



Moanataiari School Newsletter - 17th February 2020

Dear Parents, Caregivers and Students

Welcome to our new students: Tawhitimatea Penno in Room 6, Te Rangimarie Penno in Room 3 and Tutanekai Penno in Room 2. It's great to have you all in our Moanataiari School family.

Many thanks to Santosh Dsouza for taking photos around our school for our new school prospectus/ website. Santosh is one of our school parents and a professional photographer and is kindly doing this work for us for free.

David Brock, Principal

Corona Virus

Last week we sent home an information sheet for the Corona virus. There are no reported cases here in New Zealand yet, but it is extremely contagious and may surface at some stage. **Please practise good hygiene standards and keep children away from school if they show any signs of any illness.**

Please also ensure you have someone available to mind sick children if you are not able to do so yourself. It pays to have a plan in place just in case.

Today we had the public health nurse in to show children how to wash hands properly.

Also, please encourage children to advise a teacher or come to the office if they receive an injury at school during playtime, especially with bumps to the head.



Hearing & Vision Testing

The hearing and vision technician will be visiting us on **Monday 2nd March** for routine checks. If you have any concerns about your child's hearing or vision and would like to have them checked, please contact our school office (868 6504) by this Friday 21st February.



Free Magic Show

On **Tuesday 3rd March** the Be Bright Eat Right magic show will be visiting us to promote healthy eating and dental care.

Cricket Smash

Thames Valley Junior Smash is being held on **Wednesday 4th March** and a number of our year 4-8 children will be participating.



Swimming Events

We are holding our **Senior Swimming Sports** will be held on **Friday 6th March**, starting at 9.30am here at our pool, then...



our **Junior Swimming Demonstrations and Events** on **Friday 6th March**, starting at 12 noon.



Families are welcome to come along to these events to cheer on and support students.

Hockey Big Day Out

We are sending two teams to the Hockey Big Day Out on **Thursday 19th March**. There is a fee of \$2 per player, so can those team members please bring their fees to our school office asap.



School Shoes

Please do not send children to school in shoes with wheels or heels - these are causing a number of accidents with falls and grazes.

Te rerenga korero:

(the flow of speech)

Ata mārie

Good morning

Juicies

Juicies are available for purchase each school day from the kitchen window by 8.55am for \$1.00 each and will be delivered to classrooms at second break.



Pirates of the Curry Bean DVDs

DVD recordings from our school production are now available for sale at \$15 each. Please find an order form attached.



Information Update

Please find attached a form to send us your up-to-date contact information. For every completed form handed in to our school office, each child in that family will receive a FREE juicie.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Coming Up:

Mon 17 Feb BoT Meeting 5.30pm
Mon 2 Mar Hearing & Vision Testing
Tue 3 Mar Magic Show - Be Bright Eat Right
Wed 4 Mar Cricket Smash
Fri 6 Mar Senior Swimming Event - 9.30 start
Fri 6 Mar Junior Swimming Event - 12 start
Wed 11 Mar Senior Qualifying Trials
Thu 19 Mar Hockey Big Day Out
Wed 25 Mar Thames Valley Swimming

School Terms for 2020

Term 1 Monday 3 February to Thursday 9 April
Term 2 Tuesday 28 April to Friday 3 July
Term 3 Monday 20 July to Friday 25 September
Mid-term break Fri 28 to Mon 31 August
Term 4 Monday 12 October to Thursday 17 December

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Please note
Our School Office is attended between
8.30am to 4.00pm

Before & After School Care
& Holiday Programmes

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Pirates of the Curry Bean

DVD Order Form

\$15.00 per DVD

Please complete order form and return to office as soon as possible. We are taking orders now. DVD's will be made to order.

Name: _____

No of DVD's: _____ Total price to pay: \$_____

Please pay by cash or internet banking at the time of ordering.

Internet Banking Cash (Please tick one)

Bank account number: 01 0455 0108122 01

Please use Family Name and "Production DVD" as reference

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Moanataiari School Contacts Update 2020

Family Name: _____

Home Address: _____

Contact Person: _____ Phone: _____

Email: _____

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Please return to the office asap for your free juicie/s