

# HOKOWHITU SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Friday the 6th of September 2024

## Important Upcoming Events 2024

9 September	- <b>LAST DAY</b> to put in orders and pay for Pizza
10 September	- 5.30 Board meeting in the staffroom
12 September	- 5.30 Northern Cluster Speech Competition
13 September	- PTA Pizza lunch today
26 September	- 6.30pm Whole School Major Production at the Regent Theatre
27 September	- <b>(OPTIONAL)</b> 10am start this morning (after a big night last night) - Please make sure you let the office know if this is your preferred start time. - 3pm School closes for term break
14 October	- 8.50am School opens for Term 4
<b>NEW ITEM</b> 14 - 25 October	- Orders open for 2025 calendar art, diaries, cards. Great Christmas gifts!!
15 and 16 October	- School photographs taken over these 2 days
28 October	- <b>SCHOOL CLOSED - PUBLIC HOLIDAY, Labour Day</b>
29 October	- <b>SCHOOL CLOSED - Teacher Only Day</b>
31 Oct - 1 Nov	- Year 4 sleepover and EOTC trip to Ngā Manu

*Please also look out for kete newsletters - these include specific dates/events for that kete.*

## Ways to Contact The Office When Your Child Will Be Late Or Sick

Email - [office@hokowhitu.school.nz](mailto:office@hokowhitu.school.nz)

Phone (You can also leave a voicemail) - 06 357 9667

App - See how to download the App below

<https://hokowhituprimary.apps.school.nz/>

School cell phone (you can ring or text this number) - 027 357 9021

*Please contact us as soon as you know your child will be late or is not coming to school as it can take a long time to contact everybody that doesn't contact us. We do this to ensure your child is safe and not a missing child. Please do not contact the teacher directly, they don't always see emails when they are teaching. Thank you.*

## Important Information for Parents & Guardians

Please download our school App if you haven't already, all **IMPORTANT/URGENT** notifications will come through this channel. Follow the directions as stated below



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## YUMMY STICKER COLLECTION

Collect the Yummy cut-out labels from bags (each cut-out label is worth 10 stickers) and individual Yummy apple stickers for our school's share of the \$200,000 free Sport sports gear prize pool. Yummy apples are available from New World, PAK'nSAVE and participating Four Square stores. We get bonus stickers for Ambrosia, Sweet Tango and Lemonade apples. The more you collect, the more sports gear we get so get going and start collecting your Yummy cut-out labels and stickers now!

Sticker sheets are available from our school office or from your child's kete. We will be collecting stickers until the 22nd of October

Thank you for your support!





## UPDATE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

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Kia ora koutou  
Ngā mihi kia koutou

### CONGRATULATIONS

Our senior kapa haka roopu performed at a festival earlier this week - held at PNINS. Mrs Blay and Mr Masoe were impressed with both the standard of our performance and also with the way that our ākonga managed themselves as representatives of Hokowhitu School. Ka pai - he whetu koutou! Thanks to our parent helpers too.

This is an example of us working towards our second strategic goal  
***Increasing ākonga and kaiako knowledge of and engagement with te ao Māori***



### Production Update: 'Celebrating 100 years'

Students are busy preparing for the 'School Wide Production' which will be performed at the Regent Theatre on Thursday the 26th of September at 6:30pm.

**Tickets are available NOW (See link below) -**

<https://www.regent.co.nz/shows/celebrating-100-years-hokowhitu-school>

(Reminder we are not selling tickets in the school office, they can **ONLY** be purchased through the Regent Theatre). If you are buying **ONLINE**, click on "Find Tickets" and then on the right is "**FIND BEST AVAILABLE**".

**There is NO cost for Hokowhitu students who are performing on stage.**

### **PRICING -**

- Adult prices are \$10.00 plus the Regent booking fee which is an **extra** \$3.50 in-store, \$2.50 online or \$4.50 over the phone.
- Children 14 years and under are \$5.00 **plus** the Regent booking fee.
- Children under 3 years are free if they are on your lap. Please note if they require their own seat then the cost is \$5.00 **plus** the Regent booking fee.





