

Newsletter



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Term Three - Week 6



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Kia ora Parents, Caregivers and Whānau,
Our learner qualities were put into action this week, with the Inter School Cross Country. This event required perseverance, confidence and the school value of resilience. I was extremely proud of our learners who pushed themselves to their limits, to perform admirably at these events. It is never easy to step out of your comfort zone at these events, but those learners who were involved can hold their heads high, knowing they did their absolute best! A special congratulations to Daisy Scott, who placed first in the Year 3 girls race, well done Daisy, a fantastic achievement! A huge congratulations also to Nina Charteris (3rd place, Year 4 girls) and Nevaeh O'Dwyer (9th place, Year 6 girls) who also performed extremely well in their respective races. It is great to see Ormond School competing and performing so well against so many larger schools. Thank you to all of our amazing parents who supported with transport and cheered from the sidelines, it is always greatly appreciated.
Finally, the quiz/grand auction is upon us!! I'm amazed and humbled at the support that we have received from the many sponsors and businesses for our auction items. A huge thank you to our fundraising committee, your tireless work has ensured that this will be a successful evening for Ormond School. Thank you to all who have bought tickets to support this event, your presence will make for an awesome atmosphere. Thanks also to our whānau who have supported in a variety of ways, from donations of dips and nibbles to supporting on the night. We are looking forward to an exciting evening for this fundraising venture and wait with anticipation for the final tally of this evening.

Noho ora mai rā, Stay safe and have a great weekend! Jonathan Poole - Tumuaki / Principal

Inter School Cross Country



F.L.A.X Award Recipients



WILLOW

Willow, kei te whakahīhī au ki a koe - I am very proud of you - you have come such a long way since you have started school! No wonder as you have the right attitude. You are keen to learn and soak up any learning like a sponge. You practice both at school and at home. Mum even told me that you find learning better than playing. Carry on sailing with such enthusiasm and you will find many more treasures. Fantastic work!

MARJLA

Marjla, what an amazing week you have had in Karaka! You have been so focussed and engaged in your learning in literacy and maths, even asking to do extra reading. It is great to see your confidence grow with your success! You have also been making good choices with your learning time, ignoring distractions and being a role model for others with your mat manners. Ka mau te wehi Marjla, you are a Powerful Learner Superhero!



KASE



Kase It has been great to see your impressive ability to work independently and self manage, especially in math. You have been consistently showing resilience by tackling tough problems and working through challenges. Kase your hard work and perseverance, when facing difficult tasks, shows your commitment to learning. You are heading for the stars. Ka pai tō mahi!

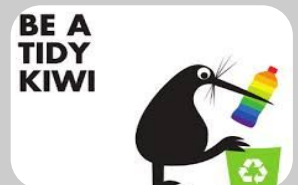
INDIE P

Indie you are a fundamental part of our Rimu whanau! You make everyone feel happy and comfortable to be in our class. You are willing to collaborate with anyone and have a genuine kindness towards us all. You are fun to be around and we all have some great laughs thanks to you. Indie you not only have fun but you are also a powerful learner who puts 100% effort into everything you do (even with one hand!) Kei runga noa atu koe!



TIDY KIWI AWARD - WEEK 6

Pōhutukawa



Learning Support Awareness Day

29 August 2024

All tamariki in Aotearoa deserve access to the support they need to thrive in education.

This can look like a teacher aide, specialist, or professional advice for teachers.

The need for learning support far outstrips provision – for every seven tamariki who access support, three miss out. Ministry of Education learning support staffing has a 16% vacancy rate.

Teachers, education support staff, principals and learning support specialists agree on what is needed:

- Increase the number of teacher aides
- Increase the number of learning support specialists

This is how the Government could really make a difference in education for tamariki.

