



# MASCOT

18th May 2017

Kia ora Parents/Caregivers,

Now that the weather has turned and the leaves are falling off the trees, students are starting to wear jackets and jerseys to school. Jackets and jerseys are school uniform and non uniform items **are not** permitted at school.

## **SCHOOL JERSEYS & JACKETS FOR SALE**

we have various sizes of second hand school jerseys and jackets for sale at the school office. Jerseys are \$15 each and Jackets are \$25 which includes the cost of embroidering a name on the front. We have all sizes of jerseys and a few size 4-6 jackets.

**WHANAU MEETINGS**— Thank you to everyone who turned up for our Whanau Meeting last week. Great reports have been received from the meeting so thank you for supporting our school in this way.

**MISSING JACKETS**— A school uniform jacket, Size 12, with **Ashley** written in white on the inside of collar has gone missing from room 5 and a MACPAC reversible jacket colored black and pink has gone missing from room 7. Please have look around and return to the office if found.

## **Coming Events**

### **May**

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| 12th | - Interschool Soccer                            |
| 15th | - Rippa Finals                                  |
| 22nd | - Totara Springs Training                       |
| 23rd | - MAC Meeting<br>(3pm in staffroom)             |
| 29th | - Y7 Vaccinations                               |
| 30th | - Project Energize Kiorahi                      |
| 5th  | - Queens Birthday Holiday                       |
| 7th  | - Reuben the Road Safety<br>Bear show in school |
| 13th | - BOT Meeting<br>(6pm in staffroom)             |

## **Introducing.....**

### **Cosima Penwarden—Office Administrator**

Cosima Penwarden is our Office Administrator and will be the friendly face you see when you come into our school office. Cosima has been with us for nearly a year now and is fitting in well with the Miller Avenue Community. She has two children attending the school and is always available to help out with school activities. Cosima has a strong background in administration, working in the medical research and arboriculture fields for many years before moving to Paeroa over ten years ago to start a family. Cosima and her husband, Warren live in Hikutaia where they run a mechanical/engineering business.



# Celebrating Success in Our School!

The following children have been acknowledged for their outstanding behaviour in school.

## CAUGHT BEING GOOD

Kase Gaelic Rm 6

## POSITIVE PLAYGROUND

Carbon Te Moananui Rm 11

**MILLER AVENUE COMMUNITY (MAC)**—Meeting next Tuesday 23rd May, 3pm in the staffroom. We will be looking at fundraising options. If you are unable to attend the meeting, you can leave suggestions at the office or email: [office@millerave.school.nz](mailto:office@millerave.school.nz).

## NETBALL DRAW— SATURDAY 20TH MAY—MILLER AVENUE ON DUTY

Miller Avenue is on duty this week so please come along to help out with the canteen, sweeping and cleaning up afterwards. Subs are due and invoices will be sent out today. Please contact the office if you would like to pay off with regular automatic payments. Also, please be at the courts a full half hour before game time to warm up and practice.

### **Round 1 — 9am**

Court 1 (Intermediate)

Miller Ave vs Netherton

Court 5 (Junior)

Miller Ave vs Paeroa Central

### **Round 2—9.50am**

Court 5 (Senior)

Miller Ave vs Hikutaia

**NITS KUTU UKU HEADLICE**— however you say it, these little mites are prevalent at all schools at the moment. We have packs at school which include a comb and an information sheet. Product can be purchased at all supermarkets and chemists and you can also get product free with a prescription from your doctor.

**MAAORI NEW YEAR**

**TRADITIONAL MEALS MADE HEALTHIER!**

Add a variety of vegetables to any dish. Green leafy vegetables like spinach, puha, watercress and silverbeet are great. Cut visible fat from meat and skin from chicken when preparing dishes such as boil up and hangi.



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**TE TAU HOU MAAORI**

**EETAHĪ KAI KUA WHAKAHAUORATIA AKE**

Taapiritia eetahi huawhenua rerekee ki aau kai. He rawe ngaa rau kaakaariki peenei i te puananii, puhaa, waatakirihi me te koorare. Poroa ngaa waahanga hinuhinu e kitea ana e koe i eetahi miiti, tiihorea hoki te kiri o te heihei i aa koe e whakarite ana mo ngaa kai peenei i te kai-kooehua me te haangii.



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### **Miller Avenue School Contact Information**

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Absentee Messages: 027 9523203

E-mail: [office@millerave.school.nz](mailto:office@millerave.school.nz)

Address: 30 Miller Avenue, Paeroa 3600

Website: [www.millerave.school.nz](http://www.millerave.school.nz)

Bank Account: 03-1572-0010292-00

## Public Notices

**PAEROA PIPE BAND**—Is offering FREE drum lessons for anyone interested. 7pm meet corner of Willoughby Streets and Arney Streets. Contact Laurene on 862 8719 or 021 1453847 for information.

**FRIDAY NIGHT FRIENDZY** is on this week. This is a great way for children to have fun and socialise in a safe environment. A hot meal is also provided so come along for a fun evening with friends. - Thanks, Jagar & Chrissy (07)862 9129.

**FREE EAR CLINIC**—The ear nurse will be in Paeroa (Plunket Rooms, Wharf Street) on Wednesday 24th May and Tuesday 6th June from 9.15—2.30pm and Thursday 22nd June from 9.15-12.30. For any enquiries regarding the ear clinic on 07 8383565.

**MUSIC/SINGING TUITION**—My name is Jessica Crockett and I am a singer-songwriter, recording artist and I have just moved to the area. I also have a Bachelor Of Music and am excited to start teaching guitar, piano and vocal lessons at your school. I am passionate about teaching music in a fun way, learning our favourite songs and using recording technology to help us get there. My lessons are 30 minutes every week and I charge \$15 per lesson for groups of 2-3 or \$110 per term (contact me for more info on individual lessons). Email me [jessicasjournal@hotmail.com](mailto:jessicasjournal@hotmail.com)

and I look forward to getting you on your way to being confident in music! Jess

**Girls Rugby – ‘Have a Go Day’** Wednesday 24th May At the Paeroa Domain on Wednesday 24th May from 10.00 a.m. – 2.00 p.m. Thames Valley Rugby Union would like to invite all School Girls from Year 6 up to attend a Rugby Skills day. Registration is free so contact Thames Valley Rugby Development officer Bill Cooksley 07 862 6352 or 027 243 8656 or email [rdovalleyrugby@yahoo.co.nz](mailto:rdovalleyrugby@yahoo.co.nz)

Basketball NZ U12 jamboree in New Plymouth is on 7-9 July 2017. We will be travelling by vans on the Friday morning and returning on Sunday evening. Fee of \$175.00 per child to be paid direct to TVBB. Contact Robyn Ruka if you are interested in attending.

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Contact Mel on 0800 543 996 Ext 2 or  
mel@akidzworld.co.nz**

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