

KAPANUI SCHOOL

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For absences and events cancellations ring 902 5015



Kia Ora
Nga whanau o te
kura Kapanui tena
koutou katoa.

Welcome to Week
8 'Matariki Week'.

Matariki Celebrations

Reminder about
the Matariki

whānau-based celebrations at the school. Great start last night with Te Moana whānau, the hall looks amazing. Tuesday night is Te Waka and Te Awa, and Wednesday night Te Whenua and Ngā Manu. Bring along **your dinner** - it is a chance to gather with family and friends to celebrate Matariki - the Maori New Year, and see some of the Matariki activities that children have been completing in their whānau group.

Arriving at School Ready to Start the Day

We have a group of students who are arriving late to school on a regular basis. While there are one off things that crop up from time to time that result in a student being late, we are concerned about the students who are habitually late. The bell to start the day is 8.55am and it is important that students arrive at school in time, so bags are unpacked ready to start the day. Not only does a student who consistently arrive late to school establish bad punctuality habits, their lateness also disrupts the learning of other students in their class.

Absences

If your child is going to be absent from school you can contact the office by calling 902 5015 and pressing '1' to go through to the Absence Line. You can also use the School App, this is free to download. Thank you.

Matariki Food Bank Collection

Thank you to the Kapanui School Community. The food is flowing in and we are fighting for boxes and space to store the food. There appears to be quite a competitive element

between the classrooms so it is exciting. I heard one small boy say, "This shows how nice the people are at Kapanui School." The last day for the collection is Friday 6 July (last day of term 2). Please keep the food coming in. We will pass the food over to a representative from the Kapiti Food Bank at the last assembly. Thank you for your generosity, Felicity Bothamley and the wonderful Senior Leadership Team.

Celebrating Student Success

Rugby 7s

Congratulations to the Kapanui boys team - an outstanding win in the Kapiti Coast Rugby 7s competition. Well done:

Dylan Kennedy, Iraia Papara, Jordan Mark, Akeem Saidy, Daniel Santos, Keegan Green, Te Manawa Grace, Russell Dreyer, Kyle Read, Zac Bustin & Ben Paterson.

Scholastic Bookclub

Issue 4 has been handed out to students this week. Please place online orders only by 23 June as the office will not accept cheques or cash. This is a great way to provide more books and resources for the school library as 20% of each order comes back to Kapanui School. Thanks.

Year 7 Immunisation

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

Nits

There is a fully funded and non-insecticide head lice treatment available for children under 13years. It is free, easy to apply and doesn't sting or smell. Go to <https://www.pharmac.govt.nz/medicines-my-medicine-has-changed/head-lice-treatment>

Newsletter Sponsorship

We are calling for business sponsorship again this year for our weekly newsletter cover. If your business is interested in this 12 month advertising opportunity, please contact the school office. Email is preferable with your

business details and artwork. Cost will be confirmed when number of required sponsors has been finalised. Thank you for your support. admin@kapanui.school.nz

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.

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

Fun Zone Winter School Holiday Programme

For information go to www.funzone.co.nz or contact us on 0800 543 9696.

Calling all wannabe Rock Stars

Join the School of Rock Theatreworks Holiday Programme. An innovative learning experience to advance your performance skills. July 16-20, daily 9am- 3pm. Booking now 021 255 6156. Sell

Paid Teachers' Union Meeting

Early finish for all students is **12.30 PM ON WEDNESDAY 27 JUNE**– please complete the form below and return to your child's teacher. I will pick my child/ren up from school at 12.30pm.

I give permission for my child/ren to walk or ride home.

Name: _____ Room: _____

Name: _____ Room: _____

Signed: _____ Parent/Caregiver

out gig expected.

Little Dog Barking Children's Theatre

Presents "Duck Death and the Tulip" and "Black Dog" - 10 - 12st July at Circa Theatre, 1 Taranaki Street, Wellington. Suitable for ages 2 - 99 years old. For ticketing and further information visit Circa.co.nz or box office 04 801 7992.

Chrissie Sallis Art Studio and Gallery

Award winning artist and registered teacher offering structured and fun filled classes to children and adults from her studio at Waikanae Beach.

TERM 3: Mixed media Imagination: Pieces inspired by fairy-tales and imagination (7 – 12 year olds, 10 students max)
DATES: 1st August – 26th September (One week date to be confirmed)
TIME: Wednesdays, 8 weeks, 3:45pm - 5:00pm
COST: \$120.00
MEDIA: printmaking, clay, painting, collage & drawing. All materials provided.
Facebook Page: Chrissie Sallis Art Studio & Gallery. All enquiries to: cjsallis@gmail.com Cell Phone: 021 1485 716

Craft Garden Winter Wonderland

9 – 20 July \$30 per child per day (family discounts applies). St Paul's Anglican Church, Paraparaumu 9 – 3. Enrolments visit www.craftgarden.co.nz or call 0800 272 385. OSCAR approved.

Farm and Pony Camp

School holidays are coming up! Book now for www.kapitieuquestrian.com Ph. 902 6108

Coastlands Aquatic Centre

Sound Splash 30 June 5 – 8 pm. \$12 with dinner or \$8 entry.

Kapiti Citizens Advice Bureau 23 June 11 – 1.00pm. Call 298 4944 or email kapiti@cab.org.nz