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**"Together We Can Do It!"**  
**WEEK 2 TERM 2, APRIL 29<sup>TH</sup> 2012**

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## **Guten Morgen, Kia Ora, Talofa!**

Welcome to the second week of term two. This week Troy Walters starts his school visits in preparation for his starting of school after his 5<sup>th</sup> birthday. Last week we welcomed Seth Warren to our school family who is a Year 7. Julie and I are away on Thursday learning some new tricks with the IWB and I am also away on Friday at a Taranaki Small Schools meeting. We will have a reliever in who you may know very well (wink wink). Kaye Shewry is visiting on Wednesday to check in with our literacy programme and Heidi will be popping into school to begin planning for German classes! Have a good week everyone.

Tanya Bunny  
**PRINCIPAL**

**Brain of the Week:** Eve Hagenson has been using her brains! She is moving along with her Maths and is able to complete addition and subtraction problems in the hundreds.

**Duffy Award:** Sophia Smyth gets a lovely book from Duffy this week for her reading. Sophia is looking carefully at words and pictures to help her work out tricky words!

## **Best Feet Forward:**

- Karnia Robertson has been staying on task and understanding her work.
- Lily has been helping the juniors. Claude needed help with his key cards and Lily was there to lend a hand.

**Vertical Horizons:** Only a few weeks until camp. You should have your permission slip in and your gear on the way to being sorted. Thank-you to those parents who are coming along to camp. If you have any queries – please talk to Julie at school.

Eve and Josh using the Interactive Whiteboard

**BOT:** There is a BOT Meeting **NEXT WEEK** on the 8<sup>th</sup> of May, 7.30pm at school. Everyone welcome!

**Mike Scadden:** Today after school, Julie and I are meeting with one of New Zealand's experts on the brain and children's thinking. I am hoping to get Mike in to work with us at some stage.

**Home and School:** There is a home and School Meeting on the 30<sup>th</sup> of **MAY** at **Te Waitiehu's** at 7.30pm. Everyone welcome. Camp, Oxford Pies, Marae Stayover, Donation and Winterfest are on the agenda.

**Languages:** Te Reo and Kapa haka lessons will be starting THIS WEEK. Julie and Tanya will be away on Thursday at 'Interactive Whiteboard Training' in New Plymouth so Merepaea will led this day.

**Stationery Accounts:** These were sent out at the end of term 1, some are still outstanding. Payment as soon as possible please. If you have missed placed it ring the school.

**Pool Keys:** It is time to hand in your school keys. Dig them out and send them along to school please. Thank-you Len for your work on the pool this summer. It looked beautiful. Len has handed his keys in for the pool job so we will be on the lookout for someone to fill his shoes – about size 9! If you are interested or want to know more – come and see me.



## **WHAT'S COMING UP MAY**

**30** Mike Scadden 3pm  
**1** Heidi 12.30pm  
**2** Merepaea & Tanya – plan junior camp  
**4** Julie and Tanya at IWB Training  
**5** Tanya at Taranaki Small Schools PD  
**8** BOT Meeting  
**15-18** Vertical Horizons Camp/Junior Camp Week  
**30** Home and School Meeting

## **JUNE**

**4** Queen's Birthday  
**5** TOD – School closed  
**7** Kaye Shewry@Mokau  
**12** BOT Meeting  
**14-15** Marae Stayover with Whareorino  
**18** Anne Purves@Mokau  
**21** Red Cross – People Savers Course for kids  
**22** Jump Off – skipping demo at school  
**29** Winterfest and **LAST DAY OF TERM**

**FROM THE MIGHTY MOKAU TEAM**  
Greg, Jackie, Jo, Julie, Margaret, Merepaea, Rae, BOT, H&S and Tanya



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