

Manawaru School Newsletter



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Our focus this term
is being a
recogniser of
structure and norms

16th August 2019

**Empowering learners
for their future**

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

This morning as I write this newsletter I have excited children racing past my window, as they build up to their Cross country event today. It is so lovely to see their enthusiasm, and their anticipation for the challenge ahead. I know it isn't every child that is filled with excitement, and looking forward to the day, I remember my cross country experiences! But what I see, and what I have heard from these runners is that the cross country experience is about putting in effort over time to achieve progress. Cross country is just the manner in which we are showing this, on this occasion. It is important to build this thinking across a range of experiences, to present challenges for all. Well done to all of our participants!

Much of school life has been built up around putting in effort to show progress and achievement in areas such as reading and writing. Sport has often been used to celebrate competition, and this has a place. But when we look at our vision of 'Empowering Learners for their future' it is the learning that with effort comes progress that is the most empowering learning!

The Te Aroha Kaahui Ako (Community of Schools) was fortunate to gain two Learning Support Coordinators. This was because we have created an Additional Support Register across our schools and early childhood centres. We did so to have a better idea what the learning needs are across our schools, so we can most effectively target support for our learners together. So to have two teaching positions to support this mahi will be amazing! We have a lot of work to get these positions sorted, they begin in 2020. It is an exciting boost for us all, and while it won't be a magic wand, being able to more effectively support the Te Aroha Learner is why we are a Kaahui Ako!

Last week I spent some time with Lester Flockton, an educationalist who has contributed to the New Zealand Curriculum. Schools are encouraged to build their own local curriculum based on this, and our Harakeke forms the backbone of ours. As a teaching team we are working towards evolving this rich curriculum. It is an exciting time in Education!

We have the Education Review Office joining us for a week in the beginning of September. This is always an anxious time as we try to demonstrate how things work at Manawaru School in a very short time. One of our strengths is our supportive community. There will be a community meeting, and I would urge you to contribute. In order to validate what we say is happening the E.R.O. need to hear or see it in 3 different places. I urge you to be one of our sources of validation!

Rosemary Hendrikse

With persistent endeavour, you can fulfil your dreams."

— Lailah Gifty Akita

CALENDAR

AUGUST

- 20 Hearing and Vision technician at school.
Te Aroha District Cross Country.
District Cross Country Postponement day.
- 26 B.O.T. Meeting at 5:30 p.m. in the school staff room.

SEPTEMBER

- 2-6 E.R.O. at school.
Free mobile ear clinic Future at Future Te Aroha Centre, Te Aroha. 9:00 - 11:00 a.m.
- 12 Rural Speech Contest.
- 23 Possible Market Day for PREP.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING

MONDAY, 26TH AUGUST
5:30 P.M.
School staff room
All are welcome to attend

THANK YOU

A very big thank you to Dayle and Jenny Foote for all of the work they did around the school on Saturday. It is much appreciated.

Rally @ 412

Rally is a fun children's programme for 7-12 year olds and is held every fortnight at the Manawaru Bible Chapel at 412 Manawaru Road from 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

The programme includes games, craft work, outings, Badge work, life skills and a Bible based time where we learn how to apply Christian teaching and values. Transport is available for most of the Manawaru area.

Parents are most welcome to attend any Rally night. Fees are \$5 per term with an occasional extra charge for special activities.

Next Night: Monday, 26th August

Exercise night. Wear something comfortable that you can stretch in!



For more information contact:

Denis Wallace 0276003080
Joy Wallace 0274518920 or
Email them at: denisandjoy@gmail.com

STATIONERY ACCOUNTS

Stationery accounts were sent home in week one. We would appreciate it if these could be paid as soon as possible please. If you would like to make an Internet payment, the school bank account number is:

03 1573 0013006 00

Please note that this is different from the Fundraising Club account for sausage sizzles, etc. **The Fundraising Club account number is:**

02 0436 0071213 00

CREDIT UNION SCHOOL BANKING

First Credit Union provides a great school banking service to 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 (the red banking box). They pick up the banking each week and send the books back to school again.

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



SUNDAY 15 SEPTEMBER 2019
CAMBRIDGE HIGH SCHOOL, SWAYNE ROAD, CAMBRIDGE

CATEGORIES FOR:

- YEARS 3 - 4
- YEARS 5 - 6
- YEARS 7 - 8

STARTING
AT 9:40AM

SPOT PRIZES
MEDAL ON THE DAY
\$10 ENTRY

{ ENTER ON LINE }
www.tridentresults.com

Sanctioned Event No. 1087 (2019)



FOR MORE INFORMATION: www.cambridgeathleticandharrierclub.nz

Kia ora koutou katoa - winter greetings to you all from the Year 2 and 3 cohort!

