NGATIMOTI SCHOOL NEWSLETTER - WEEK 2 TERM 4 2021



Wednesday 27 October - Raapa 27 Whiringa-ā-nuku

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TERM DATES 2021

Term Three: 26 July - 1 October Term Four: 18 October - 20 December

<u>End of Year plans</u> We plan to have our whole school assembly on Friday 17 December at Ngatimoti Memorial Hall. Monday 20 Dec is officially our last school day for 2021.



HATS ON! All students need to wear a wide-brimmed hat in Terms 4 & 1 when playing outside.

WHAT'S COMING UP?

26 & 27 Oct: Room 5 students sailing at Little Kaiteriteri

28 Oct: NZ Shake Out 9.30am

15 - 19 Nov: Room 4 students travel to Richmond for

swimming lessons every day

16 & 17 Nov: Room 5 rock climbing 18 Nov: Room 3 visit Whenua Iti

19 Nov: Year 8 Orientation Day at Motueka High School <u>Triathlon Club</u> lunchtimes each Thursday - bring bikes! <u>Teeball</u> at Mapua Domain each Wednesday at 4pm

Wow! Even though we couldn't have a Festival, so many parents have been putting in many hours to support our school. The Plant Stall was amazing this year, thanks to an incredibly dedicated intergenerational team! Thank you, thank you! It was nice to feel supported with yummy scones delivered on Saturday too. ©

There has been a lot of time and energy put into the Silent Auction again this year. Thank you to this amazing team of organisers and to everyone who has contributed. This is another huge task and it is now live, so <u>please</u> spread this to all of your contacts. https://www.facebook.com/ngatimotischoolsilentauction/ The Silent Auction finishes this Friday 29 October.

If you have not yet been able to invest your time into one of these Festival activities, it would be great to have some support for a Treasure Trove sale to be held at the Ngatimoti Hall on Saturday 13 November. Perhaps you could offer to sizzle some sausages, sort some stuff or sell second-hand salvages. © Errilyn is the key organiser and needs some offers of help please. Let us know at the school office if you can support in any way.

Another awesome activity to look forward to will be a Curry and Quiz night, planned for Saturday 11 December. Glenn has very kindly offered to organise the quiz and Andrea, River and their team are cooking the curry, but any help preparing the room, serving, cleaning up etc will be most appreciated. Please let us know.

The Lucky Dips were popular last Friday. This Friday Room 1 will do one more Lucky Dip stall. \$2

Here is a reminder of <u>some</u> of what last year's Festival profits went to:

Your child's school stationery, swimming lessons, River Safety with Whenua iti for Room 5, Beach Safety day for Room 4, Enviro Day at Kaiteri, Library books, Life Education truck visit for everyone (Harold the giraffe!), Science Roadshow for Room 5, El Gregoe the magician show, NZ Playhouse "Rumpelstiltskin", Drama with Damara for everyone, Waka trips for everyone, Ngā Rua caves trips, Author visit - Sharon Holt, Mana Ora for Year 8 girls, Junior slide, Teacher Aides, Skiiing for Room 4, Sailing for Room 5.

As well it keeps the school van running, enables us to save for new swimming pool changing rooms, helps us to maintain technology, and it ensures nobody goes without when it comes to school activities.



Room 5 students have been lucky to enjoy a couple of days of fantastic sailing experience at Kaiteriteri with Sail NZ. Thanks to parents for your transport and support for this special activity.

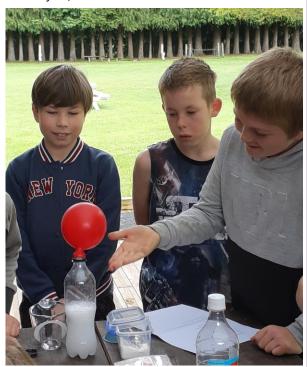
<u>News from the Ministry of Education:</u> As at 11.59pm, Friday 22 October it became a requirement for students aged 12 and over to wear a face covering on school transport (both Ministry and regional council-operated) unless they have an exemption. All other children are encouraged to wear a face covering on school transport. For our students going to MoTec on Mondays, this is particularly relevant.

