



# MASCOT

18th October 2018

*Kia ora Parents, Caregivers & Students*

Welcome to Term Four everyone and a very warm welcome to our new students and their families. There is a lot happening this term heading into the Christmas holidays so you can keep up to date with events by downloading our School Stream App from the Google PlayStore or visit our Facebook page.

***Next Monday 22nd October is a Public Holiday—Labour Day therefore no school this day.***

## **DANCING THROUGH THE DECADES DANCE**

Due to very low ticket sales this has been cancelled.

Thank you to all the people who have worked so hard to make it happen. You have been wonderful!

Maybe in 2019 we will try again.



A BIG thank you to all of our wonderful parent and student helpers who gave up their Saturday morning to wash cars and a very special thank you to Thomas Moyle for seeing the sign and offering to help for the morning. We raised \$185.00 which was a great effort!

## **TOUCH RUGBY**

Games start this Thursday 18th October: Please note—due to a shortage of field space the Miller Avenue Crickets will play at 5.00 pm this week.

Midgets—4.30 pm

Juniors—5.00 pm

Seniors—5.30 pm

The draws will be displayed in the office.

## **Coming Events**

### **OCTOBER**

- 18th** Touch Rugby Starts
- 22nd** **Labour Day—Public Holiday**
- 31st** Board of Trustees Meeting—6.30pm  
Staffroom, All Welcome
- 31st** Whanau Meeting

### **NOVEMBER**

- 9th** Senior School Athletics
- 16th** Ohinemuri Athletics
- 19th** Wellington Seniors Trip

### **DECEMBER**

- 11th** Prizegiving
- 13th** **Last Day for Term 4**

## **WHĀNAU MEETING**

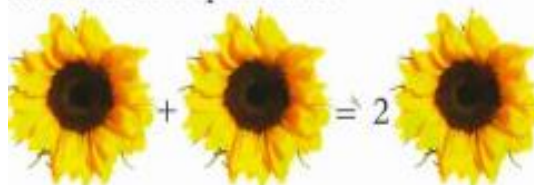
A whānau meeting is being held on Wednesday 31st October at 3.30 pm in the school hall. We are wanting Whānau input for the Te Reo/Tikanga policy review.

## **MATHS VOCABULARY**

This term we are looking at Algebra.

### **Algebra is:**

An area of mathematics that uses letters and symbols to represent numbers and quantities.



flower + flower = 2 flowers

$$5 - a = 2$$

**algebraic expression** A calculation that contains at least one number and one unknown number (variable), but no equals sign.

$$3a - b$$

# Celebrating Success in Our School

Positive Playground

Caught Being Good

*Sylvee Stepanicic—Room 9*

*Hayley Harris—Room 4*

*Ezekiel Judd—Room 4*

Big “A” Class Attendance Award— Room 9

## Hauraki Cultural Festival

On the last day of Term 3 our Kapa Haka group travelled to Manaia to perform in the Hauraki Cultural Festival. They performed extremely well and were great ambassadors for our school. We are so proud of our group and all the hard work put in by Whaea Laurence & Mr Gurnick, the tutors. We would like to give special thanks to Natasha Laurence who did an amazing job playing the guitar, as well as everyone who helped with the preparation and supported our group. Thanks so much!

Absent from the photo is Eternal Te Moananui and Zyon Ford as they were being interviewed.



### TEACHERS MOBILE NUMBERS

Please find below our teachers updated room contact mobile numbers . These are also available on our website: [www.millerave.school.nz](http://www.millerave.school.nz)

Room 4— Phil Gurnick	020-418-07424
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Room 7— Liz Laurence	020-418-07422
Room 8— Leanne Cairns	020-402-97896
Room 9— Anglea Blank	020-411-41169
Room 10—Jennifer Bedford	020-418-07421
Office	027-952-3203



## PUBLIC NOTICES

### RAHU ROAD POTTERY CLASSES

#### ***Sunday Adult Pottery Class***

Dates: Sundays from 21 October to 9 December, 3pm to 5pm

Cost: \$160 plus clay and firing

Tutor: Charade Honey

Always wanted to have-a-go at making your own pottery? Now's your chance with our pottery class teaching a range of skills, both throwing on the wheel and hand building, including sculptural techniques. Suitable for beginners and experienced students, come and learn at your own pace in our purpose built ceramic studio.

Clay and firing are available from the pottery.

#### ***Children's Clay Class***

Dates: Sundays from 21 October to 9 December, 1pm to 2pm

Cost: \$100, includes: clay & firing

Ages: 7 to 14

Tutor: Charade Honey

Come and let your imagination run wild and create in clay.

Along the way you will learn how to make your own unique pieces, everything from useful bowls to crazy creatures. This class will teach a range of skills, covering techniques suitable for children.\

For more information visit our website [www.rahuroadpottery.co.nz](http://www.rahuroadpottery.co.nz) or give us a call on 07 8626974, or email us at [info@rahuroadpottery.co.nz](mailto:info@rahuroadpottery.co.nz)

### FRIDAY NIGHT FRIEND-ZY

Welcome back to Term 4 - The Friday Night Friend-zy Team starts back this week

Friday 19th October 2018 for FUN, FRIENDSHIP AND FREEDOM.

Starts 6pm - 8pm, \$2 entry, supper provided.

All 8 years - 12 years welcome.

"REGISTRATION NIGHT and CENTRE ACTIVITIES"

See you at the Whare Manaaki - Paeroa Carehouse.

Any queries please contact Jagar Wright (07) 862 9129

## **TOUCH RUGBY**

**THAMES VALLEY TRIALS  
SATURDAY 27TH OCTOBER  
2018 PAEROA OLD BOYS  
RUGBY GROUNDS  
8:30am ON WARDS AS TIME  
COULD CHANGE.**



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