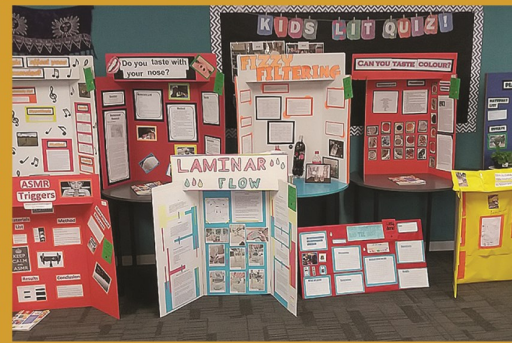




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Newsletter

05 July 2021

Kia ora Whanau

What an amazing MANA day and Matariki celebration we had last Friday. A huge thank you to all of our Whanau and staff who made our day so special. A special thank you to all those whanau who helped make our hangi so amazing. We had an incredible group of parents and staff who were at school well before the sun was up ensuring the fire was lit, the food had been prepared and the hangi was delivered on time. I cannot express how amazing you all are. Thank you to all those who donated kai, helped clean up, served the kai and all those other jobs which contributed to making our day absolutely incredible.

We have Pathway and Planning meetings on Thursday and Friday this week and I would strongly encourage you to ensure you have an appointment with your child's teacher to hear about their progress and jointly plan their next steps. A reminder that there will be no normal classes on Thursday and Friday.

At the end of this term we farewell Mr. Rowe who has been teaching in Room 13 for the first half of this year. We wish Mr. Rowe all the best for his next step in teaching and Mrs. Morton and Miss Glentworth will take over the teaching in Room 13 for the remainder of the year.

Congratulations to all of our sports teams who have been competing in the various local leagues. I have been incredibly impressed with the sportsmanship and commitment they have been showing over the past term. A huge thank you also to the coaches and supporters of these teams.

We are incredibly proud of our Show Quest performers who recently won the Junior Section of Show Quest. In addition, they took out, Best Use of Lighting, Most Effective use of LED Lighting Wall, Best Choreography and Best Costume and Enhancement. Well done to everyone who was involved and we look forward to competing in the National event later in the year.

We are now accepting enrolments for the 2022 school year and enrolment packs are available from the school office. Students who attend our main contributing schools will receive a pack from their school this week. A reminder we are NOT zoned and will accept enrolments from all students.

Term 3 is shaping up to be exceedingly busy with our Winter Sports exchange against Highlands Intermediate on August 3rd at Devon Intermediate and the Ki o Rahi tournament being held at Manukorihi Intermediate on August 5th. The rest of the term events will be sent out in the first newsletter next term.

I hope everyone has a restful and relaxing holiday and I look forward to seeing the students back here at 8.40am on Monday July 26th.

Nga mihi

Jenny Gellen

Principal



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Te Kura Takawaenga o Ngāmotu

DATES TO NOTE

Tuesday 6 July
Tiki Toa
Rippa Tournament

Thursday 8 July
Pathways and Planning

Friday 9 July
Last Day of Term
Pathways and Planning

Monday 26 July
First Day of Term 3

Thursday 29 July
Spotswood Open Night

Tuesday 3 August
Sports vs Highlands
@ Devon

Wednesday 4 August
NPBHS Open Day

Thursday 5 August
Ki O Rahi Tournament
NPGHS Open Day

Friday 6 August
Ross Brown Rugby

Tuesday 10 August
Tiki Toa

Wednesday 11 August
Spotswood Information
Evening

Monday 16 August
High School Enrolments

Tuesday 17 August
Discovery Market Day

Friday 20 August
Teacher Only Day

Friday 27 August
Standards Cross Country

NEW PLYMOUTH BOYS HIGH SCHOOL OPEN DAY 4 August 2021

There are two sessions available to students;

3.30pm - 4.30pm
5.30pm - 6.30pm

Session 1
Session 2



**NEW PLYMOUTH GIRLS HIGH SCHOOL OPEN DAY
5 AUGUST 2021**

There has been a slight change of the timing for the open evening at NPGHS.

3.30pm - 4.30pm Tours of school departing from hall
4.45pm Presentation in Hall
5.30pm - 6.30pm Tours of school departing from hall



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ANDERSON PIE ORDERS

A reminder that Anderson Pie Orders are due back 7 July 2021.

ROOM 22

We are creating two sensory spaces (calming and stimulating zones) in room 22 and would love some donated items to make these spaces welcoming.

Cushions and fabric with texture, clean soft blankets, clean soft toys, floaty scarves, large plastic boxes/cubes, medium sized mats x3, Swiss ball, lava lamps or similar types of lighting, sensory toys, bean bag, Lego or construction items, hot wheels cars and soft balls

All clean, good condition items are greatly appreciated.

Shelley Orme
SENCO
Room 22

Devon Intermediate Hoodies

We are doing another run of Devon Intermediate Hoodies, if you or your children or anyone associated with the school would like to purchase one, please pay and order at the office. Orders are due no later than Wednesday 4th August 2021.

Cost - \$50.00 with name, \$45.00 with no name.



Photos from Show Quest

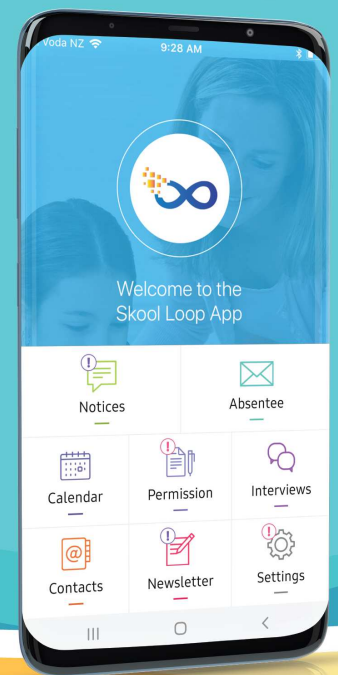


Photos from Matariki celebration



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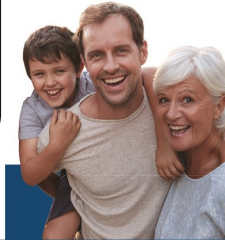
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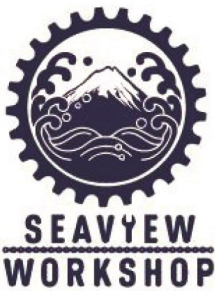
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