Sign up for info on how you can help make the change our tamariki need at: nzeiteriuroa.org.nz/campaigns/nga-aukaha



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Key Dates Term Three

- 30th August - Quiz / Auction Night Fundraiser
- 31st August - Soccer Prize Giving at the Ranga 12.30pm
- 11th September - Inter school Hockey
- 16th September - Te wiki o te reo Māori
- 23rd September - Board Meeting
- 24th September - Motu Cross Country
- 26th September - Speech Finals
- 27th September - Last day of term

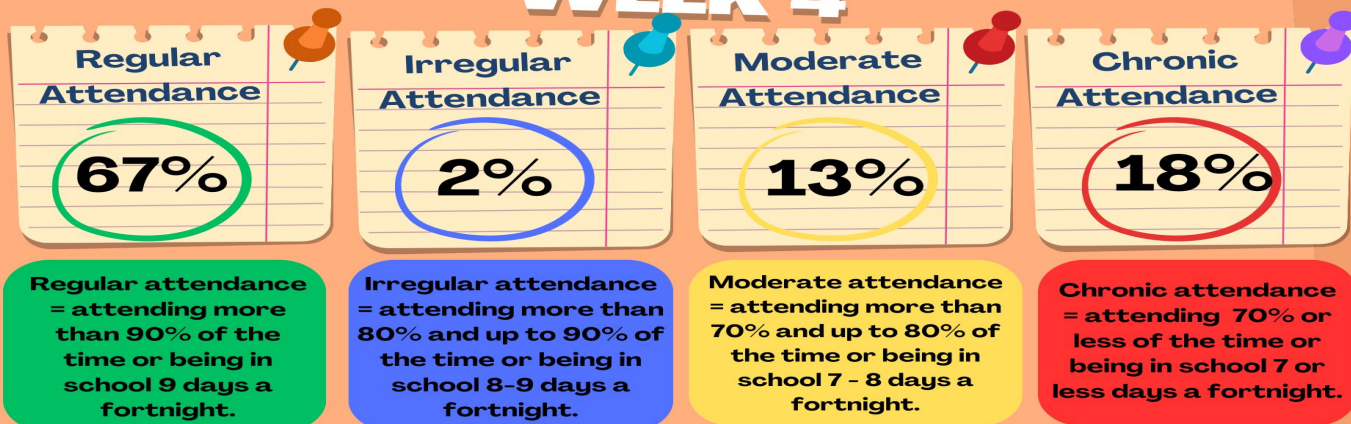
Note: Depending on circumstances we may not attend all events. Dates are subject to change.

Sports Draws

Hockey

Please keep an eye out on the Poverty Bay Hockey Website as they seem to be posting the draw the night before or day of games
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TERM 3 WEEKLY ATTENDANCE WEEK 4



EVERYDAY MATTERS

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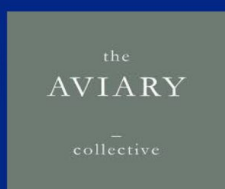
Waihuka Station

The Bousfields

The Kerleys



Waerenga-A-Hika Hall



Monica Williams Earings
Ngakaroa Station
Paringahau Station

NOTICES & UPDATES

After School Pick Ups: Just a gentle reminder to sign your child out of the school grounds before you leave, either with Mrs T or a Teacher. If you are going to be late for pick ups, please let the school know (06 862 5725, e-mail, facebook messenger) so we are aware of this as Teachers and staff are not always available after 3pm due to meetings, Professional learning off site and on occasions their own commitments.

Ormond School Reunion: This is taking place on Labour weekend, 25th-27th October. We are asking if any whānau have any memorabilia (photos, etc) that these be brought into the school office. Photos will be scanned and returned immediately.



B+LNZ 2024 DIRECTOR ROADSHOW

Come along to hear insights and updates relevant to you and provide input to help shape the future of B+LNZ and our sector.

B+LNZ is holding a series of informal sessions around New Zealand from July to September covering: how B+LNZ's work is now more strongly focused behind the farm gate on farmers' productivity and profitability testing our current thinking on key policy issues, particularly on freshwater and climate change. In these sessions, led by your local farmer director, we want to hear from you: whether we've got the balance right on our priorities what you think we should be looking for from Government on key policy changes that are underway (including freshwater and climate change) – this is an opportunity to make sure your voice is heard in these processes anything else that's on your mind. These sessions build on last year's nationwide feedback sessions and are part of B+LNZ's commitment to getting out to listen to farmers.

REGISTER ON THE BEEF + LAMB NZ WEBSITE: B+LNZ 2024 DIRECTOR ROADSHOW

THURSDAY
5 September, 2024
12:30pm
Wairoa Golf Club
345 Frasertown Road

THURSDAY
5 September, 2024
5:30pm
Midway Surf Rescue
40 Centennial Marine Drive



Ormond School

It's time to ditch the chocolate bars and pies!

Year 5 & 6

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