## SPEECH (Y5/6) AND POETRY (Y4) COMPETITIONS

Congratulations to everyone in Years 4 - 6 who has presented their oral language task in their kete over recent days. Ka pai.

Special congratulations to the finalists who participated in the school finals today. Results will be published next week.

YEAR 4	YEAR 5	YEAR 6
Lohan D - TKM	Charlotte G - TKA	Catherine C - TKT
Daeun C - TKM	William C - TKA	Hannah P - TKT
Felix AI - TKM	Maia S - TKA	Daniel S - TKT
Grisha P - TKM		Alex G - TKT
Joel T - TKA	Mason - TKT	Willa H - TKT
Georgia I - TKA	Amos - TKT	
Isabella S - TKA		



This is an example of us working towards our first strategic goal

***Ensuring all ākonga gain confidence and experience success in literacy and numeracy***

TKM Year 3 Poetry Competition Winners:

1st - **Aditya**; 2nd - **Pippa**; 3rd - **Lachie**



## DAFFODIL DAY

We have received the following message from The Cancer Society

*Kia Ora Teachers, Parents and Pupils of Hokowhitu School,*

*Thank you so much for working to put together the wonderful donation of \$682.90.*

*This generous gift enables us to continue to provide free services to people affected by cancer in our community.*

Sincere thanks to everyone who generously contributed to this very worthy cause.



## ATAWHAI AWARDS

At this morning's assembly we recognised the following people for showing atawhai (kindness).

**TKW: Greta Mc** - Greta you are a quiet, unassuming member of Waka. You treat everyone with respect and kindness by listening attentively to your friends and always trying to help when they might be upset or just need a hand. We enjoy your manner and the 100% that you always give. Ka Pai! keep it up.

**TKP: Maggie J** - Who wouldn't want a friend like Maggie? She is kind, caring, unassuming, inclusive and sensible. Maggie shows resilience in social situations and quietly goes about including others and checking in on their feelings. Maggie can work with anyone in the kete. She has a fun sense of humour which she shares with kaiako and peers and always addresses new situations with a positive attitude. Thank you Magie for being a fantastic role model in our class and kete. He whetu koe - You are a star!

**TKM: Maddy T** - You have been a ray of sunshine since joining TKM. We love the kindness that you exude by including other children in what you are doing whether it is playing a game or just hanging out. You are willing to give everything a go and are so positive toward all your learning. You are an amazing role model in production practice and show the whole kete how to complete the dance.

**TKA: Isabella S** - We really value the way you support classmates who may need help with tasks, your patience and clear explanations are really appreciated. Whether it's offering a helping hand or simply being a good listener, your kindness and empathy make a positive difference in our kete. Thank you for being amazing!

**TKT: Charlie H** - Charlie you deserve this award for the quiet and confident way you go about every task, you are always able to contribute when you are called upon, You are respectful and always use self-control in small and large groups. We notice all the great skills you use every day, both academic and social skills.

**STAFF: Mrs Mikkelsen** - One of the ways Mrs Mikkelsen shows atawhai is in her flexibility to support kaiako and ākongā effectively right across the school. I know that she is on Mr Hawkins 'speed dial' list when we need a reliever at short notice. Thank you Michelle, we value having you as part of team Hokowhitu!

Ngā mihi nui  
Lin Dixon



## INTERMEDIATE INFORMATION FOR YEAR 6 WHĀNAU

### PNINS Enrolments Open

Monday 5 August

**OPEN DAY Tuesday 6th August - 3 sessions ( 9.30am, 11.30am, 2pm)**

### PNINS Enrolments Close

Friday 13th September, 4pm

### OUT OF ZONE BALLOT (if required)

Wednesday 18 September 2024

### ORIENTATION EVENING FOR YEAR 6 PARENTS

Tuesday 24 September Performing Arts Centre (Te Tihi) PNINS, 6pm Term 3



### Ross Intermediate:

**Enrolments open 5th August**

**Open Evening on 21st August**

Session 1: 5:00pm - 6:30pm

Session 2: 7:00pm - 8:30pm

### **Open Day Tours:**

September 3rd, 10th, 17th and 24th

Session 1: 9:00am - 9:30am

Session 2: 9:30am - 10:00am

Session 3: 11:30am - 12:00pm

### **Enrolments Close**

13th September

## WHY CHOOSE CARNCOT?

Palmerston North's only independent school, we offer an Intermediate School Programme focusing on educational excellence, emotional wellbeing and resilience; preparing our students for their roles as leaders of the future, and building a foundation for a lifetime of success.

