

KAPANUI SCHOOL

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Kia Ora

Nga whanau o te kura Kapanui tena koutou katoa.

Welcome to Week 5 Term 2.

Temperatures have dropped considerably meaning winter has arrived. Please ensure children come to school dressed for the weather. Pack a good healthy lunch for them, this will help get them through their busy day.



School Photos

Friis Photography will be at school on Wednesday 30 and Thursday 31 May. All students will be photographed. You do not order/pay for your child's portraits or class photos until AFTER PHOTO DAY. You will receive an order form featuring a photo of your child. Packs range from \$40 - \$15. Family/sibling photos – order form is on the reverse of advice note which your child will bring home. You can also get a Family Order Form at www.schoolmemories.co.nz. Photo orders for siblings must be returned to school office before photo day i.e. 30 May.

If you want your Preschool children photographed, bring them along to the school hall either day at 8.30 am.

This is the timetable for class photos:

Wednesday

Nga Kaitoro Rooms 1, 20, 22, 23, 24	Rangatahi Rooms 8, 9, 10, 11, 12
Thursday	
Nga Kakano Rooms 6, 13, 14, 15, 16 17, 18, 19 and Room 21	Inquirers Rooms 2, 3, 4, 5, 7

Nga Kakano Cross Country

The year 1 and 2 Cross Country will be on Friday 1 June at 11:30 a.m. **This will be on the School field.** We would love parents to come and watch.

Inter School Cross Country.

Tuesday 5th June School Cross Country

Helpers required to assist with the sausage sizzle. Please email lisannektempler@gmail.com or 021547263.

Celebrating Student Success

Kapanui Magic

Players of the day:

Kirsty-Anne McGlynn and Alexa Cowley

Queen's Birthday

Monday 4 June – school closed.

Years 5-8 Science Fair

Students in Years 5-8 have been busy working on their Science Fair investigations in their classes over the past few weeks.

Students in the Inquirers Syndicate will have these on display in their classes next Thursday 7th June from 3pm. This will be an opportunity for families to view all the Science Fair Rangatahi displays can be viewed on Friday 8th June 3 – 3.45pm.

Investigations within the Inquirers classes. Some investigations from Year 5-8 classes will be selected from each class to go onto our School Science Fair on Monday 11th June. These will then be judged by three guest judges. The top 15 entries will then go onto represent Kapanui School at the Kapiti Interschool Science Fair on Thursday 14th June at Kapiti Primary from 3.30-7pm. You will be notified closer to the time if your child's entry will be representing the school for this.

Matariki Celebrations

We will be having Whānau based celebrations at the school. Each night will be a different whānau coming together to celebrate Matariki - the Maori New Year with a shared dinner. It is a chance to share in some kai with family and friends, and see some of the Matariki activities that children have been completing in their whānau group. 19th June will be Te Awa and Te

Waka, 20th June Te Whenua and Ngā Manu, and the 21st June Te Moana.

Mahara Gallery Performance

The Year 5 - 8's from Te Roopu o te Kapakapanui will be performing on Friday 15th June 4pm, at Mahara Place for the gallery Matariki celebrations. A separate notice will be going home with these children tomorrow, this needs to be returned to the office by Friday 9th June. Please come along and support our tamariki.

Year 8 Immunisation

The Public Health Nurse will be here on 15 June to immunise all year 8 students who have returned their parental consent form. The vaccine is to prevent the HPV infection.

Year 7 Immunisation

Students with parental consent will receive their Boostrix on 27 June to protect them against tetanus, diphtheria and whooping cough.

Policy Review – Reporting to Parents on Student Progress and Achievement

This policy is available to read and comment on. Follow the instructions below:

Visit the website

<http://kapanui.schooldocs.co.nz/1893.htm>.

Enter the user (kapanui) and password (kapanui).

Follow the link to the relevant policy as listed.

Read the policy. Click the Policy Review button at the right hand top corner of the page.

Select the reviewer type 'Parent/Caregiver'.

Enter your name. Submit your ratings and comments.

Year 7 and 8 Curious Cove 2019

As the year flies by we need to begin preparations for our Senior Students Camp to the Marlborough Sounds.

Camp 1

Monday 25th February – Friday 1st March

Camp 2

Monday 4th March – Friday 8th March 19. This will be for all our current Year 6 and Year 7 students. The estimated cost is \$380 for each person. This will be confirmed closer to the time. We encourage students to start thinking about

this and starting a savings plan now, to make for an easier time at the start of the year.

Later on in the Term we will be asking for an expression of interest from Parents who would like to accompany us to Camp as a Parent Helper. A separate note will be sent home about this outlining the details. Please contact Karen Burrows if you have any questions about Camp.

Paid Teachers 'Union Meeting

The teachers union NZEI will be calling NZEI members to a paid union meeting on 27 June. School will close at 12.30pm to enable teachers to travel to Porirua to attend the meeting. We ask that you make arrangements to collect your child from school at 12.30 pm. We apologise for the inconvenience.

Fun Zone After School Care will be start @ 12:30pm on 27th June 2018.

Community News

Hookway Tutoring

I offer regular lessons at Kapanui School in Language skills and Maths for 30 minutes per week. In the afternoons and weekends I also offer regular weekly tuition or one off lessons for exams in College Maths and Science Years 9 to 11 and Maths and Biology through to Year 13. I have 35 years of teaching and tutoring experience and regular police check updates. Further details can be viewed at www.hookwaytutoring.co.nz or contact Brian Hookway directly via hookwaytutoring@gmail.com or Phone 9022453 / 0211790223.

House of Sound in School Music Lessons

Options available are lessons grab an enrolment form from reception or go to www.houseofsound.co.nz and click the "enroll now" button. For more information please email: info@houseofsound.co.nz

GirlGuiding NZ

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