

## IMPORTANT UPCOMING EVENTS

<b>5 September</b>	Conservation Week.
<b>7 September</b>	Wig Wednesday - Wear a wig or do a wacky hair do and bring a gold coin donation for the Child Cancer Foundation.
<b>12 September</b>	Māori Language Week
<b>16 September</b>	PNINS out of zone enrolments close (Year 6 students only).
<b>19 September</b>	Ross out of zone enrolments close (Year 6 students only).
<b>21 September</b>	RICOH Year 5/6 Winter Sports Tournament.

Friday 2nd September 2022

Kia ora koutou  
Ngā mihi kia koutou

WOW!!! What a production. I am feeling so exceptionally proud of the achievements of each and every one of our tamariki. They all truly shone and their hard work paid off! Our students are to be commended for learning dance routines, working as a team with their classmates and stepping up on show night. Tino pai!

To all of the staff, thank you! Our school production was a showcase of how well we all work together. Kapa Haka, led by Mrs Blay and Mr Masoe demonstrated Mana, setting the scene for the evening. Mrs Gifford-Moore wove a story that came together seamlessly, with the help of Mr Masoe on all things technical. Miss Salter assisted on lighting, while Mr Sloan helped keep things running smoothly backstage. I can't mention everyone by name but all staff have contributed immensely over the term, resulting in success.

We were guided through the process of learning dance by Ashleigh Hoera from Evolve Performing Arts Centre. Thank you Ashleigh for the vision you brought to each dance, for your energy, enthusiasm and patience while working with our tamariki.

Thank you friends and whanau for supporting us. It almost looked like a full house!

### ***Jump Jam:***

Well done to our Jump Jammers who all experienced success last weekend. The Year 5/6 team placed 3rd and our Year 2-4 team made the final. Tino pai! Thank you to Mrs Hodge and Miss Taylor for the time and effort you put into these teams.



### **Conservation Week - Mon 5th Sept - Fri 9th Sept:**

Conservation Week 2022 next week. Let's take action!!! Taking action not only benefits nature, but also benefits our personal wellbeing. Ka ora te whenua, ka ora te tangata – when the land is well, the people are well. One action we are going to take as a school is, **No Wrapper Wednesday**. So on Wednesday 7th September we challenge you to have a go at reducing the waste that school lunch boxes create. We ask that you try to make Wednesday a wrapper free day.

### **Wig / Wacky Hair Wednesday 7th September:**

Next Wednesday is Wig Wednesday in support of the child cancer foundation. **Please bring a gold coin donation in support of child cancer**. Wig Wednesday raises funds to support kids and their families going through cancer treatments. The wigs are to show solidarity with the kids who have lost their hair as a result of chemotherapy treatments. Understandably not everyone may be able to get access to a wig, so if you cannot wear a wig we ask that you come with wacky hair. All students are still to come in uniform on the day. So get out your Wigs or do something creative with your hair. We are looking to have the wackest/wig hair day ever.

Wishing the school Lit Quiz team all the best at the annual Lit Quiz competition which is held on Monday. It has been a very big week for students and staff. Thank you for everyone's effort to make it a successful one. Take care and enjoy your weekend.

Ngā mihi nui  
Reece Hawkins  
Acting Principal

## **Yummy Sticker Collection**

We are collecting the Yummy stickers until the end of Term 3. Please collect and bring them in to school!

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# Backstage Photos from Production







## **Sport**

### ***Volleyball***

Last chance for Years 4-6 Volleyball, we are desperately in need of more players otherwise we are going to have to pull a team. Get out and try something new!

To register please follow the link below. **We will keep this open until Tuesday the 6<sup>th</sup> of September. LAST CHANCE.**

<https://shop.tgcl.co.nz/shop/q2.shtml?shop=Hokowhitu%20School>.

If you have any questions please contact Carlee Hodge - [c.hodge@hokowhitu.school.nz](mailto:c.hodge@hokowhitu.school.nz).

### ***Summer Touch***

Registrations for Summer Touch are **NOW OPEN**. We are only running 2 teams. Under 8 and Under 10. To register please follow the link below. **This will close on the 16th of September.**

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### ***Hockey***

Hokowhitu Gold and coach Matt!

Well done to our year 5s and 6s who played for Hokowhitu Gold this season! Awesome effort by you all!



# Achievement Awards



## Te Kete Wakahuia

**Annie** - You are a great dance leader Annie, thank you for ensuring everyone is in the right place for your team!

**Asher** - Fabulous questions and sharing during oral language!

**Aria** - Fantastic effort and energy for our production!

**Deon** - For working hard in your workshops.

**Harley** - For working hard in maths.

**Antonella** - For stepping up and being a super role model in Huia.

**Madi** - For working very hard with your reading.

## Te Kete Pounamu

**Charlotte G** - For stepping and becoming a leader in production.

**Freddie** - For wonderful facial expressions and poses in production.

**Anita** - For stepping up in the production dance.

**Brodie** - For ordering numbers to 100.

**Carlos** - For great rhythm during production dancing.

**Hakaraia** - For great poses during production.

**Jainil** - For being an awesome leader in production.

**Kennedy James** - For awesome story writing.

## Te Kete Manawa

Congratulations to everyone who performed last night at the Regent. We were so impressed with the effort all our students put into rehearsals. This week a special mention to the following students who stood out.

**Amos** - For amazing listening skills.

**Scarlett** and **Minoo** - For leading with great rhythm and attention to detail!

We also want to congratulate our most recent students who deserved a spot in our 'Top 30' draw and won a prize this week: **Ava K, Leo, Amos** and **Minoo**

## Te Kete Aronui

**TKA** - Thank you to each and every one of you amazing TKA kids. We were so impressed with all the hard work you put in to learning a dance routine. For some of you this was about trying something new and outside of your comfort zone. We appreciated you stepping up and you looked outstanding on stage last night. He pai te mahi.

## Te Kete Tangaroa

**TKT** - We are so proud of all your efforts in learning the moves for our production. You have shown amazing enthusiasm and determination in learning all the different moves and working together to perfect it. We love that you brought some big energy and even He ataata nui! /bigger smiles to the stage! A special mention to all the kids who stepped up to take on speaking roles as well. Kā rawe tō mahi, TKT!

<b>PNINS</b>	<b>Ross Intermediate</b>
Details can be found <a href="#">Here</a> .	Details can be found <a href="#">Here</a> .
<b><u>Enrolments Open</u></b> Monday 8th August - 9:00am	<b><u>Enrolments Open</u></b> Monday 1st August
<b><u>Enrolments Close</u></b> Friday 16th September 4pm	<b><u>Enrolment / Ballot Close</u></b> 19th September
<b><u>Out of Zone Ballot</u></b> (If required) Wednesday 21st September	<b><u>Out of Zone Ballot</u></b> (If required) Thursday 22nd September
	23rd - Ballot Result Emails and Acceptance of Placement





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**11 SEPTEMBER**  
**10 AM - 3 PM**

**DONATIONS RECEIVED:**  
**5 - 10 SEPTEMBER - 10 AM - 4 PM**

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