# YEAR 7 & 8 ENROLMENTS OPEN FOR 2025



For more information:  
[principal@carncot.school.nz](mailto:principal@carncot.school.nz)  
[www.carncot.school.nz](http://www.carncot.school.nz)

**APPLY NOW**





## ***SPORTS - The following Sports are NOW OPEN on Kindo***

A reminder when signing up for sports that you and your child are committing to a full season. It is unfair on other team mates to pull out halfway through a season. Please ensure you have talked to your child before signing up that they will have to commit to the full season. Thank you for your understanding in this.

**SUMMER HOCKEY - (For Term 4)** - This is **OPEN** on Kindo **NOW**.

To register follow the link here - <https://shop.tgcl.co.nz/shop/q2.shtml?shop=Hokowhitu%20School>.

**Registrations close at 12pm on Wednesday the 11<sup>th</sup> of September** (unless teams are full prior to this date) - Unfortunately no late registrations can be accepted.

### **Key Details**

**Weekday:** Tuesdays for years 1 - 4, Wednesdays years 5 & 6  
**Date:** Years 1 - 4, 22<sup>nd</sup> October - 26<sup>th</sup> of November. Years 5 & 6, 23<sup>rd</sup> of October - 27<sup>th</sup> of November  
6 weeks total  
**Venue:** Twin Turfs, 6A Manawaroa Street, Palmerston North  
**Who:** **Open to ALL students** (mixed teams)  
**Cost:** **\$25 for years 0, 1 & 2 per player, \$30 for years 3 - 6 per player**  
(plus \$5 for uniform hire if you have not hired a uniform in 2024 yet)  
**Time:** Afterschool (Approx. 3.15 - 6pm)

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### **Key Details**

**Weekday:** Wednesday  
**Date:** Starting 16<sup>th</sup> October - until the 11<sup>th</sup> of December  
**Venue:** Central Energy Trust Arena, Pascal Street (Outside)  
**Who:** **Open to ALL students** (mixed teams OR all girls team - if available)  
**Cost:** \$30 per player (plus \$5 for uniform hire if you have not hired a uniform in 2024 yet)  
**Time:** 4pm - 6.30pm

Coaches will be needed for all teams - there is no requirement for practices, but a coach will need to be at games to manage the team and sub players on and off.

- It is recommended that all players wear shin pads. Failure to do so (while not punishable) may result in injury.
- No metal studded boots are to be worn. Moulded football boots or touch shoes are recommended.

All rules will be as normal FIFA rules, with the exception of the following:

- There are no offsides.
- There are **NO** slide tackles.



**T- BALL - (For Term 4, 2024 & Term 1, 2025)** - This is **OPEN** on Kindo **NOW**.

To register follow the link here - <https://shop.tgcl.co.nz/shop/q2.shtml?shop=Hokowhitu%20School>.

**Registrations close at 12pm on Wednesday the 11<sup>th</sup> of September** (unless teams are full prior to this date) - Unfortunately no late registrations can be accepted.

