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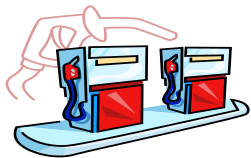


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# MOKAU SCHOOL

**"Together We Can Do It!"**

**WEEK 5 TERM 2, 7<sup>th</sup> June 2013**

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## Kia Ora Everyone

Thank you to of the parents who made themselves available for nomination for our BOT. We really appreciate each nominations and your willingness to stand for our board. The names of the successful candidates are attached to this new letter. We are making our school library available to the community and a laptop is also being purchased so that uses will have internet access while using the library. The library will be available to the public from 9.30-12.30 week days. Please come and see Jackie in the office and she will help you to issue books. Books will be able to be issued for two weeks. Thank you to Evan for your continued work on the WildSide. We really appreciate your effort. We have made an application for funding for the community gardens that we are hoping to establish at school.

PRINCIPAL  
Ben Single

## Awards:

**Duffy:** Reece Omelvena for great reading. We love how you are using lots of expression when you read and are figuring out new words by yourself  
**Brain:** Pareawa Fuller for persevering with her writing and giving new words a try independently  
**Best Foot Forward:** Rico Pryor for settling in so well at Mokau and being a great help around the class.

## BOT Meeting:

Our next BOT meeting will be held next Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> at 7pm.

## Riddle of the Week:

What goes around the world, but stays in a corner?

**Wet Weather:** Now that winter has arrived could we refrain from driving on the grass areas around the school please.

Winter is here as the weather gets colder coughs, colds, runny nose and all the little nasty bugs come out. Warm clothing and foot wear are needed now.

## Wheels Day

As we are unable to bring bikes to school on the bus Julie from "The Garage" has offered to bring bikes to school on Fridays if they are dropped into the Junction Service Station on Friday mornings. She will deliver them to school on her post run. Parents will need to make their own arrangements to collect bikes after school though. We do have space in the PE Shed so bikes can be stored overnight if it makes it easier for parents on Thursday or Friday night. Many thanks to Julie for her generous offer.

## Infectious Diseases:

There is Hand, Foot and Mouth virus going around the Waikato and Taranaki areas. There is also Impetigo (School Sores). Both are highly contagious. Impetigo has to be treated with antibiotics, and all sores must be covered. We are reminding children to practice good hygiene. Washing hands is a must and we have hand sanitiser for the children to use in the classrooms.

## Strawberries for Sale:

Neil Hill and Jenny Lewis have kindly donated potted strawberry runners to the school. We will be selling these for \$2 each with the proceeds going towards our school gardens. Please send your money in to the office and we will arrange to get the plants to school.

## Yummy Stickers:

Thank you for all the Yummy Stickers that have been collected so far. If you need any more tracking sheets they can be obtained from the office.

## Sports:

### Rugby

Clifton Under 10's won 6:3 against New Plymouth Old Boy at Clifton in Waitara.  
Bryn

Clifton Under 12's played Southern and won 74:0 We have a really good team. Josh

### Hockey

Piopia B played Waitomo and won 1:0. Tessa won the Fair Play Award. Well done Tessa.  
Tessa

Piopia played Waitomo and lost 4:0. Sophia had a few injuries but persevered to finish a hard game.  
Sophia

Piopia Intermediate played Waitomo and won 4:0. It was a really good game against a team they hadn't played before.  
Gemma

## What's coming up:

### June

7<sup>th</sup> Project Energize  
10<sup>th</sup> Ben @ First Time Principals  
21<sup>st</sup> Project Energize  
27<sup>th</sup> Ben @ Sole Charge Principals  
28<sup>th</sup> Project Energize

### July

3<sup>rd</sup> RTL B Visit  
5<sup>th</sup> Winterfest @ Mokau

12<sup>th</sup> **Term 2 Ends**  
29<sup>th</sup> **Term 3 Starts**

### Aug

19-23 ERO Visit

**FROM THE MIGHTY MOKAU TEAM**  
Jackie, Julie, Len, Margaret, Merepaea, Rae,  
Trevor, BOT, H&S and Ben

A: A STAMP

## Arbor Day

**Seth and Sophie plant our new kowhai tree donated through the Paper4trees programme. The children also planted Two cabbage trees and Rengarenga lilies into The WildSide.**



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## **Mokau School**

### **Board of Trustees Election**

#### **Declaration of Parent and Staff Election Results**

Parent representatives votes:

Homersham Veronica	4
Jones Maree	19
King Natasha	20
Omelvena Adrian	20
O'Sullivan Emma	13
Robertson Geoffrey	14
Smyth Mark	21

I hereby declare the following duly elected:

Jones Maree  
King Natasha  
Omelvena Adrian  
Robertson Geoffrey  
Smyth Mark

### **Board of Trustees Declaration of Staff Election Results**

At the close of nominations, as there was only one valid nomination received I hearby declare Julie Burrows duly elected.

Signed  
Jenny Lewis  
Returning Officer