

NGATIMOTI SCHOOL NEWSLETTER - WEEK 5 TERM 2 2019

Tuesday 28 May - Rātū 28 Haratua

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2019 Term Dates

TERM 2: Mon 29 April - Fri 5 July

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY Mon 3 Jun

TERM 3: Mon 22 July - 27 September

TERM 4: Mon 14 October - Fri 20 Dec

FESTIVAL DAY IS SUNDAY 27 OCTOBER

Board of Trustees 2019 - 2022

At the close of nominations as the number of valid nominations was equal to the number of vacancies required to be filled, I hereby declare the following duly elected:

Parent Representatives:

Andrea Goodman, Sophie Jackson, Andy McFarland, Chops Prouting

Staff Representative: Heather Reid

Signed, Amanda Cole, Returning Officer

The first meeting for our new Board of Trustees is on Wed 12 June at 6pm.

Some dates for your diaries...

29 May TOMORROW: Teacher Strike Day - school will be closed.

30 May: ROOM 3 visit Bark Bay - more details below.

Mon 3 June: Queen's Birthday holiday - school is closed.

Tues 4 June: Year 5/6 Ripa Rugby competition at Motueka Sports Park

Friday 7 June: El Gregoe will bring his latest performance to school - 1.30pm

Friday 14 June: Rabbit Island Interschools Cross Country for qualifying students.

Students continue drama with Damara and Te Reo learning with River over the next couple of weeks, and students are training for the interschool's gymnastics competitions coming up on 20 and 21 June at the Recreation Centre, Motueka for Year 4 students and above.

Please check you have paid your school donations for 2019. Ask at the office if in doubt. Thank you for your support!



Happy Birthday

Congratulations to Madi K who will celebrate her 6th Birthday tomorrow. We hope you have lots of fun on your birthday Madi, from all of us here at school.

Our happy juniors Quinn, Aisling, Bella, Jaxon, Willow, Jayda, Madi, Pedro and Jordan. Class numbers have been low for the last week or so; we wish all of our sick students a speedy recovery!

TEACHER STRIKE DAY TOMORROW, WEDNESDAY 29 MAY Due to the nationwide teachers strike on May 29, our school will be closed for instruction. School buses will not be running. We apologise for any inconvenience this may cause for parents and caregivers.

Cross Country Unfortunately we had to postpone today's cross country race due to rain. We are hoping to hold the race next **Wednesday 5th** June in the afternoon. We will send emails / texts notifying parents if cancelled.

Room 3 Bark Bay Trip - Thursday 30 May We have our fingers crossed that the weather improves in time for Thursday's trip to Bark Bay for Mrs. Roberts and Room 3 students. Parents will receive a text, call or email if we have to postpone this trip. Please return permission forms to school as soon as possible or notify the office to give permission for your child. **Students will need to be at school ready to go at 8am on Thursday.** If you need another copy of the information that was sent home last week please ask at the office.



Nachos for sale this Friday 31 May - \$5 To continue to raise funds for Room 5 we will offer beef nachos with optional cheese, beans and sour cream for \$5 each this Friday. Please send money in a named purse along with \$1 for a cake and 50c for apple chips if you wish. Yum!! Thanks Room 5!



The junior students have been creating tiles with clay. We love Pedro's creation shown here. Ask your child what theirs is like!

Netball Well done to last week's players of the day who were **Nina, Elvie and Kalahni**. Special thanks and well done to **Ruby M, Kalahni and Sanne** who all played up above their grade last week to make up the numbers.

Junior umpires - Nola will be in again on Friday lunchtime to continue with your umpire training.

There are still some outstanding subs to be paid; please pay these asap.

There is NO NETBALL Queens Birthday weekend, wishing you all a lovely weekend off. This Wednesday school is closed, there will be no after school netball training for the Ngatimoti Ferns, Years 5 & 6.

School Photos The photographer is preparing the photos taken at school last Tuesday. In previous years we have provided a free class photo for all students who wanted one by using festival funds. We know this was well received by many parents however we have decided not to do this in 2019. This is for a number of reasons; the photographer has increased his charges and the order form he provides becomes very complicated because of the range of choices he offers. In addition, there were many absentees on photo day and we assume there will be less demand for the photos this year because of this. When you receive your photo order form in the next couple of weeks please read it carefully and order as required. Please do not pay anything to school or expect a free class photo to automatically arrive as all money goes directly to photographer Scott Kilmore. We will ensure that our festival funds are wisely spent for the benefit of all students and if you have any other suggestions we would love to hear them!

Parents Group Friday Cake Roster Our major fundraiser is our annual Festival held on the Sunday of Labour Weekend every year. In addition, every week on Fridays we have a parent roster where parents take their turn to provide cakes to sell for all students. Our parent lunch coordinator is Catherine Chick (Louie, Chico & Beau's mum) - contact 021 761 764 if you need to rearrange your cake duty day. Our baking profits raise approximately \$500 per term for our students and we know they all love their Friday cakes! Where you see your name please provide around 24 cup cakes, muffins or slices and come along at lunchtime to help serve if you are able to. If not, no problem, send in some cakes or contact Catherine.

Week 5: Friday 31 May Emma (Liam & Jack) and Rebecca (Quinn)

Week 6: Friday 7 June Kristin (Maggie) and Nic (Kiwa)

Week 7: Friday 14 June Helena (Joe) and River (Manaia)

Week 8: Friday 21 June Andrew (Mila) and Tanya (Maxwell)

Week 9: Friday 28 June Rebecca (Jaxon) and Nicola (Alexander)

Week 10: Friday 5 July Bex (Arabella & Orianna) and Mike (Hannah)

Apple Chips / Fruit Noodles for sale this Friday - 50c

Cakes will still be for sale for a dollar each - thanks parents!



Bridge Valley Holiday Camps

This Winter, here at Bridge Valley, we have our **Medieval Madness** themed children's camp from 8th - 12th July. Our camps are a fun and safe place for children to grow in all areas. We have many exciting activities at Bridge Valley, such as laser tag,

rock climbing, archery, air rifles, zip line, and more!

Overnight Combined Camp: Ages 8-13 **Blast Day Camps:**

Ages 7-13. We would love to see you here. Register on our website or contact us for more details.

www.bridgevalley.co.nz holidaycamps@bridgevalley.co.nz

Pine Cones & Pumpkins Tui, Pedro & Freddie are selling pinecones for \$5 a bag. Also available are spray free pumpkins. Small (2kg +) \$3.00 Medium (3kg +) \$4.50 Large (4kg +) \$6.00 XL (5kg +) \$7.50

Both can be delivered to school.
Txt Marian 021 2400 416 to order.

WANTED TO RENT

1 / 2 bed cottage for school family in this area.
Please text/call Tanya 021 791 778

MOTUEKA HIGH SCHOOL PRESENTS

TALENT QUEST 2019

THURSDAY MAY 30TH
MHS SCHOOL HALL

ADULTS \$10
STUDENTS \$5
PRESCHOOLERS FREE

TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM UNICHEM PHARMACY (CASH ONLY) & MHS SCHOOL OFFICE