


Manawaru School

Newsletter



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Our focus this term
is our school vision
'Empowering learners
for their future'

28 May 2021

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PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Ata mārie,

I hope this newsletter finds farming families looking forward to the start June 1 brings. To those who are moving on I hope you take fond memories of Manawaru with you.

Those staying have Manawaru School Agriculture Day to look forward to! We have a parent who is prepared to make it happen - thanks Jenny. We also have a community member Warren who will bring his extensive knowledge to the event, thank you. We are also on the look out for people who are keen to lend a bit of a helping hand, nothing hard, but all necessary to make the day a success, especially since it has been a while since our last day. If you think this could be something you are interested in please contact us at school. The children are very excited; apparently in some homes calf names are being considered already! It is heart warming to be part of a school being well supported by the community.

Our Fundraising team have raised over \$15,000 from the Trivial Pursuits event! What a great effort by everyone concerned. Thanks for the feedback received - planning for 2022 has begun. The funds raised by this team make a real difference to Manawaru School. They contribute to Teacher Aide time, resources, events such as Beach Education and making Manawaru School a great place for learning. Thank you team! An A.G.M. has been planned for June. It would be great to see a few more join the team.

Following the success of our Police visit we were fortunate enough to be visited by a team of Te Aroha Voluntary firefighters, bringing a fire engine and a tanker. There was water and foam and hoses and gadgets galore. It was interesting to learn a bit about the reality of being involved in the fire service, and the challenges these firefighters face. It was lots of fun, also a time of learning, and appreciation for these people who give up their time to support our community. Thank you for sparing the time to come and share with us. We were all relieved that you didn't get called away!

This week has seen the beginning of our possum trapping in the gully. A team of seniors have decided the possums need to go! They have had early success and are keen to eliminate the pests. So if you are in the gully with your family be aware that there are several traps, attached to trees. They are bright yellow, so should be noticeable. Only the senior people are allowed in the gully during school time, and we have shared with the rest of the school. All care is being taken to make this a safe exercise for all but the possum! This is definitely a school with rural character. :)

Keep an eye out for our upcoming 'Special Person Day' that we are fine tuning for 10 June. We want children to have the opportunity to share at school about someone special in their lives - a friend, a grandparent, a neighbour or anyone special!

Rosemary Hendrikse

"The greatness of a community is most accurately measured by the compassionate actions of its members." – Coretta Scott King

COMING EVENTS

June

- 7 Queen's Birthday - holiday.
- 9 Rippa Rugby.
- 11 Cultural Day.
- 16 NYLD - Room One.

July

- 9 Last day of Term two.
- 26 First day of Term three.

REMINDERS

If you would like to pay by internet banking for **stationery (e.g. Prime Maths books) or T shirts, etc.** our school bank account number is:

03 1573 0013006 00

The Fundraising Club account for any **sausage sizzles or fundraising things** is:

02 0436 0071213 00

FUNDRAISING CLUB A.G.M.

17 June 2021
8:30 a.m.
Community View

MANAWARU SCHOOL POOL KEYS

There are still some pool keys that need to be returned. When you return them to school, you will receive your pool key refund.



CREDIT UNION SCHOOL BANKING

The First Credit Union provides a school banking service for all pupils at Manawaru School.

Getting started is easy - just pick up an application pack from the school office, fill in the application form and return it to the school office.

If your children already do school banking – great! Remember, the school banking is collected on Thursday each week!

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Manawaru School Board of Trustees **Casual vacancy for a Parent Representative**

A casual vacancy has occurred on the school board for an elected parent representative.

The board has decided to fill the vacancy by selection.

If 10% or more of eligible voters on the school roll ask the board, within 28 days of this notice being published, to hold a by-election to fill the vacancy, then a by-election will be held.

Request for a by-election should be sent to:

Lisa Loomans (chairperson)
Manawaru School Board of Trustees
C/- Manawaru School
442 Manawaru Road
R D 1
Te Aroha
3391
by: 25th June 2021

Rally@412

Rally@412 is a fortnightly children's programme that includes games, craft work, badges, activities and a Bible based talk.

All children from 7-12 year years are very welcome to come and transport can be provided for most of the Manawaru area.

Parents are most welcome to stay. Fees are \$5.00 per child per term.

The next Rally night is
Monday, 31st May 2021
Woodwork project and senior special

For more information contact:

Joy Wallace - 027 451 8920
Denis Wallace - 027 600 3080
denisandjoy@gmail.com





This term we are learning about the support all around us in our community.

