

## **Newsletter**

Monday 28th February 2022

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Kia ora tātou

As you may have seen on our facebook postings we have our first covid case at school. The student concerned is in the middle school. From here on in we will be keeping our community informed with a 1.00 pm announcement as we believe the community have a right to be informed although we will take care to maintain the privacy of the individual. I wish you all the best as we cope with this over the next several months. At the moment please be vigilant and only send children to school if they are completely well.

David Brock, Principal – Tumuaki

Coming up:

Mon 7 Mar Hearing & vision testing Sun 13 Mar Daylight saving ends Mon 21 Mar BoT meeting 5.30pm

Weetbix, milk and fruit are available from our kitchen for anyone wanting breakfast between 8.20am and 8.50am each school day morning.

2022 Start Date & School Terms

Term 1: Wednesday 2 February to Thursday 14 April

Term 2: Monday 2 May to Friday 8 July

Term 3: Monday 25 July to Friday 30 September Term 4: Monday 17 October to Wednesday 14 Dec

**Moanataiari School Bank Account:** 

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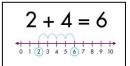


#### Toys at School

Toys from home are not to be brought to school as they can get damaged, and cause distraction and conflict in class.

#### **Prime Maths Books**

Many thanks to those families who have already paid for their Prime maths books. These workbooks are used in all classrooms and are listed on class stationery lists for \$10 each, which can be paid for at the school office or online.



#### Headlice

We have a few incidents of head lice. Please ensure that you check your child's hair regularly and treat any outbreaks promptly. Children with long hair are expected to keep it tied back while at school to keep it off the face and help keep head lice away.



Te rerenga korero: Titiro mai look this way
Whakarongo mai listen to me

#### Well done Donna!

Our very clever teacher aide, Donna Weir, recently entered a radio competition to win some trays of iced coffees for our staff – and won! Thank you very much Donna, and Coromandel More FM.



#### **New Drink Fountains**

Ocean Naylor from Room 5 fills up his drink bottle with filtered water from the special bottle filling tap on the shiny new drink fountain. The new fountains are much more hygienic and easier to operate than the old ones.

Students still need to bring their own drink bottle to school.

### **Community Notices**

# The Incredible Years FREE Parenting Programme

(for parents of children aged 3-8 years)
14 weekly sessions held in Paeroa

Starting 10<sup>th</sup> March 2022 9.00am – 11.30am

Morning tea provided

To register or for further information contact Jo on 027 429 3688

#### **Student Boxing for Fitness**

7 – 12 years old Cost: kohaCome learn some boxing skills for strength and fitness.

Tuesdays and Thursdays 5 to 5.30pm at the Never Surrender Building at
Thames Racecourse

Inquiries to Shaun George on 021 236 6807



This swimming bag was left hanging on a fence in Queen St on 16<sup>th</sup> February just before school was due to start.

Does it belong to one of our students?

#### Moanataiari After-School Care

Bookings can be made through our school office (868 6504) or by contacting Donna directly on 027 547 9407. Casual or regular bookings will cost \$7.00 for the first hour from 3pm, up to \$14 for 2.5 hours per day per child.

