

Horohoro School Panui – Week 2 Term 3 2019

Monday 29th July 2019.

Kia ora te whānau,

Thank you to all of our wonderful whānau members who read and returned our behaviour plan last week. This shows us as a kura that you are on board and ready to tautoko this kaupapa in our school. As part of our behaviour plan we have started our 'Manawanui reward system', whereby the children will receive a 'Manawanui' for using any of the four Horohoro School Values in or out of the classroom. The tamariki put their 'Manawanui rewards' into our awesome 'Manawanui box' and at the end of week three children will have a special kai with Koka Piri at lunchtime. Last weeks winners were Ciennah Peni, Kahaarangi Loffely and Metera Roach. Each child is able to take a friend from their class to enjoy the special kai too. Chicken burgers and hot chips were on the menu last week. Hmmmm I wonder what Koka Piri will cook this week.

Basketball draw for Wednesday

Horohoro Middles vs Rongomai Potiki 1 Sportsdrome: Court 2 31st Jul 2019 5:00pm

Horohoro Mixed vs Te Koutu Tau 7/8 Ranu Sportsdrome: Court 3 31st Jul 2019 6:45pm

Basketball for Friday

Reporoa Primary Horohoro Kearoa Sportsdrome: Court 2 2nd Aug 2019 6:00pm

Lunch this week.

This weeks lunch deal is a cheeseburger and a cookie for \$5.

Have a great week.

Ngā kaiako.

Ngā kōrero mai ngā ākomanga - News from the classrooms:

Haparangi

Kia ora whānau,

Last week the tamariki had a blast observing 'fireworks' in a test tube to changing the colour of a candle flame. They absolutely loved these exciting activities and it gave them so many opportunities to predict, observe and explain natural phenomena, especially in the context of fire. I think the most fascinating experiment was the 'floating tea bag'. I lit the tea bag and it shot up into the air like a rocket and disintegrated into ash. The tamariki were blown away. We used a variety of tea bags from our staffroom, but the most successful bags were the ones that had string attached to them. This week the tamariki will be detectives with the kit "who dunnit" Remember to check out our Facebook page for awesome photos of your tamaiti loving their learning journey in Haparangi.

Have a wonderful week.

Koka Piri, Whaea Briar raua Ko Whaea Sue. (Piri 0212921233)

Kearoa

Kia ora whānau,

It's been lovely to have everyone back and keen to learn. I hope you have heard about our mahi for the term. We are excited to be able to take action in response to the terrible state Papatuanuku is in. We are working through the steps to develop a successful business. The tamariki have told me that they want to take part in clean ups and plantings at the beach and in our own area so these activities are in the planning stages. They are also keen to create professional signs and murals spreading the word about protecting Papatuanuku. We are in the process of deciding what our message will say and what images will be the most effective.

I have carried out lots of formal testing last week which helps to guide my teaching. I am so proud of the determined attitude of Kearoa. Some of the progress students have made is amazing. This is thanks to the combined effort of Whanau, the tamaiti and myself. Ka pai to all of us! Thanks for supporting my kaupapa and let me know how I can further support your goals and hopes for your tamariki.

Kia pai to wiki whānau,

Rachell

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Pokaitu

Kia ora tatau,

Tena koutou te whanau.

Pokaitu has had an excellent start back to term three. Your tamariki are enjoying their mahi and are fully engaged in it which is awesome to see. In reading we're gaining a better understanding of inferencing. For pangarau we're reconnecting with how to do fractions using a hands on approach. Pokaitu are in the process of writing speeches, they have chosen topics that are important to them and have a message they feel needs to be heard in a public forum. Our topic studies are learning about different Countries involved in the 2019 Rugby World Cup. Pokaitu are learning the culture, language, meaning of flags, governments and so on about their chosen Country. This has really gained the interest of our akomanga (class). Don't forget that Pokaitu are playing in a Horohopu tournament tomorrow at The Sportsdrome from 10:00am onwards.

Matua Whare

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Duffy awards

This weeks Duffy awards go to:

Haparangi

Victor for being so caring towards others and Khaleeda for working extremely hard last week.

Kearoa

Hayley and Sky for the huge effort and progress they have made in academic subjects.

Pokaitu

Rangiaewa for her courage in trying different things at our kura, representing us in basketball and Adonai Schuster for working hard in class.

Important dates

30th July

Horohopu Tournament
Sportsdrome

31st July

ALiM Meeting (Tauranga)

16th August

Duffy Theatre

27th August

Board of Trustees Meeting

30th August

Tri-Winter Sports at Ngakuru School

2nd September

Year 7 & 8 Technology at Mokoia