



Ngatimoti School Newsletter

Week Six, Term Two 2024



Wednesday 5 June 2024

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Term 2: Monday 29 April – Friday 5 July
Matariki holiday Friday 28 June

Term 3: Monday 22 July – Friday 27 September

Term 4: Monday 14 October – Wednesday 18 December

Festival Day is Sunday 27 October



CAMP DATES: R3/4 11-15 November – Marahau,
R5 2-6 December – Totaranui.
Room 1 one night at Quinney's Bush 2-6 Dec.



Birthday Congratulations to Marius, who celebrates his 12th Birthday today!
Ella P will turn 9 years old on Friday.
Pedro will celebrate his 11th Birthday on Monday next week. Best wishes to all of you, from everyone here at school!

What's coming up for the rest of Term Two?

Thursday 6 June: Room 1, 3 & 4 Fire Safety session after lunch
Friday 7 June: Rabbit Island Cross Country for qualifying students

Week 7: Environmental learning rotations begin each Wednesday from 12 June. Further details below.

Friday 14 June: Bike Check Day with 'My Ride' here at school (am)

Week 8: Tuesday 18 June: El Gregoe's final magic show here at Ngatimoti (after lunch)

Wednesday 19 June: Board meeting, 6pm.

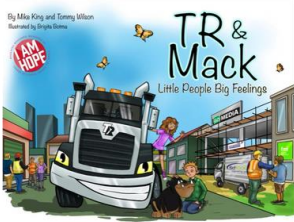
Week 9: Thursday 27 June: End of term celebration, pool change shed grand opening, matariki, mid-winter swim celebration. More details to come!

Friday 28 June: Matariki Holiday – no school

Reminders

- **School Photo Orders** Thank you for returning your order envelopes to school. Contact Marian with any queries 021 240 0416
- Please return your **pool key** if you have one.
- **Netball and Motec fees** outstanding can be paid to the school account 03 1354 0359568 00. Thanks.

What a fantastic turn out of parents we had last Friday for our dance performance! It was wonderful to see you all joining in and breaking out the dance moves that your children have been learning with Dean. These lessons would not be possible without your hard work putting on our annual Festival – thank you for your support! Dean even brought his son, Atlas, along to enjoy the show on a freezing Friday morning 😊. We hope you and your Tamariki all enjoyed this week of creative learning!



I am Hope: Little People, Big Feelings

Today we have had a group of visitors from the charity 'I am Hope' talking to all classes about feelings, emotions and how we can deal with them in the best way possible. Ask your child to talk to you about what they learned, how they feel, the stories they were told about TR & Mack and the hopeful black dog, and what might be the benefits of talking about feelings and emotions.

Good Luck! 😊

Good luck to our super runners this Friday at the Rabbit Island Interschool's Cross Country race! Go Freddie, Tara, Rua, Connor, George, River, Bella, Ella, Pedro, Grace, Leah, Sahara, Benji, Kuri, Tui, Yuri, Beau, Kyrin, Liam & Nico! You're amazing, thanks for representing Ngatimoti School so well!



Above: more action from the 'dance court' on Friday!

Left: Chase and Liam enjoying their cooking lesson at Motec.



Environmental Education Rotations

Wednesdays 11.30-12.30 from next week, 12 June.

From next week, for 4 weeks, all students will take part in enviro activities, in their house groups each Wednesday. One of the activities we have planned is to make Stone Soup. It would be great if everyone could bring in a vegetable contribution on the day they will be doing this activity. The timetable for rotations next week is as follows:

ENVIRO ACTIVITY	Wed 12 June
Bird feeders (Rochelle) <i>Enviroleaders: Grace, River & Alex</i>	Red house
Stone soup & gardens (Malcolm/Jade) <i>Enviroleaders: Leah, Pedro & Stella</i>	Blue house
Nature Mandalas (Lauren) <i>Enviroleaders: Nico, Sahara, Leia</i>	Green house
Treasure Stones (Heather) <i>Enviroleaders: Jordan, Poppy & Makaira</i>	Yellow house

Left: Piko, Leon, Alex & Pedro using fire to cook on tin stoves as a part of our fire themed learning this term.

On Thursday 27 June we are planning a day of celebrations linked to our learning about fire and tying in with matariki, the opening of the new swimming pool changing sheds, and a mid-winter swim! The approximate plan is below:

9am: Ian will light a bonfire 😊

10.30am – 11.30am House group challenges.

1.30pm – Pool Change Shed grand opening.

1.40pm – Mid-winter swim in the pool.



Netball Practices continue after school today for all netball teams. This Saturday 8 June, games are scheduled as follows:

Ngatimoti Diamonds, y7/8	2.20pm vs. Riwaka
Ngatimoti Ferns, y5/6	10.50am vs TBCS/SPC
Ngatimoti Stars, y3/4	9.40am vs. Riwaka

Please pay any outstanding netball fees if you have yet to do so. Pay to Ngatimoti School 03 1354 0359568
00; Y3/4 = \$30, Y5/6 = \$35, Y7/8 = \$40 **THANKS!**

TERM TWO PARENT BAKING ROSTER

7 June: Tevina (Sinaa) Brenda (George, Madi)
14 June: Alysse (Shekinah, Amittai, Nazareth) Laura (Birdie)
21 June: Marian (Tui, Pedro, Freddie) Kerri-Ann (Angus)
28 June: Matariki Holiday, no school
5 July: Kate (Kuri, Orrin) Nataliya (Alex)