



# Mascot

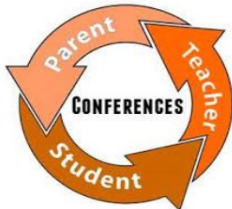
Respect, Responsibility, Aroha, Self-discipline, Honesty

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## 9th June 2023 - Week 7

### Nga mihi te whānau,

Some of our student leader team went to the Leaders Day last week held at Hikutaia School and learnt lots about leadership and mixed with other student leaders from our local Paeroa area including Paeroa College. A fun day was had by all.



Reports will be coming home next week so parents have the opportunity to view them before coming to the conferences the following week. Your child will be able to share their learning with you and their current goals. We will also have refreshments available (fundraising for Senior Camp).

Wednesday 21st June from 1.30pm - **bookings available from Monday-12th June (instructions coming home Monday)**

When you come along for conferences, come and see our **ENVIRO showcase** - being held in the **STEAM** room next to Te Whare Matauranga (library).

**REMINDER:** Mufti Monday - gold coin donation.

### **Principal Acknowledgments:** Matariki Enviro Project Showcase...

Tyrone, Harry and Makaere for writing emails to businesses and receiving replies. Great work tama ma. Also the quad group for writing a letter to the caretaker to organise a meeting with him which took place yesterday afternoon. Well done Matariki for transitioning their new teacher so well.

Nga mihi nui  
Whaea Debs  
Tumuaki/Principal

### COMING EVENTS

#### June—Pipiri

12th	Mufti Monday—Gold Coin Donation
14th	Board Hui
21st	Enviro Showcase
21st	Student/Whānau Conferences 1.30pm
29th	Sharing Assembly 2.15pm
30th	Last Day Term 2

#### July—Hōngongoi

17th	First Day Term 3
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**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**  
TO YOU!



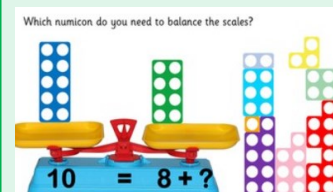
A very happy birthday to **Cruze** who celebrated his birthday on Wednesday.

**We hope you had a great day  
Cruze!**

## Waipuna-a-rangi (Rm 7)

Waipuna-a-rangi has had some new class members join us for a few weeks and we are enjoying getting to know their learning styles and thinking. In maths we are working with numicon shapes to show our number sentences and how to record these. We have many hands-on learning opportunities in our lessons and we really enjoyed teaching Whaea Debs a new card game called 'magic number'.

We have been busy preparing for our Enviro Showcase and look forward to sharing our learning with you at the showcase and at our student/whanau conferences in week 9. This inquiry incorporates our reading, writing and art, so be prepared to be impressed.



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## M.A.S BEST values are:

**B**— Brave  
**E**— Engaged  
**S**— Sensible  
**T**— Thinking

### Welcome to this week's PB4L message:

The school is continuing to build on our 'Simply the BEST' values, with BEST being our acronym. This encompasses the values of Brave, Engaged, Sensible and Thinking to help guide our journey.

This Term we have started our wellbeing programme with our facilitator Vanessa McHardy. She is visiting all classrooms weekly to deliver the WhatPONU programme.

This week we were learning about 3 important parts of the brain: the Alarm system (fight, flight, fright), the Mammalian section (emotion) and the Frontal Lobe (thinking). Our tamariki are working toward knowing how to cope with their feelings and reactions through these lessons.

We now want to focus on our home partnerships with whanau and caregivers. Life is busy for us all and we the teachers and staff at MAS appreciate your support. We value the reading you listen to and the forms that need to get signed. We appreciate you getting our Tamariki to school every day and that they have the tools and uniforms accessible for equitable learning and social outcomes.



Our Te Whare Matauranga (library) is open at lunchtimes for students to read, relax or play inside activities. We have recently run a 'Connect 4' competition which was keenly contested. Our winning student was **Cora**. Congratulations Cora, you were humble in your winning ways.

Students redeem their acknowledgement tokens each week. We have seen a real competition challenge set by some students that are redeeming their tokens towards house points. The winning house will have a special lunch and extra play at the end of the term. Watch our house point competition grow.

Regards  
 Whaea Jane  
 PB4L Team leader

### House Points

**Kauri** 179  
**Kowhai** 85  
**Totara** 97  
**Rimu** 107

### This Week's Token Winners

**Kauri** : Wednesday, Tangaroa & Jasmin  
**Kowhai**: Zaya, Brock & Mario  
**Totara**: Breanna, Lexus-rose & Bronson  
**Rimu** : Mia, Pania & Zaak

### MILLER AVENUE PARKING

*Just a reminder to please keep the NP (No Parking) area outside our Miller Avenue entrance clear at all times before and after school. We need this area kept clear for our school van to drop off and pick up students. Thank you.*



### PHOTOLIFE PHOTO CODES

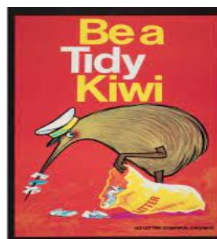
The photolife key codes have been emailed to parents/caregivers to go online to view and purchase your child/ren's photos. If you have not received an email please check your trash/spam folder or alternatively contact the school office as we have a master list. **If you order your photos before midnight Sunday 25th June you will receive FREE DELIVERY.**

### SCHOLASTIC BOOK CLUB

Students have received the latest book club catalogue, Issue 4. All orders from this catalogue are due back to school by **Thursday 15th June**.

### BOARD GAMES WANTED PLEASE

If anyone has any unwanted or unused board games at home and you no longer need them and would like to donate them to our school for our tamariki to use in the break times or on rainy days, we would greatly appreciate them.



The cleaners have been asked to identify the tidiest class each week.

This week's winners (Week 7) are: **Waiti** they had free time on the playground. Great effort tamariki!

### Whakatauki

Whāia te mātauranga hei  
 oranga mō koutou

Seek after wisdom for the sake of  
 your wellbeing.

### WANTED

**For our Enviro Group...**

**Metal cake tins, muffin pans,  
 utensils, bbq tools, pots & lids,  
 wire racks, wire sieve, desert  
 or tablespoons, wooden rolling  
 pin**



# PUBLIC NOTICES

  
**2K - 4K RUN/WALK!**  
**"RUN FOR A REASON"**  
June 11th 2023  
Paeroa Domain, 6 Willoughby Street, Paeroa  
Come in **Green!**  
Spot & Best dressed prizes up for grabs!  
Register at 10am  
Run at 11am  
\$5NZD TICKET FEE  
DONATIONS WELCOME!  
DONATE & BOOK TICKETS AT...  
<https://www.eventbrite.co.nz/o/paeroa-college-66434205793>  
MENTAL HEALTH IS A BIGGER CHALLENGE THAN A 2K RUN, SO LET'S START A CONVERSATION.  
FUNDS WILL GO TOWARDS  
**I AM HOPE**  
  
f @Paeroa Run for a Reason  
f @Paeroa College  
SPECIAL THANKS TO OUR SPONSORS  


**KAUAE RANGA VALLEY CHRISTIAN CAMP**  
**HOLIDAY DAY CAMPS**  
**BLUE PRINTS**  
  
JULY 10-14 FOR CAMPER'S YR 3-8  
\$30 per DAY 830am to 430pm each day  


## OUR SCHOOL APP

### Miller Avenue School

Thanks to the below businesses for sponsoring our school app:

 **Tamariki station** Early Childhood Education Centre 

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