### Key Details (Under 7s)

**Weekday:** Saturday  
**Date:** **Pre Xmas** - Nov 2nd to Dec 14th (7 weeks), **Post Xmas** - Feb 1st to Mar 29th (9 weeks)  
**Venue:** Colquhoun Park, Fairs Road, Palmerston North  
**Who:** Open to 5 & 6 year olds (years 0, 1 & eligible year 2s - **MUST not be 7 before 14.12.2024**)  
**Cost:** \$15 per player (Pricing for Term 4 only)  
(plus \$5 for uniform hire if you have not hired a uniform in 2024 yet)  
**Time:** 9-9.40am

### Key Details (Under 9s)

**Weekday:** Saturday  
**Date:** **Pre Xmas** - Nov 2nd to Dec 14th (7 weeks), **Post Xmas** - Feb 1st to Mar 29th (9 weeks)  
**Venue:** Colquhoun Park, Fairs Road, Palmerston North  
**Who:** Open to 7 & 8 year olds (years 2, 3 & eligible year 4s - **MUST not be 9 before 14.12.2024**)  
**Cost:** \$15 per player (Pricing for Term 4 only)  
(plus \$5 for uniform hire if you have not hired a uniform in 2024 yet)  
**Time:** 10.15- 10.45am

*We strongly suggest anyone looking at playing in the under 9s who **HAS NOT** played T-ball or Softball before does the following **FREE** pre-season program*

**SOFTBALL MANAWATU**

**AGE 7-9 PRESEASON PROGRAM**

**FOR MORE INFO OR TO REGISTER CLICK HERE:**

**Key Info**

- Dates:** Saturdays, October 5th, 12th, 19th, & 26th, 2024
- Time:** 9:30 to 10:30am (Arrive 15mins early)
- Location:** Colquhoun Park (JFK side), Palmerston North
- Ages:** 7 to 9 Years
- Purpose:** To teach basic softball skills and build confidence for new and returning players
- Cost:** FREE TO ATTEND

**FOR MORE INFO OR TO REGISTER CLICK HERE:**



## **Sports available at Hokowhitu school for 2024**

We will let you know in upcoming newsletters and through the School App when these sports are open on Kindo.




*(Please note Rugby and Winter Soccer are CLUB sports, these ARE NOT offered at Hokowhitu School).*

Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
Netball - Years 1 - 4	Basketball - Years 3 - 6	Netball - Years 4, 5 & 6	Summer soccer - Years 0 - 6 <b>OPEN NOW ON KINDO</b>
Summer Hockey - Years 1 - 6	Winter hockey - Years 1 - 6	FUTSAL - Years 3 - 6	Summer hockey - Years 0 - 6 <b>OPEN NOW ON KINDO</b>
		T-Ball - Years 0 - 2 <b>OPEN NOW ON KINDO</b>	Touch Rugby - Years 0 - 6
			Volleyball - Years 4, 5 & 6
Badminton - Years 5 & 6		Badminton - Years 4, 5 & 6	Badminton - Years 5 & 6
<i>These sports are available in term one and they close for registration in week 2 of term 1.</i>	<i>These sports are available in term two and three and they close for registration in week 9 of term 1.</i>	<i>These sports are available in terms three and/or four and registration closes in term 3.</i>	<i>These sports are available in term four and they close for registration in term 3.</i>