It has been a very sporty few weeks to start our third term. Along with the rest of the school, we have been finishing up rugby skills training with Ollie, training for the cross-country AND we've started gymnastics with Nicole, Sophie and Lisa. We're building healthy bodies for our healthy minds!



We practiced safe landings in gymnastics with a motorcycle freeze.

Learning new movement skills is a lot of fun.

Pencil rolls and roly-poly's made us a bit dizzy...



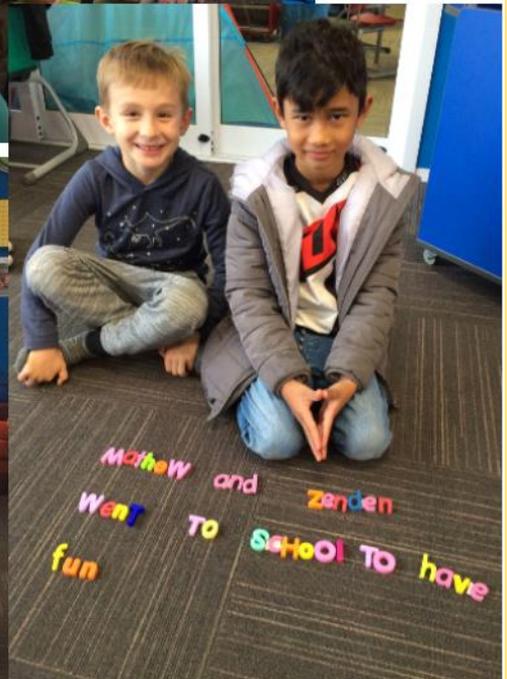
Ollie was proud of his rugby trophy, and we were proud of him. Thanks for sharing your rugby knowledge with all of us, Ollie!



Long-distance running is another new skill set. It's not always easy to pace yourself when you want to sprint, so we have been keeping a record of our progress during cross-country training.

Room 3

We've also been busy with Matariki and tree planting, making things, writing speeches, earning certificates, learning with Constable Ross and having fun together. Good times in the mud!



Below are our new updated Haraheke

HARAKEKE



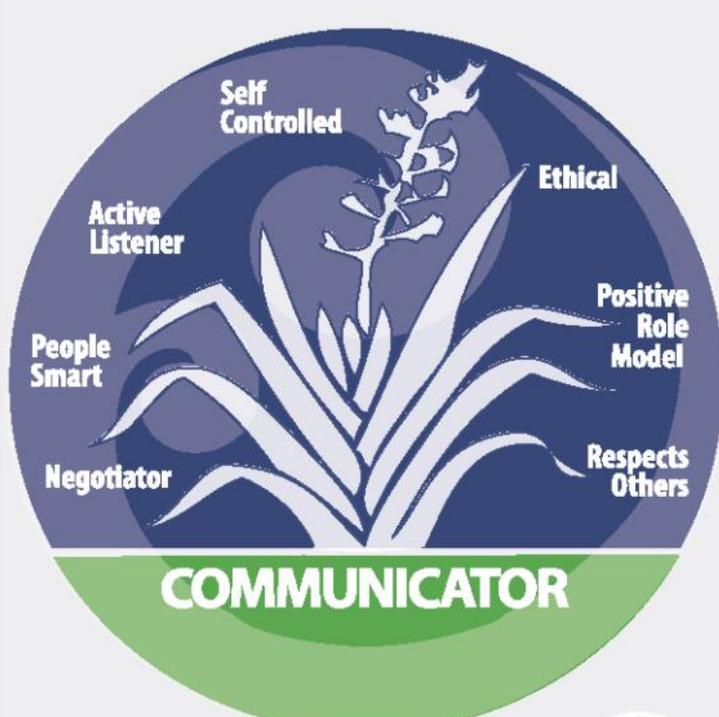
Recogniser of Structure & Norms
Helpful
Appropriate Participator
Respects Sustainability
Initiative Taker
Empathetic
Aware of Global Community

PARTICIPATOR CONTRIBUTOR

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HARAKEKE



Self Controlled
Ethical
Active Listener
Positive Role Model
People Smart
Respects Others
Negotiator

