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17th August 2021 Kia ora e te whanau,

The Ministry of Education has now confirmed our application to be part of only a select few Schools in a pilot program to have Counselling Support in our kura. There will be more information later in the term to help whanau understand a little of what this all means for us all. The Counselling Service will be for any student or whanau that are having any concerns dealing with situations that cause stress or anxiety. We'll keep you posted.

What is happening in our cluster of Schools: WAKA - Waitomo Arotahi Kahui Ako. All the local school Principals are currently working together to discuss the common identified areas of need. These also align with the National Educational Learning Priorities (NELP) that were submitted and put together in our School Charter. One of those areas is 'Wellbeing'. Something that adds to the stress and we will be working on are things like transitions between Primary and Secondary Schools. We will be keeping you informed as things happen.

Just a small observation about our school lunch program. Many thanks to our whanau who are supporting us with this and encouraging our tamariki to eat a healthy lunch that the kura provides at no cost. It was just a little disappointing to see on one occasion some fried chicken and chips turn up which was then shared by others. Please whanau, we are doing our best to focus on healthy kai for all our tamariki every day.

Heoi ano Kevin Ikin, Principal

PĀANUI

Te Wahanga tua tahi mo te wiki Tuawha Tokohia nga tamariki: 71



Upcoming Events this Term

Duffy Assembly at kura Thurs 19th Aug Kapa Haka Performance L. Munro Wed 1st Sept Conservation Week Sept 4-12th Music Festival: All schools L.M.C Thurs 23rd Sept Last day of Term 3 Fri 1st Oct

Nau mai Haere mai whaanau - A warm welcome to our new students and whaanau in Rooms 2, 3 and 4 who started this week - We know you will enjoy your time here at Te Kura Rautau

Te Hau Kainga o Pureora

We are very lucky to have our wonderful whanau from Te Hau Kainga o Pureora working with all of our tamariki and Kaiako. The next focus area will be on investigating pests in our ngahere. We hope to look at ways we can protect and ensure our manu are looked after If you are curious and would like to learn along side your tamariki, you are more than welcome to join us on one of the Wednesday sessions. Each class has an hour session. Check in with your tamariki and find out what time they attend these classes.

PB4L - Positive Behaviour 4 Learning

Congratulations to all our wonderful students who were recognized last week at our recent PB4L Assembly.

Students were acknowledged for the great things they are doing in and around the kura. There were lots of special prizes and its great to see the tamariki leaving kura extremely happy with their little prizes. Well done to all students who were lucky enough to be drawn out for prizes.

Centennial Park School Values Ngā Uara



Mana Tangata - Pride in their identity, resilience when faced with challenges and adversity, enduring respect and care for hapū and iwi, integrity of character and as an individual

Panekiretanga - (Excellence) in all they apply themselves to

Wairua Hihiko - (Innovation) their creativity, imagination and flair for innovation

Maniapototanga – versed in the whakapapa, waiata, karakia, histories of Maniapoto

Community Notices

PB4L - Making a difference at home:
Well Done to the following students
who were recognized by their whanau
for some awesome stuff at home

League Rata	Being a helpful big brother
Castiel Packer	Reading his schoolbooks without being told
Castiel Packer	Helping to clean toys all around the house
Khalei Puhia	Helping her papa and nana
Khalei Puhia	Showing kindness to her friends



Keeping Safe and sending the right message when crossing the road after School:

Please whanau, use the school crossing area if the road patrol team is on duty. Otherwise, it is sending a confused message to our little ones that it is o.k. to cross the road anywhere. Many thanks for this support

LEGENDZ 3910

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Afterschool Care Program: This has now started and run at the kura in one of the classrooms. There are limited numbers of students. If you are interested in enquiring, please contact Hailey James on 0224549883 or email: Legendz3910@outlook.com

Make the most of a great opportunity This is open to our whanau

Learn how to use 'moka' for weaving on Monday's & Tuesday's

Whaea Hana and Whaea Helen (our nannies) are available from 10am -2pm and anytime in between here at the kura



They look forward to seeing you there.

Every Tuesday and Wednesday afternoon, we have our tamariki learning from our nannies.



FREE Download Skool Loop app





Our uniform can be purchased at The Warehouse or at Sign Co.





Write one out for your tamariki...
Write out more than one...

'Ka Pai' Tickets for whanau:
Write out a 'ka pai' ticket for your child for something they have done that was awesome or really cool that you saw. It is up to you whanau. It could be they did any one of the following things or more.

- For making their room tidy
- For helping with the jobs around the house
- For being kind to their brother or sister
- Helping someone that needed a hand
- Showing excellent manners
- For getting changed and putting away their clothes without being told
- Showing initiatives around the house
- On the sports field / court demonstrating our Uara (School Values)

Please list what they did so we can acknowledge this during our special PB4L Assemblies.