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## Achievement Awards

### Te Kete Wakahuia

**Freya** - For using great science language.

**Keepa** - For having great rhythm with percussion instruments.

**Indy** - For using the different percussion instruments.

**Colin** - For following instructions to produce a flower.

**Kirill** - For working so hard on your heart words. Tino pai.

**Marley** - For your super maths knowledge. Kā pai.

**Eliza** - For being a super role model in Huia. Kā pai.

**Zia** - For focusing well on learning our production dance. Kā pai.

### Te Kete Pounamu

**Ayson** - For taking care with your calendar art.

**Mehar** - You are trying so hard in our dance for production Mehar - Keep it up!!

**Claudia** - For your thoughtful contributions to class discussions and for giving 110% in everything you do!

**Aaden** - For identifying and adding NZ money. Ka pai!

**Asher** - For an awesome effort with your calendar art! He whetu koe!

**Alex** - For contributing awesome ideas to our descriptive writing.

**Oliver** - For an awesome effort with your calendar art! He Whetu koe!

### Te Kete Manawa

**Isla H** - For taking responsibility for your learning and asking for help when unclear of new learning.

**Romaan** - For great focus during our Te Reo Inquiry sessions.

**Henry** - For being more confident when reading in a group and learning that mistakes are good for learning.

**Anna W** - For listening well to instructions and completing great follow up tasks.

**Vanshika** - For gaining more confidence and asking for help in maths when needed.

**Adi S** - For creating the board work for our maths and completing it to a high standard.

**Inwoo** - For your speedy and accurate recall of basic facts for addition, subtraction, multiplication and division

**Huatahi** - For your wonderful contributions during our literacy sessions.

**Antonella** - For making better choices about where you sit which has helped your learning.





## Achievement Awards

### Te Kete Aronui

We have listened to some amazing speeches this week. We think the following students put in a great effort with their content and delivery: **Aiden, Max, Zayd, Amelia, Bailey, Elijah**. We were also entertained with some clever poems, congratulations to **Ranvir, Madison, Nehan, Zareesh, Imogen** and **Taylah!**

### Te Kete Tangaroa

**Amiria** - For outstanding mahi doing bike duty.

**Ava K** - For writing a persuasive piece about saving the kiwi.

**Catherine** - For being the champion Kahoot player using her conservation knowledge.

**Olivia G** - For an outstanding persuasive piece of writing for bird of the year.

**Senuli** - For making a successful balloon driven car.

**Joshpreet** - For showing enthusiasm during music sessions.

**Albie** - For an outstanding speech on gaming.

**Sanuthi** - For an outstanding speech.

**Trinity** - For working hard on her persuasive bird writing.





## Community Notices

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OCTOBER 2024

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# NIUSINA A LE PASEFIKA DANCE ACADEMY

JOIN OUR CULTURAL GROUP AS WE PREPARE  
FOR OUR END OF YEAR CONCERT WITH SONGS  
AND DANCES FROM THE PASEFIKA AREA AND  
BEYOND

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WEBSTE: [WWW.NIUSINA.ORG.NZ](http://WWW.NIUSINA.ORG.NZ)




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21st SEPTEMBER 

# SAKURA DAY



IPU New Zealand

TIME | 10:00 - 3:00  
VENUE | 57 Aokautere Drive, Fitzherbert, Palmerston North 4410

Activities	Performances	Food
face painting shooting gallery origami, etc	Drum performance Nichibu dance Sorani dance Music band, etc	Food trucks KJapanese curry Candy floss, etc

For more information: [SakuraDay@ipu.ac.nz](mailto:SakuraDay@ipu.ac.nz)



CELEBRATING 59 YEARS



## Ngā Whakataetae ā-Motu mō Ngā Manu Kōrero 2024

Experience the nation's finest rangatahi orators! Join us for two unforgettable days at the Ngā Manu Kōrero Speech Competition, where the top secondary school speakers from across Aotearoa will captivate and inspire in both English and Te Reo Māori. Nau mai!

**10-11 September**  
7.30am Karakia | 8.00am First Speaker (each day)  
Prizegiving Wednesday 3.45pm (approx)

Te Tōangaroa | Spark Arena  
42/80 Mahuhu Crescent, Auckland CBD

Tickets on sale now at [ticketmaster.co.nz](http://ticketmaster.co.nz) • Door sales available  
**\$10 entry • Under 5s Free**

Transportation: Bus - Quay Street Bus Stop, Right By The Bridge Ramp Into The Arena, Train - To Britomart - 8min Walk to Arena

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## aPlus Spring Holiday Programme 2024 - 30<sup>th</sup> Sept – 11<sup>th</sup> Oct 2024

Hokowhitu School, 227 Albert Street, Palmerston North.

