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

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#### PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Since the last district newsletter so much has happened!

We have gratefully received a donation of \$5,000 from Hillview Trust. This amount together with \$10,000 from the Fundraising Club, together with some school money has resulted in the purchase of a new van, which we hope will be in service next week! Thanks to Mike Van Marrewjk for his efforts tracking this van down. Thank you all!

For a long time the Fundraising Club has been talking about buying a container for the playground. We want to be able to have the woodworking gear more accessible and to gather some materials so huts can be made by the playground. Dave and Glenda Aplin have kindly donated their container to the school! It was great to see Bryleigh Aplin and Hamish Mohring deliver it, a fabulous end to our day! Thank you so much, I know that once we get a new door on it, this container will be the well used!

With our planting day last term postponed we have a new date of July 1st for our planting to happen. Last week Ruairi, with his Enviro-school's hat on, facilitated a meeting with Waikato Regional Council. The result of this was some fabulous support getting ready for our planting day next week. James and Mat have mowed, and sprayed in the gully, and as I am writing this I hear them down there yet again today! Thanks to Pete and Sarah for the work they have put into making this planting happen. They are also donating extra plants for our special day! Thanks to Mike and Lisa for their weeding efforts.

We would love to see our parents on planting day. We aim to start around 10.30 am, and to put the B.B.Q. on so we can commune over a sausage at the end. Our aim is for it to be a chance to catch up as well as a day to plant. Please bring a spade!

One of the changes after lockdown has been life without Phil Davis. Our bus driver for many years, Phil has been an important part of the life of the school, with his ready grin, and his interest in the children on his bus. We will miss his caring nature and his tolerance! We are planning to have a morning tea for Phil on the last day of the term, 2nd July. If you would like to join us please let us know so we can cater for you.

**Rosemary Hendrikse** 

*"I can no other answer make but thanks, and thanks, and ever thanks." - William Shakespeare* 

COMING EVENTS	FREE MOBILE EAR CLINIC
July1Enviro Day.2Last day of term two.3Teacher Only Day - no school.20First day of Term three.August33Free 'drop in' ear clinic at Future Te Aroha	The free 'drop in' ear clinic for children will be available at the Future Te Aroha Community Centre, 13 Boundary Street, Te Aroha from 12:00 noon till 2:00 p.m. on Monday, 3rd August and from 9:15 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. on Wednesday, 30th September.
<ul> <li>Centre, 13 Boundary Street from 12:00 noon till 2:00 p.m.</li> <li>Manawaru School Cross Country.</li> <li>Postponement Day for School Cross Country.</li> <li>District Cross Country.</li> <li>Postponement Day for District Cross Country.</li> </ul>	They now have an allocated section of the day that is for appointments only, and these will be booked by the ear clinic service themselves, so they can review specific children.
September	If you require an appointment please phone
<ul> <li>Free 'drop in' ear clinic at Future Te Aroha</li> <li>Centre, 13 Boundary Street from 9:15 a.m.</li> <li>to 2:30 p.m.</li> </ul>	the ear nurse on 07 838 3565, ext 22094.
REMINDERS	SWIMMING POOL KEYS
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	Please return all pool keys as soon as possible and you will receive your pool key refund.
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The Fundraising Club account for any sausage sizzles or fundraising things is: 02 0436 0071213 00	EDVENTURE HAMILTON HOLIDAY PROGRAMMES ARE BACK!
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sausage sizzles or fundraising things is: 02 0436 0071213 00 DENTAL CLINIC The Waikato DHB Community Oral Health service is pleased to advise you that we will resume routine dental checks from our	HOLIDAY PROGRAMMES ARE BACK! JULY 2020 After Covid 19 close-down we are excited to announce that day holiday programmes will be back up and running in July 2020 and camps will be back in September/October.



See you on your next EDVENTURE. #Support Local!

# Learning through play



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Room 4 have been learning about shapes with Miss O.

They created shape monsters.

The body is their favourite shape and colour, the eyes are the number of children in their family, the mouth is an oval shape for boys and a semi-circle for girls.

The number of teeth is their age and their hair is the number of letters in their name.

# **Container has arrived**

There was great excitement when the container arrived to store our play equipment in. Here is the enthralled audience watching from a safe distance and the container being explored.









FAREWELL MORNING TEA	Getting to know us
Thursday, 2nd July 2020	Manawaru School
9:45 a.m.	Board of Trustees
	Dianne Toogood:
morning tea for Phil Davis, who has been driving our	Tell us something about yourself.
school bus for many years. He has decided to retire and we would like to farewell him with a morning tea.	My husband and I have lived around the area for about 18 years with three of our five children attending Manawaru school. I'm very involved with the local Playcentre and a great believer in community. I sometimes help out at school as a Teacher Aide which I really enjoy.
	How was school for you?
I his will give our parents an opportunity to say thank you and wish him well for his retirement.	For most of my school years my large family lived on the coast of Taranaki where I attended Rahotu School and later Opunake
We would appreciate it if you could let us know if you will be attending so we have numbers for catering purposes.	right, we were a bit wild and hig was very laid back and revolved mostly around the beach. I always enjoyed school. I did okay, I kept my nose clean, plus it was a great place to see my friends!
You could email us at office@manawaru.school.nz or	What is something you have learnt since coming on the Board of Trustees?
text us on 027 394 6585 -	Being on the B.O.T. has been quite different to any other committee I've ever been on. I've learned it's definitely something you need to do to be able to understand its role.

#### RECYCLED **ALUMINIUM CANS**

We will no longer be recycling aluminium cans at school.

Please do not leave any at the corner of the school property from now on.

#### MANAWARU

## Playcentre

405B Manawaru Road in the village

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.

Monday and Friday 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

#### MANAWARU HALL BOOKINGS

If you would like to make any hall bookings please phone Alys on 021 0230 3003

#### MANAWARU HERITAGE CENTRE

The Manawaru Heritage Centre is now ready to accept any donations from the community of hand-held items or photos, with a Manawaru story attached, to be used as part of the displays at the centre.

If you have anything, please drop by the Heritage Centre on a Monday, Thursday or Friday from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. or contact 021 0483 593 Vickv on or email manawaruheritage@gmail.com

#### MANAWARU TABLE TENNIS CLUB



Wednesday nights 7:30 p.m.



Manawaru Hall New members are welcome Phone Ragvir on 8846 758 for any further information

#### MANAWARU INDOOR BOWLS



Thursday, nights

7:00 p.m.

Manawaru Hall

Come and give bowls a try For any enquiries please phone

Mark Davey on 027 281 3621

### **Rally@412**

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

It is run by and at the Manawaru Bible Chapel at 412 Manawaru Road from 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. on alternate Monday evenings.

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, 20th July (the normal time)

Cooking and other surprises



For more information contact:

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