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**PĀANUI**  
Te Wahanga tua tahi mo te wiki tuatahi  
Tokohia ngā tamariki: 66



26<sup>th</sup> July 2022

Kia ora e te whanau,  
We welcome you all back after your holiday break. We hope you had some time to enjoy each other's company and stay warm and dry during these cooler times of winter. The weather provided a mixture of wet days, gusty winds and sometimes a little bit of sunshine. We wish you all the best for the Term ahead.

*Feedback from our 1<sup>st</sup> Staff only day on the 8<sup>th</sup> July:* We held a staff training day to keep up to date with online learning. The MOE call it 'Hybrid Learning'. Our staff will continue to deliver a learning program that meets the needs of our community in creative ways.

Our planning session yesterday shaped around the local History curriculum delivery. There are amazing opportunities we want to capture for our tamariki and whaanau. Yesterday's session was about how we use a framework to capture all this wonderful information in a way that reflects on our student's needs. We want to hear your voice and learning about our local history. Are you willing to share some of the wonderful stories that you know? Contact your child's Kaiako or contact the kura and let's koorero.

School Lunches: Our kitchen manager who prepares kai for our tamariki lunches is away for the remainder of this week and our back up was unavailable as well. We have prepared kai for today for everyone but are asking you our whaanau to have your tamariki bring lunch to kura for the rest of this week. We will be back to normal and will be able to provide lunch kai from next week on. Ngāa mihi whaanau.

Heoi ano  
Kevin Ikin, Principal

School starts again Term 3      Tues 26<sup>th</sup> July  
ERO visit #1                              Wed 10<sup>th</sup> Aug  
ERO visit #2                              Wed 24<sup>th</sup> Aug  
Altrusa Awards in MPR 5pm      Thurs 15<sup>th</sup> Sept  
Technology Challenge Interschool Fri 23<sup>rd</sup> Sept  
End of Term 3                              Fri 30<sup>th</sup> Sept

**We're very grateful and appreciate of the support from our community**

We received a number of Hygiene Packs from the Maniapoto Marae Pact Trust. They contain: 2 x pkt facemasks; 2 x hand sanitiser; Vicks rub; soap; wet cloths  
Hygiene packs (through whaanau Ora) are available for every whaanau at the kura. We thank the Social Workers (SWIS) team from the Maniapoto Marae Pact Trust for these items and for making them available for our whaanau.



If you have not picked up one of these packs and would like one, please call into the kura and collect one.





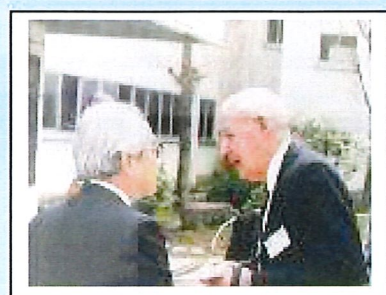




# Waitomo Sister City Cultural Exchange



We are inviting current (2022) Year 6 & 7 students, their families and interested people to an information evening about our proposed cultural exchange to Tatsuno in June 2023. Come along to find out more. *No commitment*. Let us know you'd like to come and for more information email us at [waitomosistercity@gmail.com](mailto:waitomosistercity@gmail.com) by 29 July 2022.



The establishment of our sister city relationship began when two fighter pilots – one from Tatsuno, Japan, Professor Kinase and Squadron Leader Les Munro, from Waitomo, meet at a World War II reunion. The two former enemies realised that both towns had several commonalities between them, the foremost of which is their fireflies and our glow worms, together with their shared war experience.

The first delegation came to Waitomo in March 1993 for informal discussions. On March 30, 1995 an agreement was officially signed at a ceremony held at the Te Kuiti Pa.

The agreement outlines key factors the promotion of friendship and goodwill together with the endeavour to encourage an understanding and awareness of the separate cultures and the exchange of ideas between our people and communities. This relationship has now celebrated 25 years.