<u>Netball Prizegiving</u> This will be held at school this Saturday 30th at 2pm. Teams will verse their parents in a game so please can everyone make sure they are wearing appropriate footwear. This will be followed by a shared afternoon tea (please bring a plate of finger food to share) and finally prize giving.

Uniforms - There are still a couple of uniforms to be handed in, please can these be handed in asap.

Social Netball - Motueka Netball are running a twilight league starting Wednesday November 10th running for 6 weeks until Wednesday December 15th. There will be two grades, a senior (adult) grade and a Family grade to include year 7 and up. The Family grade stipulates that there must be at least 3 year 7 to 10 players on the court at all times. I'm happy to put a team together if there is enough interest, or if you want to put your own team together I can pass on the information to you. Cheers, Lou 5268815 louandian@xtra.co.nz or 0210457798

Thank you, Lou



Nicholas demonstrates his kitchen chemistry experiment with Max and Liam. Room 4 have been having fun preparing for an upcoming science expo later this term.

DOVEDALE SCHOOL'S

Community Quiz Night

SATURDAY 30TH OCTOBER 7.00 PM DOVEDALE HALL

\$75 for a team of 6-8 people (14+ yrs)

Table Bookings:

dovedale.pta@gmail.com Kirsten 021 141 2247

Nibbles platter included Raffle tickets for sale - cash only BYO drinks & glasses

FREE SOUNTION SPORT TELES & WHANAU TOUCH DAY

10AM - 1PM SATURDAY 6 NOVEMBER MOTUEKA HIGH SCHOOL - GREY ST

CHANGE OF DATE

NOTE

Weekly Parent Cake Roster At alert level 2 we ask that parents who are rostered onto cake duty provide cakes, however you are not required to come into school and serve them. Cakes will be served by the class teacher.

Every week on Fridays, parents take their turn to provide cakes to sell to students for a dollar each. Our parent lunch coordinator is Catherine Chick (Chico, Beau & Rua's mum) - contact 021 761 764 if you need to rearrange your cake duty day. Where you see your name please provide around 24 cup cakes, muffins or slices and come along at 1pm to help serve if you are able to. If not, no problem, send in some cakes or contact Catherine. Thanks parents! If you wish your child to buy a piece of cake on Friday, please send them with the correct cash in a named purse along with their healthy lunch. Gluten free & vegan options are available too.

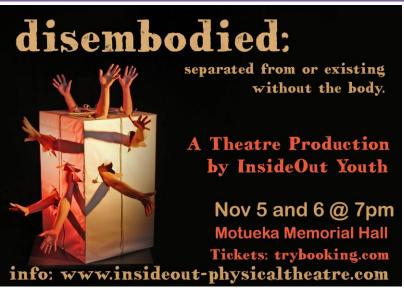
Friday 29 Oct: Victoria (Jordan), Tamara (Leon), Rebecca (Quinn & Tara)

Friday 5 Nov: Sarah (Juniper), Marlene (Olivia & Marius)
Friday 12 Nov: Terri (Makaira), Ianthe (Vincent), Sophie (Zeph)
Friday 19 Nov: Nic (Kiwa), Eugenie (Eloise, Willow), Lisa (Julius & Sultan)

Friday 26 Nov: Phil (Allanah), Jamie (Leighton), Errilyn (Josiah, Alyssa) Friday 3 Dec: Meeka (Kalahni, Haze, Aniah), Nathalie (Rafael & Eleanor), Kate (Orrin & Kuri)

Friday 10 Dec: Michelle (Ella), Neisha (Pyper), Catherine (Acacia & Seguoia)

<u>Lucky Dips</u> Room 1 will sell some of their Lucky Dips this Friday at lunchtime. \$2 each © <u>Juicies</u> are also available this term. \$1 Juicie, \$1 Cake, \$2 Lucky Dip





FREE GAMES ' SAUSAGE SIZZLE ' BOUNCY CASTLES ' JUICIES