COMMUNICATOR

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HARAKEKE



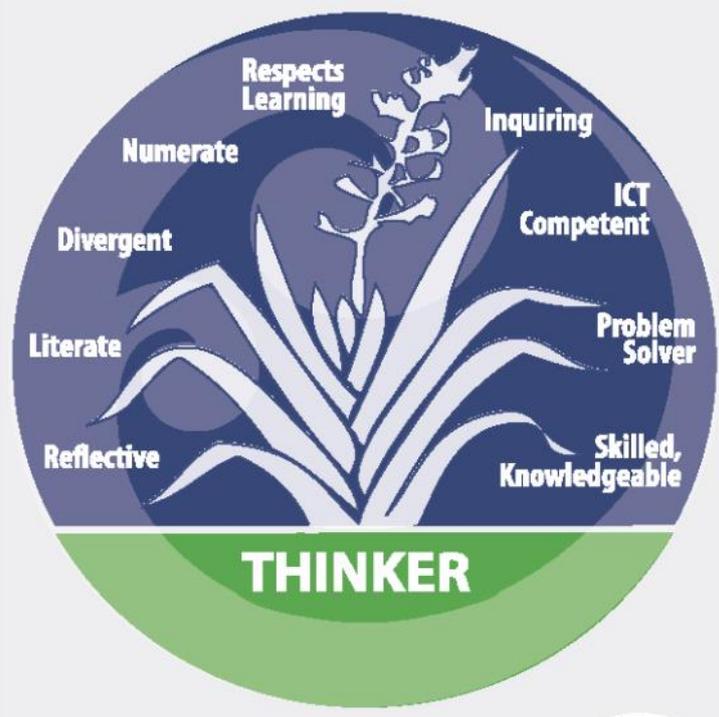
Work Ethic
Resilient
Organised
Self Efficacious
Respects Self
Accountable
Adaptable
Positive Can-Do Attitude

SELF MANAGER

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HARAKEKE



Respects Learning
Inquiring
Numerate
ICT Competent
Divergent
Problem Solver
Literate
Skilled, Knowledgeable
Reflective

THINKER

MANAWARU SCHOOL
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**Manawaru School and District
120th Jubilee
3rd April – 5th April 2020**

Registration Form

We warmly invite you attend the events celebrating the 120th Jubilee of Manawaru School and District.

Friday 3rd April from 6.00pm – Manawaru Hall

Meet, Mingle and school movie – Please bring potluck dish and drink – please provide your own plate, cutlery and glasses.

Saturday 4th April 10am – Manawaru School

School ceremony – lunch will be provided.

Saturday 4th April 7.30pm – Manawaru Hall

Casual get together and band – Please bring own snacks and drinks.

Sunday 5th April 10am – Manawaru Church

Church service with morning tea at Manawaru Hall afterwards – Please bring a cake/baking to share.

We would love any old photos that you have!!

Please share by sending to the Jubilee email address!!

Please register by 1st February 2020

Registration fees can be deposited into: BNZ - Manawaru Jubilee – 02-0436-0074887-000

Please use surname and first name as a reference.

Forward registration form to: - manawaru120thjubilee@gmail.com

Or to:

Vicky Kelly – Jubilee Secretary

Thackray's Hall

389 Manawaru Road

RD1

Te Aroha

3391

For **more** information please contact Vicky Kelly on 021 048 3593 or look at the website at www.manawaru120thjubil.wixsite/120th

Name (please include maiden name)	Contact	Adult (\$5 registration)	School Child (free)	Friday Evening (\$10)	Saturday Day (\$15)	Saturday Evening	Sunday Day	Resided in District (Years to and from)	Attended Manawaru School (Years to and from)
Total:								Total Fee:	

MANAWARU Playcentre

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Come and play with your children (ages 0 - 5) and explore our fabulous centre featuring many different areas of play. We provide great opportunities for educational development and a place to enjoy some adult conversation.

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9:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon

3 free visits

Phone Dianne on 07 888 0778
or 027 551 9118
or email manawaru@playcentre.org.nz



Whānau tupu ngātahi - families growing together

NETSAFE - (ONLINE SAFETY)

Netsafe have recently launched a great new resource for parents and whānau, the 'Online Safety Parent Toolkit'. This interactive PDF offers parents and whānau practical tips and tools to help them talk to their children about online safety. It includes:

- Quick-starter tips for parents, whānau and young people
- Information to enhance digital parenting knowledge
- Details about the online risks and challenges their children may face
- Advice about how they can help their children.

<https://www.netsafe.org.nz/wp-content/uploads/2019/07/Online-Safety-Parent-Toolkit-R2.pdf>

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TE AROHA ATHLETICS CLUB AGM

Sunday 25th August
12:00 p.m.
at Herries Park Clubrooms
All Welcome

MANAWARU TABLE TENNIS CLUB

Wednesday nights
Commencing on 3rd April
7:30 p.m.
Manawaru Hall

Adults \$20.00 sub
Students \$15.00 sub
or \$2.00 per night casual

For further information please phone 8846 758.



MANAWARU INDOOR BOWLING CLUB

Thursday nights
at 7:30 p.m.

Come and join us for a game of indoor bowls at the Manawaru Hall in Shaftesbury Road Suitable for the whole family (Under 12's must be accompanied by a parent) If you need any further information please contact Mark Davey on 027 281 3621



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