You can find the Ka Pai tickets on the last page

Sport News

This week...

We now move into Miniball training this week. We have 5 teams this year and only 1 (and a half) courts to utilise. I have set out a schedule for whanau at home and coaches to keep in the 'know'. A draw will be posted weekly in classrooms, the staffroom window and school panul for your viewing throughout the 2021 Waitomo Miniball Season.

THE MINIBALL SEASON BEGINS NEXT TUESDAY 24TH AUGUST

TEAM MOHUA

(Midgets)

Te Rahui - Quade - Te Maunu - Lewis Ngarewa - Maddison - Taiao - Anika - Vonteyah -Mareikura - Julian - Kalayus - Anahera Waka

TRAINING: TUESDAY LUNCHTIME GAME DAY: WEDNESDAY EVENINGS

TEAM TITIPOUNAMU

(Juniors)

Wiremu - Mangatea - Lewis Mauritu-Taylor - Tazmyn - Teare - Patariki - Clinton - Kauri -Kiara - Alexi - Kace

TRAINING: THURSDAY LUNCHTIME

GAME DAY: WEDNESDAY EVENINGS

TEAM TUI

(Intermediates)

Tamai - Watea - League - Miriama - Zatalia - Amaia - Nivayah - Matatu - Eli - Lester -Memphis

TRAINING: MONDAY 3.30pm-4.30pm

GAME DAY: THURSDAY EVENINGS

TEAM KŌKAKO

(Seniors)

Khalei - Kansas - Daniel - Rayden - Malikye - Hunter - Jazay - Lucy - Kiana - Saint Claire

TRAINING: SUNDAYS 1pm-2pm

GAME DAY: TUESDAY EVENINGS

TEAM KĀREAREA

(Seniors)

Jaiziah - Jacob - Tarquin - Stacey - Lawson - Anahera Te Moananui Davis - Tuhanea -James - Ngahirapu - Colenzo

TRAINING: SUNDAYS 1pm-2pm

GAME DAY: TUESDAY EVENINGS

BASKETBALL FUNDAMENTAL OPPORTUNITY (Year 8s)

Basketball fundamental skills with Rob Katipa-Maikuku. The Last of the 3 workshops will be held from 3pm - 5pm THIS Sunday. Cost is a \$2 coin and appropriate shoes and clothing is a must.

Sport News

Last week...

We celebrated the end of The Maniapoto Netball 2021 Season with a "Bang" whānau! Both teams brought home a collection of 6 trophies all together. A true testament of the hard work you girls have put in throughout the season, week after week and training after training! - Much respect to you all young-ladies.



As always our kura and girls appreciate the dedication of both Ashley Marshall and Leejay Ruki-Joseph for their time put into the senior girls team while having their own commitments - Ngā mihi anō kōrua!

CP MANAWA SNR NETBALL TEAM

Hailey, Lucy, Ngahirapu, Tuhanea, Anahera, Kiana, Waihanea, Alicia, Aalieghyah
Junior A Grade Runner-ups & Junior A Grade Runner-ups Closing Day

CP MAURI INTER NETBALL TEAM

Kansas-Jade, Khalei, Jazay, Alexi, Zataliya, Amaia, Nivayah, Miriama, Saint Claire

Junior C Grade Winners & Junior C Grade Winners Closing Day

Most goals scored in Jnr C Grade & Most goals scored in Jnr C Grade Closing day

Sport News

SPORT FEES

MAURI ORA TATOU - All sports fees are set at \$10.00 per code/sport.

Options to pay/quiry sport fees:

- Internet Banking detail below
- Pay at the office
- Visit/ring office anytime
- See Whānau Support Group (Chanell Sharpe)
- Sports Coordinators



INTERNET BANKING DETAILS: Whanau Support Group Westpac Bank 03 0449 0171395 00

(Reference: STUDENTS NAME + SPORT)



Training & Basketball Fundamentals with Matua Rob Katipa-Maikuku

SPORTS PERMISSION

Permission slips for Miniball are still needing to come in. Please have the below slip returned to office, Whaea Misy or Whaea Theresa before next weeks games begin!

I give permission for for Te Kura Rautau.	(Child Name) to play within the 2021 Miniball season
I	_ (Parent name) can parent awhi my tamaiti team by,
Parent signature	Date / /



INTRODUCTION AND NEWSLETTER

Brook Park, Motakiora, in Te Kuiti provides a leisure reserve for the enjoyment of resident and visitors. The Park is mostly of a moderate to steep slope, with pockets of native bush, the Barry Blackman collection of conifers and includes significant and notable collections of tree species, both exotic and native. The Park is also leased out for livestock grazing to help keep pasture under control.

There is a system of marked walking tracks allowing short easy walks, to moderately long and strenuous walks. A mountain-bike track has been developed along with an international Disc Golf course.