# Centennial Park School

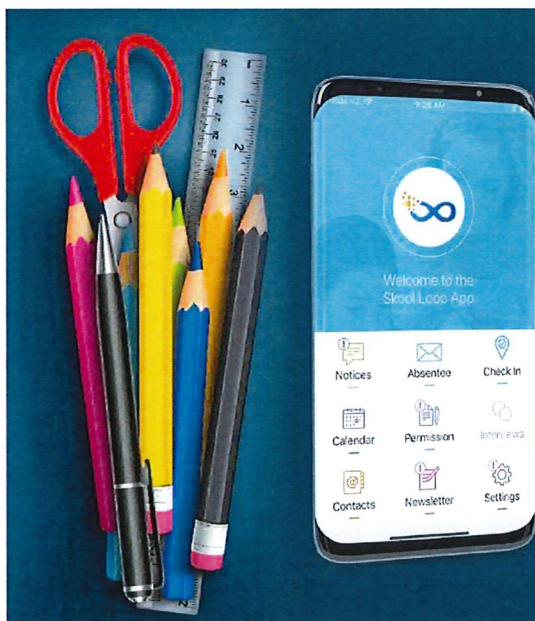
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## **Term 3 Sports**

Te Kura Rautau sees the end of the Soccer Season, Fun Ferns Netball and Rippa Rugby. Ngaa mihi nunui ngaa tamariki o tatou Kura! Thank you for showing Maniapototanga at all your training, thank you for bringing your Panekiretanga to your games, thank you for representing Manatangata within our iwi, and thank you for amazing us with your Wairua Hihiko week after week.



Here is just a glance at what sports we shall expect in Term3.

### **Maniapoto Netball: (CP Te Mauri & CP Manawa)**

This year the semi finals will be played on Thursday 4th August and the finals will be held on Saturday 6th August followed by prizegiving on the day.

### **Eddie Alcock Tournament: (CP Ihi, CP Kaha & CP Mana)**

Held on Wednesday 27th July 2022 (tomorrow) from 9am - 2pm.

### **North King Country Junior Rugby U9s (St Jo Broncos)**

Teare, Te Maunu, Clinton and Lewis have their last game this Saturday for the St Jos Broncos.

### **King Country Rugby (Waitete U13s)**

Stacey, Tarquin & Lawson play their kemu for Waitete U13s this Saturday against Taupo Sports U13s at Te Kuiti Rugby Park at 12.30pm

### **Rippa Rugby Tournament**

Held at the beginning of September (TBC) more details will follow closer to the time.

### **Miniball**

Being one of our popular sports in our kura, the anticipation for MiniBall is alive and strong. 23rd August MiniBall will begin. Wee reminder that fees are set at \$10.00per child and need to be paid before the season begins.



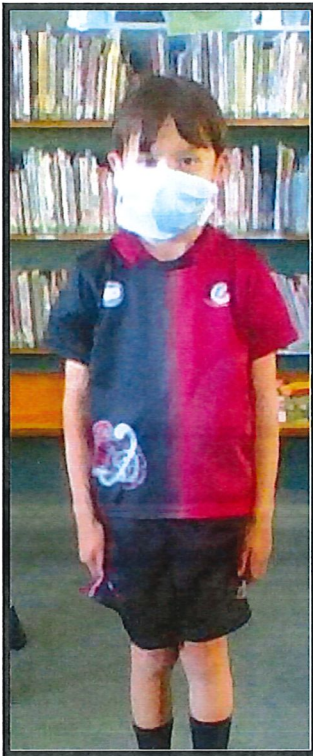
## Sport News

### Sports Uniforms

We need all uniforms at home to be returned to kura

**“AS SOON AS POSSIBLE”**

There are Soccer Shirts & Socks still needing to be returned to kura. Our uniforms are a huge asset to the identity of our kura and just look how sharp Hatta and Taiiri look representing our kura kakahu (clothes). After each fittings (of sports uniforms) our tamariki get so excited, energised and become that much more eager to begin sports, so let's keep it going for our tamariki whaanau



### Eddie Alcock Tournament

Due to the weather the Eddie Alcock Tournament has been postponed till Wednesday 3rd August. We hope to get our tamariki on the court in nice weather to enjoy the day.

Ngaa mihi te whaanau o Maniapoto Netball .



### Weekly Sports Draw

#### NETBALL THURSDAY 28TH JULY 2022

Time	Verses	Court	
4.20pm	CP/TWOM Te Mauri vs Pio Pio Panthers	1 or 2	Semi-Finals
CP Manawa have a BYE this week			

#### RUGBY SATURDAY 30TH JULY 2022

9.00am	SJR Boncos have their last game this weekend
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