

Kalpaki News 'Bringing Learning to Life'

Whakatinanahia te mātauranga

Week 3, Term 2 2024

Important Dates

3rd June - King's Birthday 7th June - Rural Schools Winter Sports 9th June - Working Bee 12th - 15th Field Days 14th June - Teacher Only Day 28th June - Matariki Public Holiday 3rd July - School Photo Day 5th July - Last day of Term 2

KIA ORA TE WHĀNAU O KAIPAKI

What a busy and fun-filled two weeks it has been here at our kura! Our newsletter is jam-packed with all the exciting activities that have been happening, from our Epro 8 teams' achievements and dressing up for Pink Shirt Day and the exhilarating mountain bike riding in the Redwoods.

We are very lucky at Kaipaki School as we have the most AMAZING Support Staff! On Wednesday for Support Staff Day, we loved showing our appreciation to them. Their contributions are invaluable, and we couldn't do what we do without their dedication and hard work.

A massive thank you to each and every one of them!

→ Our EPro8 Teams → Challenged themselves in the Semi Finals!





Heaps of cheers for our Year 5/6 team who made it to the EPro8 Challenge Finals with humility, and to our Year 7/8 warriors for their 6th place finish, showing great sportsmanship. Our kids have done us proud with their display of mana and aroha for the challenge! The snaps from the event are awesome – capturing not just the hard work but the fun times and smart moves of our young problem-solvers. Let's hear it for our ākonga who've been absolute champs!



Navigating through the winding trails and challenging terrain, our tamariki showed true grit and determination. It was more than just a test of physical endurance; it was a journey of personal growth and leadership. Their willingness to encourage each other, embrace challenges, and push beyond their comfort zones was remarkable.

Pink Shirt Day









What a fantastic Pink Shirt Day we had! Our kura was a sea of pink as tamariki and kaiako alike stood together in a vibrant show of support against bullying. The day was filled with laughter, kindness, and aroha, truly embodying the spirit of whanaungatanga.

We are so proud of our school community for making this day a success. Let's keep the momentum going and continue to spread kindness every day!

<u>Certificates</u> Ruma Kákano

Atea Hodgson

What an amazing start you have had to school Atea! You have settled in extremely well. I can already see you demonstrating respect towards your peers and responsibility by looking after our things in Ruma Kaakano. He aha te Taonga! What a treasure!

Mateo Mattu

You have come to school ready to learn! Your eagerness and willingness to try new things has impressed me. You are kind and respectful to all those around you! A true leader in the making.

He mea whakamiharo koe! You are amazing!

Ruma Weri

Jamie Roskruge

What a fantastic effort you have been making during Phonics and Reading. You are super focussed when sounding out words that you don't know, and you read with fluency and expression. Keep up the great work Jamie!

Jaxon Relf

For showing an exceptional attitude in all areas of your learning but especially in your story writing and handwriting. You are a fantastic role model and a real inspiration to all of us in Ruma Weri.

Ruma Máhuri

Subee Poudel

Subee, your smile and your positive attitude are highly contagious! You are a fantastic role model in Ruma Māhuri, consistently completing tasks with enthusiasm. You are a kind friend and we are lucky to have you in our class.

Liam Osborne

You quietly but diligently complete any tasks I give you. You follow my instructions straight away and you even help others whenever you get the chance to. Thank you for being a fantastic role model in Ruma Māhuri Liam.

Certificates Ruma Peka

Maia Anwell

For pushing yourself in your learning, especially reading and writing. You have worked so hard and we are now seeing amazing results. Be proud of your achievements Maia.

Emma Brighouse

For consistently stepping up and supporting others and having a go at everything with enthusiasm. You use critical thinking, collaboration and communication on a daily basis and are such an asset to our Kura. Ka Pai tō mahi Emma.

Beatrix Gibb

For showing amazing resilience through participation in EPRO8, even with a broken arm. You demonstrated all our 5 c's and made our Kura proud. Congratulations on winning the semi-finals.

Ruma Rau

Emily Hewsen

You are receiving this certificate for consistently working hard to complete all your tasks. You challenge yourself with your learning and ask questions when you don't understand. Tino Pai Emily.

Ben Brown

You consistently work hard and you are a great role model in Ruma Rau. You have an exceptional attitude towards your learning and your positive behaviour that displays great leadership qualities. Keep it up!

Ruma Tiwai

Tom Hatting

For the way that you have stepped up to lead and help out in any area that we need assistance with, especially your work to clear the bike track. You are holding yourself to a high standard, both in the classroom and on the playground. Keep up the hard work, it will pay off!

Josh Wharton

For the way that you have stepped up to lead and help out in any area that we need assistance with, especially your work to clear the bike track. A big well done to you for the way you showed resilience at the EPro8 semifinals, and we are so proud of your collaboration with your teammates.

Field Days... We need you!!

Just a friendly reminder that Field Days is fast approaching, and we still have a spots available for volunteers! Your support is crucial to the success of this fundraiser, which is an important fundraiser for our school.

Whether it's being the welcome face and cleaning up a storm in the Food Court or being one of our superstar Shuttle Drivers, your time and energy will make a world of difference.

Simply visit our school website and click on the 'Field Days Volunteering' link. There, you'll find all the information you need and you can let us know when you're available to help out.



Bus Reminders

Here are a couple of important reminders for our school community:

- Safety First on the School Bus: Please remember that hot drinks are not allowed on the school bus. This is to ensure the safety of all our tamariki while travelling to and from school.
- Parking Protocol: To keep our driveway clear for the school bus and emergency vehicles, please do not park in the driveway at any time. Your cooperation helps the bus to maneuver safely and ensures the well-being of all our students.
 Thanks for helping us maintain a safe and happy school environment.

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