



MOKAU SCHOOL

Together we can do it – ka taea e tatou – together we are able

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1st April 2021

Certificates

Mana Tupu-Ngahere was **Caught being Good** and received a book.

Ivey Tupu-Ngahere **Nice Try** for excellent literacy work.

Conna Gorrie **Star Student** for an excellent job in challenge activities.

Sunny O'Brien **Ka Pai** for always making an awesome effort.

Term 2 finish time

We have surveyed our parents about their preference for a 2.30pm or 3pm finish in the winter months. Most parents indicated they would like the shorter day. We will be finishing at 2.30pm from the first day back in Term 2 until the end of Term 3.

Assembly

We will combine the Duffy Role Model Assembly with our end of Term Assembly.

School Pool

The pool will be closed for the season after the Easter Break. If you are a key holder please return your key before the school holidays on the 15th April in order to get your refund.

Teachers Only Day

We will be having a teachers only day on the 16th of April this is so Mrs Symonds and Matua Steve can attend a structured literacy course.

Tabloids

The Cluster Schools have now reinstated Friday 9th April for tabloids. I have attached the transport & permission form. Please send them back asap.

Parent Check ins

If you would like to check in with your child/rens teacher please ring the office or book on skool loop. We will be holding 10 minutes slots per child in Term 2 Week 2 on the 12th May from 2.30pm.

Friday Fun Day

On Fridays we have a pre-school get together with the junior class. If you would like to come along this is it is from 9am to 10.30am.

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Duffy Role Model Assembly

We will have Maria Gill here for a role model assembly on the 7th of April @1.30pm Please come along and join us. Maria Gill writes real stories about animals, birds and famous people. She'll take you on a volcanic journey, give you the ins and outs of how to save kiwi, let you on in the secret world of sports training, and tell you what Sir Edmund Hillary and other greats were like as children. Many years ago, Maria taught Primary and Intermediate school children, and now she writes full-time with chickens pecking at her office window. She's written 44 books including some for teachers and the classroom and has won awards for 'New Zealand Sports Hall of Fame: 25 Kiwi Champions' and ANZAC Heroes. Maria has just won New Zealand's top literary prize for children's writers, the Storylines Margaret Mahy Medal and Lecture award. Check out www.mariagill.co.nz and say hi to her on Facebook: Maria Gill Children's Books.

Stationery

Some accounts haven't been paid yet. If you are unsure how much you need to pay please ring the office. We would like these accounts paid before the end of term.

Internet banking or cash at the office is appreciated.

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15-3945-0267816-00 and please use you surname as the preference.

Working Bee

Please join us on Saturday the 10th of April at 10am to complete some jobs at our kura. Jobs include tree trimming, track maintenance, painting, and cleaning of sheds. Please let the office know if you can help with this ASAP. Thanks to the team who have already volunteered to help. We really appreciate it.

Police vetting

We have only had a few returned so please send back a completed form as soon as possible. We ask that all parents who accompany us and provide transport on any trips to please fill them in and return them to the office as soon as possible.

Dates to Note

Apr

- 2nd -6th Easter break
- 7th Duffy Role Model assembly
- 9th Tabloids@ Uruti School
- 10th Working bee @10am
- 16th **Teachers Only Day NO SCHOOL**
- 16th Last Day of term 1

May

- 3rd Term 2 Starts



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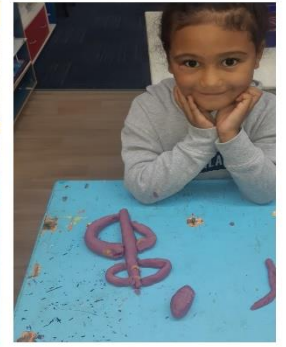


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