures are available now from the office. Orders will be placed on **Friday 15 August**

- MINIBALL

The Hawks got off to a good start last week – this Friday's game is at 5pm. Please pay your \$15 to the office if you have not yet done so. Thank you.

- **BOT Meeting** Tonight 6 August at 6pm



The brave senior students, and Mr Leenhouders, who completed the mid-winter swim in the school pool last week. Not as cold as previous years – the water was 5 degrees warm!



ROOM 3 REQUEST Thanks to those parents who sent in weighing scales today for cooking. We are going to do this again on Friday so if possible we would like students to bring in a **named set of weighing scales** for the day. Thanks!

Tackle Rugby 7s Tournament

Next Tuesday 12 August. For selected Year 5 & 6 students. Please return your permission slips asap. Thanks!

WINTER TOURNAMENT VOLUNTEERS WANTED

The interschools winter sports tournament is coming up on 9 & 10 September and we will need a few parents to help supervise and possibly transport on both days. Seniors compete on Tuesday 9th, with the junior competition running on Wednesday 10th for years 5 and above. Please let us know if you are available to help on either of these days. Thank you.

ENVIRO REQUESTS A new term of Environmental studies begins next week (not last week as previously stated!) We are looking for the following items to enable us to complete these projects and would be very grateful for donations of: **Plastic bottles – any shape, size or colour. Dahlia bulbs – preferably red, yellow, orange or white. Untreated timber off-cuts.**

Report Reviews

Many thanks to the 31 families who have returned the report review form. Congratulations to Charlotte Fairless for being the winner of the 'mystery prize'!

OUR NEW MURAL IS UP!
Huge thanks to Julie Edwards for this latest most beautiful creation, with the theme **PRECIOUS ENERGY**. Come and see it for yourself!



More fantastic creative writing from our Whizz Kids! ☺

Pirate Soup

Oil for cooking Seaweed Shark eyes Prisoner's blood Salty sea water A rats tail Red eyes Sea spiders Slimy frog skins Crunchy bones	Slimy seaweed Shark blood Fish eyes Crab meat 20 cups of salty sea water	Cabbage An orange Salty sea water Spider eyes A shark tooth Fish bones Fish blood	Spiders Fish eyes Salty sea water Rats bones Shark fins Fish tails Human blood
Boil together on the galley stove. Eat with hard rotten biscuits. Down the hatch!	Boil for 10 minutes. Eat with a spoon. Down the hatch!	Put it in a pot on the galley stove to simmer for two hours. Eat with your fingers. Down the hatch!	Put it in a pot and cook it on the stove. Eat with mouldy bread. Down the hatch!
By Tawn	By Amy	By Sherrilee	By Willow

NETBALL NEWS

This Saturday 9 August: Bryn and Rowena are on umpire duty at 10am

Ngatimoti Ferns play at 10am, please be at the courts at 9.30
Ngatimoti Diamonds play at 12pm, please be at the courts at 11.15am
Ngatimoti Stars play at 2pm, please be at the courts at 1.15pm

The Stars are also on court duty at 3pm

Well done to our players of the day for last week:

Tasmin for the Ferns

Leigh for the Stars

Tui for the Diamonds

Staff and Students of
MOTUEKA HIGH SCHOOL
Invite Year 8 students and parents to our
Open Evening.
Tuesday 12 August 2014
6.30pm in the High School Hall.

☹ LOST AT SCHOOL ☹

Brown "Drover" pants and top - Size 6

Please bring to the office if found. Thanks!

Junior Netball - years 1-3 continue on a Thursday lunch time, please remember to send your child to school with suitable shoes for running in and a water bottle. \$10 is also now due for these sessions, Thank you to those who have already paid.

PARENT CAKE ROSTER - TERM 3 2014

Aug 1st Catherine Chick, Tanya Check, Davina Clarke

Aug 8th Ali Comins, Lauren Turner, Chell Cusack

Aug 15th Louise Dalton, Evelyn Durrant, Julie Edwards

Aug 22nd Jennifer Beatson, Sally Ferguson, Keren Smith

Sept 5th Gali Gane, Charlotte Fairless, Georgie Garland

Sept 12th Meeka Gibbons, Hobbit Goodale, Rachel Gorrill

Sept 26th Dorit Galante, Tracey Harrison, Vanessa Hatton

Sept 27th Elaine Haycock, Jude Heath, Nicola Heckler

On your duty day please bring approximately 24 pieces of cake to serve at 12.30pm. If you are unable to provide cakes for your scheduled day please swap with another parent or phone Lisa on 526 8775.

Thanks lovely parents – your baking brings in approximately \$500 per term for Parents Group funds!



Get your Warrant of Fitness done at Parkes Automotive, Motueka in August, September or October and they will donate \$5 to a school of your choice. Nominate Ngatimoti!

Daffodil Day is Friday 29 August.
Fabric daffodil pins and stickers are now available from the school office, for a donation towards the Cancer Society.



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