

# Manawaru School

## Newsletter



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

**24 July 2020**

**Empowering learners  
for their future**

### **PRINCIPAL'S REPORT**

Mihi atu ki ā tātou kātoa

I hope you all enjoyed the two week break from the school routine and had the opportunity to grab some special family time – especially those of you who have started calving. So I hope as this newsletter reaches you, the farmers amongst you, are hanging in there!

It has been a positive start to the new term. It is great to be back at school for the beginning of what we hope will be a 'normal' term in this unusual year of 2020. Term three will be a busy and active term with a number of events planned, so make sure you check out our calendar of events within this newsletter to see what is on and when.

Cross country training is now in full swing. Each day we have a training run, weather permitting. Next week we plan on running the course through the farm. Shoes are the best option. They are strongly advised as the children run on a variety of surfaces. We also suggest having a pair of shorts to pop on too as in some paddocks the grass is long and not always dry. A big thank you to Stephen Weir who has generously opened up his farm so we can run through it. The school Cross Country is in Week three (Wednesday 5 August) and District Cross Country is the following week on the 12 August.

Manawaru School is a Restorative Practice school so we focus on building and maintaining positive, respectful relationships across the school community. The 'Five Fs' (Foul up, Face up, Fess up, Fix up and Follow up) are our way of supporting learning the trickier social skills within this model. We are really focussing on this learning again as it encourages us to think about what has happened, and creates a culture of learning from our actions, rather than being punitive. Empowering learners by building on their people skills will definitely aid them in later life.

Thank you to those who responded to the Ag Day Survey. In order for this to go ahead this year we need someone to lead the team. If you think this is something that you could do or if you know of someone in our school community who would, can you please contact the School Office. There are a team of five who have indicated that they would be part of your team of helpers.

Mel Sargent

***You can until you know better, and then when you know better, do better.***  
***Maya Angelou***

## COMING EVENTS

### August

- 3 Teacher Only Day. See HERO notification.
- 3 Free 'drop in' ear clinic at Future Te Aroha Centre, 13 Boundary Street from 12:00 noon till 2:00 p.m.
- 5 Manawaru School Cross Country.
- 7 Postponement Day for School Cross Country.
- 12 District Cross Country.
- 13 Postponement Day for District Cross Country.

### September

- 25 Last day of Term three.
- 30 Free 'drop in' ear clinic at Future Te Aroha Centre, 13 Boundary Street from 9:15 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

### October

- 12 First day of Term four.

## 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**

## COMMUNITY VIEW SITE OPENING

As you are aware because of the Covid pandemic, the planned April weekend of Manawaru District 120 year celebrations including celebrating the Community View restoration project of the old dairy factory had to be postponed..

With the passage of time it has proved too difficult to resurrect the original jubilee weekend programme so Community View will now run a one day Saturday event.

This will be held on **26th September** which is a week after the N.Z. national elections and fits well in the farming calendar.

What we are planning for now:

**COMMUNITY VIEW SITE OPENING DAY  
including the new HERITAGE CENTRE and a  
120 YEAR 'JUBILEE - LITE' FOR MANAWARU**

An actual agenda for the day will follow shortly.

## N.Z. GENERAL ELECTIONS

### To register for a job

Manawaru School is a Polling Booth for the New Zealand General Elections in September.

It is now less than 75 days before the General Election on the 19<sup>th</sup> September 2020, although Advanced voting is to commence in some areas as from 5<sup>th</sup> September 2020.

The process of interviewing people for our advance voting, election day voting and post election roles is happening now. To apply for these roles please go to:

**<https://elections.nz/jobs/>**

The post election roles run for approximately four weeks after the election when we are involved in completing the official count and various other administrative functions.

For more information or to register your interest please visit **[elections.nz](https://elections.nz/jobs/)** or call **0800 36 76 56**.

You don't need election experience as you will be trained and supported to do the job.

## MANAWARU HALL BOOKINGS

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

### MANAWARU

#### TABLE TENNIS



Wednesday nights: 7:30 p.m. at the Manawaru Hall

#### BOWLS



Thursday nights: 7:00 p.m. at the Manawaru Hall

**EAT RIGHT  
EVERY DAY!**

It is important to eat  
healthy, well-balanced  
meals and snacks  
every day, not just  
when you play sport.  
Keep your body  
healthy, strong and  
ready for action all  
year round.

**EAT TO ENERGIZE**



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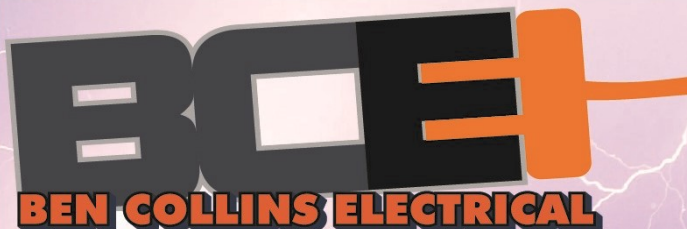


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