A carpark is located at the Te Kumi Road entrance to the Park. Pedestrian access to the band rotunda and the wider reserve is available through the sign-posted gate in the carpark.

Motakiora is the site of a fortified Maori Pa. It was constructed probably sometime in the 17th century by Rora, a son of Maniapoto. Today, Motakiora stands like a sentinel over the "gateway" to Te Kuiti.

Friends of Brook Park

Waitomo District Council has adopted a Brook Park Management Plan, which provides for the administration and development of the reserve through the establishment of a "Friends of Brook Park" group. This group is called the Brook Park Incorporated Society and consists of local volunteers who work together to identify projects from the management plan and develop them over time, raising funds where necessary to support this work. This group are always looking for more interested people to join in helping at working bees and running community events. A monthly committee meeting is usually held on the first Monday of the month. At this meeting there are reports on Fencing and maintenance, weed control, upcoming events and reports from groups who are working on special areas of the park.

The Brook Park committee are lucky to have many local businesses who generously sponsor our public fireworks display. This is a huge event always attracting well over one thousand people from all around the district. A professional pyrotechnic company comes from Auckland and provides an amazing show which is enjoyed by all ages who come to the park with their families for a stunning night. This event would not happen without sponsorship and support from our local businesses.

It is great to have more events involving local schools making good use of our park.

If you would like to find out more about the Brook Park Incorporated Society, contact our Chairperson WDC Councillor Guy Whitaker or members Neil Brooks, Phillip Houghton, Andrea Hanna, Sue Wagstaff, Gerald Kay, Helen Sinclair, Elly Kroef, Jane Murray, Graeme Churston, Sheralee Buchanan, Rob Buckley and Glynn Meads



Brook Park Newsletter

This newsletter is to keep members and sponsors of the events we run during the year, up to date with what we are doing.

If you would like to be a member the cost is \$10 per person or \$20/family. There is also the opportunity to become a life member for a one-off fee of \$100. A regular newsletter will be emailed out to you.

This year our annual Fireworks Display is on Saturday 30 October and is open to the public for a gold coin donation. Before the fireworks event we are running Talented Te Kuiti with help from some funding from Creative Communities. We will be featuring local groups to entertain us on stage. There will also be local organisations who will be fundraising by selling food and drinks

There has been some interest in starting a Disc Golf group which would be open to anyone who would like to learn or share their knowledge on this addictive game. When the evenings get a bit longer and warmer a call through this newsletter and newspaper will be made for interested people to meet regularly and have a go.

Brook Park has the chance to make some extra money by having the Community Op Shop from the 6-10 September. Any offers of help and saleable items including baking would be greatly appreciated.

UPCOMING PUBLIC EVENTS

Op Shop fundraiser

6 – 10 September

Annual Fireworks Display

30 October

Talented Te Kuiti performance 30 October – before the Fireworks Display



The COVID-19 vaccination programme is ramping up in the Waikato. You'll be able to get your vaccine at a time and place that suits you.

People are being vaccinated by group – visit **covid19.govt.nz/vaccines** to check what group you're in.

Group 3

You can book your appointment now if you're in Group 3, even if you don't have an invitation. Group 3 includes people over 65, people with disabilities and those caring for them, people with underlying health conditions, and pregnant people.

Freephone **0800 28 29 26** between 8am and 8pm to book your appointment.

Group 4

Group 4 (the general population) starts on 28 July. This is a big group so vaccinations will be done in age bands, starting with people aged over 60 years.

Your invitation will have all the information you need to book online or by phone.

"Amohia ake te ora o te iwi, ka puta ki te wheiao."
To protect the wellbeing of our people is paramount."

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The COVID-19 vaccine is free and safe. It's the best way of protecting yourself, your whānau and your community.

Frequently asked questions

Why do I need to book? Can't I just turn up?

We need to make sure the people most at risk are protected first. We also have a lot of people to vaccinate across the takiwā and we can't do it all in one go. We have enough vaccine for everyone in New Zealand – you won't miss out.

Where can I be vaccinated?

People will be able to go to a range of places to get vaccinated – community vaccination centres, fixed sites, mobile clinics, GPs and pharmacies located all over the Waikato.

Is the vaccine safe?

The Pfizer vaccine has been rigorously tested. It is approved by Medsafe, New Zealand's medicines safety authority, meaning it has met international and local standards for quality, safety and efficacy. Millions of people around the world have already received the vaccine with great results.

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Waikato District Health Board

PB4L

Our Uara focus for this fortnight is Mana Tangata.

Below we have attached two Mana Tangata tickets so you can award your tamariki for demonstrating Mana Tangata at home. Can you please print your tamaiti name, the reason for the ka pai tickets, the date and your signature.

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