

Respect, Responsibility, Aroha, Self-discipline, Honesty

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Tena Koutou Katoa

A hearty welcome back to all of our tamariki and whanau.

All classes have settled back into their routines with students engaged in the process of learning new skills and developing their knowledge and understanding on a range of topics.

With the onset of winter we expect students to pick up sniffles and colds, but please be vigilant with covid still active in the community and keep your children home if they display any of the symptoms associated with colds or influenza.

Our Netball teams are being finalized and we have a number of sporting events coming up this term. If you are interested in coaching or managing a sports team can you give your name to Trish in the office and I will get in touch with you.

We look forward to our new principal starting in early June and expect to welcome her to our kura with a powhiri on the 7th June. Whanau are welcome to come and join us for this occasion. We will keep you posted on developments.

Phil Gurnick—Acting Principal





Mia-Room 8

Breanna—Room 8

Room 5—Nau Mai, Hoki Mai Welcome back to Term 2...

In Room 5 we are facing some changes in routines but already we have settled in well. Student voice is an important part of our learning and the students have identified the goals they are working on for the first part of the term.

Our inquiry focus will be on communication so we will be practicing ways to communicate in a positive manner and also looking at how to communicate through art.

This all fits in well with our School wide, Positive Behavior 4 Learning initiative.

Learning Is Fun!

Whaea Jane and students of Room 5

Farewell Matua Richard & Whaea Maude

Te Hokinga Mai To Te Tai Tokerau of Matua Richard, Whaea Maude and their whanau has been completed. It was a lovely experience with the accompanying tamariki and whanau filled with aroha, laughter and tears.

Thank you to the Board for funding the trip, Mr Phil Gurnick for releasing me for the day, Rangi Fraser, Roey, tamariki, and Richard & Maude's whanau. *Whaea Liz Laurence*











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Westpac Bank Account: 03-1572-0010292-00 (Please put in payment details and your child's name)



MAS is starting our PB4L Journey. This is a Ministry Of Education initiative.

PB4L School-Wide looks at behaviour and learning from a whole-of-school as well as an individual child perspective. The framework is based on international evidence that can be tailored to your school's own environment and cultural needs

It's not about changing the students; it's about changing the environment, systems, and practices you have in place to support them to make positive behaviour choices.

The MASCOT will feature our PB4L actions as we engage our whanau in the language and expectations of our PB4L journey.

NETBALL

We are finalizing our Netball teams as Netball is due to start on Wednesday 18th May. We are in urgent need of coaches and managers for our teams, so if you or someone you know can help us out please let Trish in the office know. Years 0-4 will be involved in the mini ferns programme which will be played at the Paeroa Netball courts.

LUNCH IN SCHOOL MENU FOR TERM 2

The menu for our tamariki's lunches this term is available on our facebook page and skool loop app if you wish to view what they will be having for lunch each day. Please remember to let us know if your child/ren have any food allergies that we should be aware of.

SCHOOL PHOTOS

Our annual school photo day is nearing on Monday 30th May. Photolife will be at our school taking class/individual and sibling photos. It is a little different this year where you can *only order the photo's online*. Please see the attached flyer below. Forms will be sent home with students once we receive them.



FAQs about PhotoLife's Online Ordering System

- When will my child's photos be ready to view Online?
 As soon as you receive your Photo Keycode you can go online and view your child's photographs. Class Group, Portraits, Sports Teams and Cultural Groups (if photographed) will be added into the Photo Keycode over the school year.
- Can anyone else see my child's photo Online?
 In order to view your child's photos you have to have the unique Photo Keycode. Without this code no one else can see your child's photos.
- 3. How can I make sure I get the FREE DELIVERY offer? PhotoLife gives a "free delivery" period of approximately 3 weeks from the date the Photo Keys are dispatched to the School. It is best to go online straight away and place your order.
 - The Expiry Date of the "free delivery" period for your child's school is clearly shown on the website and automatically expires when that date is reached.
- 4. What happens once the "free delivery" period expires? All of the orders placed before the expiry will be bulk printed and then dispatched to the school for your child to bring home. If you missed getting your order in before the expiry date then your order will be dispatched to the address typed in by the person placing the order. A \$6.00 Postage & Packing charge is automatically applied.

Sibling Photographs

If your school has approved for us to take Sibling Photographs you need to do the

- Pick up a Sibling Photo Booking Form from the School Office BEFORE Photo Day.
- RETURN the signed Booking Form listing your children's names and room numbers to the School Office BEFORE Photo Day.
- If there is NO SIGNED FORM OUR PHOTOGRAPHERS ARE NOT AUTHORISED TO TAKE A SIBLING PHOTOGRAPH.

We are here to help

If you have any further questions Please contact us www.photolife.co.nz 09 262 1040 or 0800 501 040



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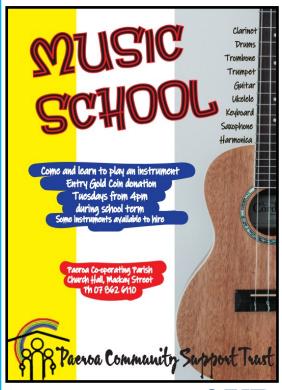


Clean ice cream containers with lids please.

Please drop into our school office.

Thank you.

PUBLIC NOTICES



PAEROA JUNIOR GOLF LESSONS

At the Paeroa Golf Club, Rotokohu Road.

Mondays 4pm to 5pm weather depending for term two and three, all gear provided at no cost all welcome.

Paeroa Junior Golf facebook page for more details.

Dog Logic talk



Want to learn how to get better behaviour from your dog? Dog training demonstration, helpful

tips, better communication, Q & A

Paeroa War Memorial Hall: May 6, 10:30am Ngatea War Memorial Hall: May 7, 10:30am

TICKETS: doglogic.co.nz

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