Book at [www.aplus.kiwi.nz](http://www.aplus.kiwi.nz)

### The Small Fry Programme – 5–6 Years

Mon 30 <sup>th</sup> Sep 2024	Tues 1 <sup>st</sup> Oct 2024	Wed 2 <sup>nd</sup> Oct 2024	Thu 3 <sup>rd</sup> Oct 2024	Fri 4 <sup>th</sup> Oct 2024
<p><b>OVERFLOW</b> \$28.00</p> <p>Everything is overflowing today - don't wear your good clothes, we are experimenting with Elephants toothpaste and other fun material.</p>	<p><b>GRUMPY MONKEY</b> \$28.00</p> <p>Hear the Grumpy Monkey story and then explore all the different faces of Grumpy Monkeys attitude!</p>	<p><b>BEE IS FOR B</b> \$28.00</p> <p>Bees, Bananas and a day for chasing our tails!</p>	<p><b>NIGHTLIGHT REEF</b> \$28.00</p> <p>Build a nightlight reef to take home. Take the Penguin challenge and don't drop the egg.</p>	<p><b>OUT OF THIS WORLD</b> \$28.00</p> <p>It's the crazy parts rocket factory today. Grab all the bits you need to build your own rocket ship!</p>
Mon 7 <sup>th</sup> Oct 2024	Tues 8 <sup>th</sup> Oct 2024	Wed 9 <sup>th</sup> Oct 2024	Thu 10 <sup>th</sup> Oct 2024	Fri 11 <sup>th</sup> Oct 2024
<p><b>CLOUDS &amp; STORMS</b> \$28.00</p> <p>Moldable clouds, storms in a jar - grab an umbrella and get out of the rain!</p>	<p><b>WISH JARS</b> \$28.00</p> <p>We will be making wishes and putting them in a jar. When the Wish Jar goes home, it can be used to reward family and friends when you want to cheer them up, celebrate something with them or just because you feel good and want to spread that feeling around!!</p>	<p><b>HIDDEN FISH AND BINGO</b> \$28.00</p> <p>There are hidden fish all over the place - find a fish and check to see what you have won.</p>	<p><b>PAPER CUP PANDEMONIUM</b> \$28.00</p> <p>Once we are through with these cups, you will want to display them - cool colours and decorations to explore.</p>	<p><b>FESTIVAL OF FUN DISCO</b> \$28.00</p> <p>Decorating, preparing the food, music, Ice Cream and DANCING. Welcome to our Festival of Fun Disco. Wear old clothes to prepare and then change into your disco finery for the party!</p>

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### The Holiday Fun Programme – 7 Years and Up

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<p><b>DON'T EAT CASPAR</b> \$30.00</p> <p>Caspar is the theme of today's programme - the Don't Eat Caspar game, can you wrap Caspar faster than the other team - fun activities for us all.</p>	<p><b>IN MY SPACESHIP</b> \$30.00</p> <p>If I was an Alien, my spaceship would be purple with orange wheels and a pink wind shield, the perfect look to match my hair!</p>	<p><b>TOSS IT DAY</b> \$30.00</p> <p>This day may get out of hand very quickly - while we want you to toss things - if you could do it tidily, that would be great!!</p>	<p><b>GERM BATTLE</b> \$30.00</p> <p>What a winter it has been, germs everywhere! We are declaring war on germs, by learning, experimenting, and creating our own potions in the lab!!!!</p>	<p><b>GIVE ME THE BALL!</b> \$30.00</p> <p>Everyone loves a ball - now if you would just pass it to me, we can all have a great time!</p>
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<p><b>A WHALE OF A TALE</b> \$30.00</p> <p>We are making a HUGE whale. Serious work and creativity is needed. Each little piece of the design is very important - let's hope it looks like a whale when we are finished!</p>	<p><b>ODD GAME TOURNAMENT</b> \$30.00</p> <p>Our sports tournament today involves ODD games, crazy team play and a bit of thinking outside the square. Cannot wait to see you there.</p>	<p><b>BIRDS FLYING HIGH</b> \$30.00</p> <p>Flying planes, birds, parachutes - something for everyone!</p>	<p><b>DOT PAINTING</b> \$30.00</p> <p>Everyone loves dot painting. You can spend hours lost in the process and with care it is always going to produce a masterpiece!</p>	<p><b>FESTIVAL OF FUN DISCO</b> \$30.00</p> <p>Decorating, preparing the food, music, Ice Cream and DANCING. Welcome to our Festival of Fun Disco. Wear old clothes to prepare and then change into your disco finery for the party!</p>



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### The Explorers Programme 7 Years and Up

