

Respect, Responsibility, Aroha, Self-discipline, Honesty

23rd February 2024 - Week 4

Nga mihi te whānau,

We have noticed a big trend at MAS of tamariki (kids) wearing crocs in all sorts of fashions. We have noticed that many tamariki also have jibbitz. There has also been some swapping and stealing of these jibbitz, so we have warned all tamariki that we may have to ban wearing crocs if this continues.



Please speak with your child about this.



THANK YOU wonderful parents/whānau for coming along to school last night to meet with your child's teacher. It was a wonderful evening and lots of sharing was done - whakawhānaungatanga at its best (the process of establishing good relationships).

Thank you also to whānau that completed the ALL ABOUT MY CHILD forms, this information will be very useful for our staff and ensure stronger relationships for your child. If you were not able to make it, we will send the forms home with your child today. Please send them back to school as soon as you are able.

REMINDER: when you are collecting your child from Norwood Road, please do not park on the footpath or grass verge. Doing this pushes our tamariki to have to walk on the road, which is not safe for them. Thanks for your support in this matter.





Principal Acknowledgements:

Kayden and Brock from Matariki: for being engaged and completing an awesome poem about summer. Khorneilyus, Anastasia, Te Aroha, Bella, George, Ari & Jordie from Tupuānuku: for being brave and engaged, sharing their stories with the principal.

Nga mihi nui Whaea Debs Tumuaki





Waitī (Rm 8)





KIA ORA FROM WAITi

Our first art project this year has been self portraits. The tamariki in Waitī have taken their time to develop their skills in drawing themselves.





We were also fortunate to have SWIM SAFE come in and teach us amazing water survival skills. We now know safety strokes, floats and ways to keep ourselves safe in the water.







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M.A.S BEST values are:

B— Brave

E— **Engaged**

S— Sensible

Welcome to this week's PB4L message:

Wow what a great start to the year. The classes are looking awesome and the teachers are all enthusiastic about creating positive learning environments for our students.

Our senior students are currently immersed in a Physical Activity Leaders programme which will support our positive play in the playground starting week 5.

Our token system to acknowledge students showing the BEST positive behaviours will continue and this will be supported by our sharing assemblies on a Friday. Students will have the opportunity to receive certificates for demonstrating our BEST behaviours and showing RESPECT and good attendance.

Our house points competition will continue and we welcome whanau to join us for our sharing assemblies at 2pm on a Friday

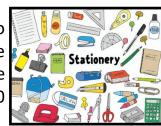
House Points

Totara Kauri Kowhai Rimu

Regards Whaea Jane PB4L Team leader

STATIONERY—Tupuānuku (Rm 6) & Tupuārangi (Rm 5)

Stationery packs for the two junior classes will only be available to purchase from the office up until 22nd March. If your child is in these classrooms and is still needing their stationery requirements please come to the office to purchase a pack. Tupuānuku pack price \$23.50 and Tupuārangi pack price \$30.50. We have eftpos available.



NETBALL

Notices have gone home with our year 5-8 students regarding Netball which will begin in Term 2. If your child is interested in playing Netball this year please send the permission form back to school by *next Tuesday 27th February. We still need a coach for the intermediate team so please ask your family and friends*



PRIMARY TECH—EVERY TUESDAY

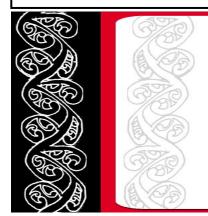
All students participating in Wood, Metal and Food Technology classes must have enclosed shoes.

Please ensure your child is at school **by 8.50am** to ensure they catch the tech bus which leaves school at 9.00am.

MAS VAN SERVICE

We have some spaces on our school van if you would like your child to be picked up and dropped off each day to school. The cost is \$15 for one child per week and \$20 for 2 or more children from one family. If interested please see Trish in the office.





<u>Whakataukī</u>

Mauria te pono

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