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**Moanataiari
School**



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MOANATAIARI SCHOOL BOARD UPDATE

Kia ora Moanataiari Whānau

We would like to share some updates from our most recent board meeting regarding changes to our team and the exciting progress being made on our school facilities.

Expression of Gratitude

The School Board would like to formally acknowledge Sandy James' recent resignation from the Board. We extend our sincere thanks to Sandy for her time, commitment, and dedicated service to both the Board and the Moanataiari School community. Her contributions, insight, and support have been greatly valued and appreciated.

While Sandy has stepped down from her governance role, we are pleased that she and her whānau remain an important part of our school community, and we look forward to continuing to see her around the school.

Classroom Refurbishment

We are pleased to share that a range of school improvements have now been completed as part of the Ngā Iti Kahurangi (NIK) Project, a Ministry of Education-funded initiative that supports schools in enhancing and modernising their learning environments. These upgrades include new carpet, improved acoustics, upgraded lighting, and important safety enhancements across our school. The improvements create a brighter, safer, and more comfortable learning environment for our tamariki.



Prep work for carpet installation

The Board would like to extend its sincere thanks to the NIK project team and contractors for their professionalism, efficiency, and the high standard of their work. We greatly appreciate the care taken to minimise disruption wherever possible to learning while completing these improvements in a timely manner.

We look forward to seeing our students continue to benefit from these enhanced learning spaces for years to come.

Thank you for your continued support of Moanataiari School.

Ngā mihi nui,

Moanataiari School Board