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<p><b>THE MAGICAL OCEAN</b> <b>\$35.00</b></p> <p>We know there are whales, dolphins, sharks down in the depths of the ocean, but what else is there????</p>	<p><b>SPLATTER</b> <b>\$42.00</b></p> <p>Off to Splatter today, let your inner artist out and create something unique. Then back to aPlus to the big CO2 car race!</p>	<p><b>FIGURE THIS OUT!</b> <b>\$35.00</b></p> <p>A series of problems and challenges will come your way today. How will you figure them out - alone or with your friends?</p>	<p><b>MOVIES</b> <b>\$45.00</b></p> <p>A warm theatre, friends, snacks and a good movie to watch!!</p>	<p><b>SEA GLASS</b> <b>\$35.00</b></p> <p>We will be using sea glass to make some magnificent designs. Then out comes the dot painting - take your time and the rewards will be amazing.</p>
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<p><b>ON THE BUS</b> <b>\$35.00</b></p> <p>Are you on the bus or driving the bus. Some silly photography and various vehicles, very funny.</p>	<p><b>SONGS AND BOOKS</b> <b>\$35.00</b></p> <p>Create your own song and then outline a book you would write if you were going to be an author!!</p>	<p><b>CLAY WORKSHOP</b> <b>\$35.00</b></p> <p>Today we make our own clay and then experiment with some designs!! Get your hands dirty and in our clay workshop!!</p>	<p><b>ESCAPE ROOM</b> <b>\$40.00</b></p> <p>The mystery begins - work with your friends to escape from the locked room!! Find the clues and think carefully! The lock only turns once.</p>	<p><b>FESTIVAL OF FUN DISCO</b> <b>\$30.00</b></p> <p>Decorating, preparing the food, music, Ice Cream and DANCING. Welcome to our Festival of Fun Disco. Wear old clothes to prepare and then change into your disco finery for the party!</p>

## aPlus Spring Holiday Programme 2024 - 30<sup>th</sup> Sept – 11<sup>th</sup> Oct 2024

Hokowhitu School, 227 Albert Street, Palmerston North.

Book at [www.aplus.kiwi.nz](http://www.aplus.kiwi.nz)

### The Awatea Programme - 9 Years and Up

Mon 30 <sup>th</sup> Sep 2024	Tues 1 <sup>st</sup> Oct 2024	Wed 2 <sup>nd</sup> Oct 2024	Thu 3 <sup>rd</sup> Oct 2024	Fri 4 <sup>th</sup> Oct 2024
<p><b>CO2 CAR BUILD</b> <b>\$42.00</b></p> <p>Today we start designing, refining and painting our cars - tomorrow we race!! If you are a budding race car designer and racer - practice here!!</p>	<p><b>SPLATTER</b> <b>\$42.00</b></p> <p>Off to Splatter today, let your inner artist out and create something unique. Then back to aPlus to finish your CO2 car and this afternoon - the big race!</p>	<p><b>CANDLE MAKING</b> <b>\$40.00</b></p> <p>We are going to make some candles for you to take home. Beautiful gifts for someone!</p>	<p><b>MOVIES</b> <b>\$45.00</b></p> <p>A warm theatre, friends, snacks and a good movie to watch!!</p>	<p><b>COOKING SCHOOL - PIZZA</b> <b>\$42.00</b></p> <p>We are going to be making Pizza from scratch, then next Friday we will use our pizza making skills for the disco!! Tasting is compulsory!</p>
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<p><b>COOKING SCHOOL - CAKE</b> <b>\$42.00</b></p> <p>Make a cake, decorate, and enjoy for afternoon tea. Explore the cupcake rage and design your own!</p>	<p><b>CONCRETE HANDS</b> <b>\$40.00</b></p> <p>Make a garden held in hands of concrete. We are getting down to dirty hands and creating a garden with the shape of our own hands!</p>	<p><b>MINI EASELS</b> <b>\$40.00</b></p> <p>Put your artists hat on today. Choose your subject and paint your heart out!</p>	<p><b>ESCAPE ROOM</b> <b>\$40.00</b></p> <p>The mystery begins - work with your friends to escape from the locked room!! Find the clues and think carefully! The lock only turns once.</p>	<p><b>FESTIVAL OF FUN DISCO</b> <b>\$30.00</b></p> <p>Decorating, preparing the food, music, Ice Cream and DANCING. Welcome to our Festival of Fun Disco. Wear old clothes to prepare and then change into your disco finery for the party!</p>