We started with a very busy week of creating artwork to help decorate the Manawaru Hall because our awesome Fundraising committee was able to go ahead with a Trivial Pursuits night this year.

We wanted to contribute our efforts and show how much we appreciate our community coming together to help US!



Helpers in our Community

We have also had some special visitors over the last few weeks - visitors with special equipment, uniforms and cool sirens. Police Officers from the Matamata station and fire fighters from the Te Aroha Volunteer Fire Brigade came to show us all the gear they use to keep us safe and healthy.

Learning about these things helps us to understand that these (sometimes scary-looking) vehicles and people are all about helping our community and being of service to others.

Thank you to all our local service people for coming and sharing your time with us - we loved it!



YUMMY APPLE STICKER PROMOTION



How to Play



NEW WORLD

- ♦ Shop at your local New World, Pak'n Save and participating Four Square stores.
- ♦ Purchase Yummy apples, either bags with cut-out labels or individual apples with Yummy stickers. One cut-out label is worth 10 apple stickers.
- ♦ Place the Yummy stickers on Sticker Collection Sheets and the cut-out labels on Cut-Out Label Collection Sheets. (For sheets - see below)
- ♦ When you have filled up a sheet please place it in the container in the School Office.
- ♦ Your Yummy stickers will then be converted into a winning share of the \$200,000 sports prize pool from DG Sport.
- ♦ If you need more sheets you can either get them from school or print them out from the website: **www.yummyfruit.co.nz** and **click on school sticker promo.**
- ♦ If you are not able to access the website and print the sheets off, please see Adele in the Office.

Start saving for Super Saver rewards.

The First Credit Union School Banking Programme is a great way to learn about saving money! While you are saving, you can also earn Super Saver rewards along the way.

How you redeem rewards:

1. Make 5 school banking deposits throughout the school term through the First Credit Union School Banking Programme.
2. Once you have made 5 deposits – choose a reward below and fill in the coupon that goes with it. (Use your savings tracker sheet to see how you are going).
3. Place your reward coupon in your school banking passbook and take it to school on your next school banking day.

Simple rules

Rewards can be redeemed as of the specified school term and are available while stocks last.



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Hi Everyone, I'm **Constable Aimee Searle**, the new Rural Support officer for Matamata-Piako area.

If you don't know me already, I live locally (Ngarua area) and when I'm not working I am a mum to our 4 young children, and a farmer's wife.

I'm passionate about representing rural people and helping you out wherever I can. I send out a rural newsletter to keep everybody up to date with what's happening rurally in our area, and would love more people to receive it, so if you're interested please contact me on aimee.searle@police.govt.nz and I will send it to you.

Otherwise, if I can help you or anyone you know, be it with crime prevention advice, assistance with neighbourhood disputes or any concerns you may have, please get in touch.

Look forward to working with you all and I'll see you at the school sometime soon. Aimee



Manawaru Community Church Service



You are invited to the Manawaru Community Church
(Country Gospel Service)
(opposite the school)

To be held on Sunday, 13th June
at 5:00 p.m.

Everyone is welcome

After the service we will have soup
and a savoury tea in the Hall.
A small plate would be appreciated.

This will be a great time to meet or catch up
with people in our community, so keep this
evening free and come along and enjoy a
lovely service together.

MANAWARU TABLE TENNIS CLUB



Table Tennis is held
on Wednesday nights
at 7:30 p.m.
In the Manawaru Hall



The cost for the season is as follows:
\$20 - adults. \$15 - school / College children
\$2 - casual

New members are welcome

Phone Ragvir on 8846 758 for further information

MANAWARU INDOOR BOWLS



Thursday nights
7:00 p.m.

Manawaru Hall

Come along and have a fun family night

For further information please phone:
Mark Davey on 027 281 3621



Manawaru Playcentre

Come and play with your children
(ages 0-6 years)

and explore our Centre

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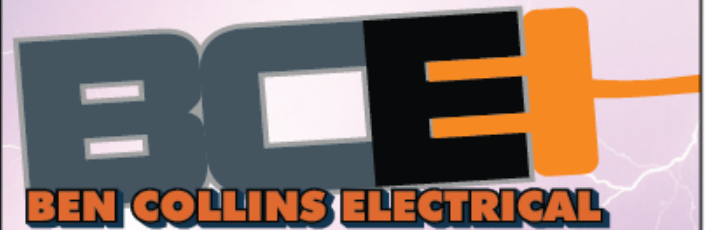
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