# THE EGG PROJECT....

We're gearing up to pack the freshest, happiest eggs this side of the henhouse, and we don't want you to miss out. Our Free Range and Certified Organic Free-Range eggs come from the happiest hens you'll ever meet (unless you've got your own chooks!).

## Why should you scramble to order before the cut-off?

1. **Unbeatable Freshness:** These eggs are so fresh, they practically come with a cluck of approval.
2. **Fundraising Fun:** For every dozen you buy, we give \$1.00 back to your school. That's a win-win for everyone!
3. **Support Local:** You're backing a small local business that's cracking out its best to make a difference in our community.



Don't egg-nore this opportunity - get your dozen(s) now and enjoy the freshest eggs you can get without building a coop in your backyard.

## Te Wiki o Manaaki Welcoming Week

6-15 September

NAU MAI RĀ,  
GLAD YOU'RE HERE



**PALMY**  
COMMUNITY  
CARE

**Welcoming  
Communities**  
TE MANAWA I BULI KAIPOKE

**Potluck dinner, Te  
Manawa Museum**

**Friday 6  
September**  
Starts 5:45pm

**Planting Session,  
Fredrick Krull  
Reserve**

**Saturday 7  
September**  
11am-1pm

**Passport to  
Play launch,  
Central Library**

**6-15 September**

**City Welcome  
Session, Te  
Manawa Museum**

**Saturday 14  
September**  
10:30am-12pm



## MASSEY KIDS' CLUB HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

WEEK 1: 30th September to 4th October 2024 - 8:30am to 5:30pm daily, contact: manager@masseykidsclub.ac.nz

WEEK 1	Monday 30th Sept	Tuesday 1st Oct	Wednesday 2nd Oct	Thursday 3rd Oct	Friday 4th Oct
AM	<b>Adventures at the Esplanade</b> 	<b>Lego challenge</b> 	<b>MKC Carnival Day</b> 	<b>Science Experiments</b> 	<b>Tie Dye something white</b> 
PM	<b>Mini golf</b> 	<b>Wheels Day</b> 	<b>BYOD</b> 	<b>Outdoor/Indoor Activities</b> 	<b>Treasure Hunt</b> 
9+ Option	<b>Mini golf</b>	<b>N/A</b>	<b>BYOD</b>	<b>BYOD</b>	<b>N/A</b>

WEEK 2: 7th to 11th October 2024 8:30am to 5:30pm daily, contact: manager@masseykidsclub.ac.nz

WEEK 2	Monday 7th Oct	Tuesday 8th Oct	Wednesday 9th Oct	Thursday 10th Oct	Friday 11th Oct
AM	<b>Swim at the Lido</b> 	<b>Rock Painting</b> 	<b>Hama Beads and Loom Bands</b> 	<b>Kelly Sports</b> 	<b>Halloween party!</b> 
PM	<b>Play and explore the Esplanade</b> 	<b>Walk around Massey</b> 	<b>Cupcake decorating</b> 	<b>Colouring Comp</b> 	<b>Dress Up Comp</b> <b>Arts &amp; Crafts</b> <b>Movie Ice cream Sundaes AND MORE</b> 
9+ Option	<b>N/A</b>	<b>N/A</b>	<b>BYOD</b> <small>Today calls for more creations AND</small>	<b>BYOD</b>	<b>N/A</b>



**Wild Things**  
Get grounded with us

**Spring Holiday Programme**

**Nature connection**  
7-11 yr olds

Sept 30 - Oct 4th 2024  
Come to as many days as you want  
9am - 3pm  
\$350 OR \$70/day

 hello@wildnatureschool.nz