



Week 9, Term 3

15 September 2023

Kia ora e te whānau

The joy that some of our learning experiences bring to our children is absolutely awesome. On Wednesday this week there were so many excited learners ready to head on the bus to our Kainui Dance Day. For some of our Wharite children it was their very first school trip too! Everyone had such a wonderful time. Thank you to all the whanau members that supported our students throughout the day, popped in to visit at the Civic Centre or joined us at Kowhai Park for lunch and a play. Our Wharite teachers were so grateful for your support and have commented about how proud they were of our children on this trip. The cost of the buses for this trip was all covered by your school donations and it is lovely to take our children beyond the classroom for experiences like this.



Congratulations to last weeks Quiz Night Winners—it has been fantastic to hear so many members of our school community talking about this great night out. And as for the generosity of our community—this is absolutely next level! Raising in excess of \$8000 is a spectacular achievement. A big thank you to our 'Friends of Hiwinui' fundraising group as well as other parents

and community members that supported with the planning and organisation for this night—we appreciate you all!

In school bags in the last week you will have received information about Summer Soccer and Summer Hockey. Today there is also information coming home about Summer Touch. Please return these registration forms as quickly as possible to help with our organisation of teams. We appreciate that even though our community members have busy lives, people still put their hands up to coach and manage teams. Thank you for getting behind these sports teams and making this happen.

Earlier this week I spent time in Queenstown at the NZ Principals Federation Conference. As part of this event I attended a rural lunch with other rural school leaders from across the country and it was great chatting about what we offer our learners and further considering what else we can do to maintain our small country school vibe. A conference highlight was listening to Pasi Sahlberg, an educator from Finland, who is now based at Melbourne University. He spoke in-depth about the education system in Finland and how learner engagement is built and maintained. Finland is often showcased for high academic results and he explored some of the different influences on student achievement which included: relationships, timetabling and play. Raising individual learner achievement continues to be our priority so there is lots we can learn from this too.

Ngā mihi nui, Erin

Friends of Hiwinui School

We had an amazing inaugural Hiwinui Quiz Night last Friday, the Friends of Hiwinui School committee are pleased to announce we have made in excess of \$8,000 towards upgrading our school tennis court area. We are incredibly thankful to everyone who contributed towards making this night a success—we couldn't have done it without you! To our sponsors—thank you for your generosity in supporting Hiwinui School. To all those who contributed baking, or their time volunteering on the night, thank you. And finally a huge THANKS to all our guests who attended and made it such a fun night.

Congratulations to our Quiz Night winners:

1st: Team 1.57 (half pi); **2nd:** Team DD;
3rd: Old, Bold and Beautiful.

Congratulations also to our Raffle/Auction

Winners: **Raffle 1:** **1st:** Deb Woodhouse; **2nd:** 'Ash';
3rd: Anna Gordon; **4th:** Megan Fraser. **Raffle 2:**
1st: Sidney Makahununiu; **2nd:** L. Johnston;
3rd: 'Julie'; **4th:** David Thomson.

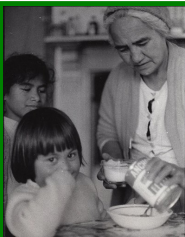
And our **Numberworks** silent auction winners, Gemma Avery and Lynda Alabaster.



Aotearoa NZ Histories Curriculum: Conversations: What things do you do in your whānau that have been learnt from your grandparents? Do you have anything in your house that you still use that used to belong to them?

He aha ngā āhuatanga i ako
ai tātou i ō tātou tūpuna?

What have we learnt
from our grandparents?



Working Bee

We would appreciate your support on **Saturday 23rd September, from 9am.** for a working bee within our school grounds. Our main mission will be to remove parts of the old playground ready for the installation of Phase 1 of our new playground (Seesaw, swings etc). We would also love support with gardening and maintenance type jobs around our school too so if you have a spare wheelbarrow, hedge trimmer etc please bring that along. Children are absolutely welcome too!

Melford Lane Planting

As part of beautifying our Melford Lane entrance into the school we are working with the Hiwinui Community Committee to plant some native grasses. This project will include about 20-25 of our learners and Enviro Crew **next Thursday afternoon.** Is this something you can support us with prior to school pick up on **Thursday.** From 1.30pm or just when you can prior to 3pm.

Lamb and Calf Day

Our date for Lamb and Calf Day is set for **Saturday 28th October.** Look out for the entry form in school bags today! Remember lambs and calves need to be born between 1 July and today, 15 September to be eligible. Also in school bags today is information about this year's indoor exhibit home creation. The theme is "Down on the Farm". This could be a fun activity to get started on in the holidays!



Community Notice Board

Hiwinui School Playgroup—The next playgroup will be 21 September. Please check their Facebook page for details. All preschoolers and their minders welcome.

SCHOOL WORKING BEE—**Saturday 23 September, from 9am.** We would LOVE your support—lots of jobs for everyone—gardening and general maintenance, shifting and removing playground equipment.

KA PAI KIDS

Pūrerehua: Stevie-Rae—You have made a stunning start back in Pūrerehua this week! I am proud of the way you put your best foot forward learning new folk dances and making new friends this week. Keep bringing that lovely friendly and sunshiney spirit every day, we are so glad to have you back!

Ngaruru: Ayva—How wonderful it has been to see your resilience and enthusiasm this week Ayva. You've put awesome effort into your learning and enjoying helping with your dance group and getting into the Kainui Folk Dancing. Keep up the awesome attitude.

Whaea Jessica: April—Wow! What a caring person you are April. You are amazing at looking out for people who are sad and need a kind friend to encourage them. I saw you spotting people at Kainui Dance that needed someone to include them in their group. Keep it up April!

Arotahi: Frank—You have had such a positive week this week! I loved seeing you complete your learning tasks with pride. When you put your mind to it you can achieve so much! You also stepped up as a leader on our day out on Wednesday, and got involved in our dances with a big smile. We are so proud of you Frank!

Kaihōpara: Payton—You showed so much determination in researching your speech. You presented with enthusiasm and supported others in our class who felt nervous. You are such a positive and encouraging influence in Kaihōpara and we are glad to have you in our class!

Taurikura: Ruby—Thank you for being such a responsible member of our class this week. Your Legend of Okatia inspired art was stunning! Great attention to detail.

Pūkeke: Nathan—You are a clever boy Nathan, it is incredible what you can do when you knuckle down and get excited about something. You have great general knowledge and you are able to quickly absorb new strategies and ideas with ease. You are capable of great things and I can't wait to hear where your future will take you!

IMPORTANT DATES

21 Sept	Enviro Crew & Community Planting
22 Sept	End of Term 3
23 Sept	School Working Bee
9 Oct	Start of Term 4
25 Oct	Pet Day home created exhibits to school
27 Oct	School Photos
28 Oct	Pet Day
13-17 Nov	Year 7-8 Camp
15-17 Nov	Year 5-6 Camp
20 Nov	Teacher Only Day
15 Dec	End of Year
7 Feb	Start of Term 1

Regards, Erin, Emma, Jo, Jessica, Holly, Kirsty, Kendall, Jono, Portia, Allanah, Heidi,
Sarah, Charlotte, Elise, Colin, Rachelle & Jacki



THEME: Rugby World Cup

Term 3 Week 10, 18th September 2023

Weekly Activities Plan
Kelly Club Ashhurst

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
7:00 - 8:15 am	Flag Making & Structured Free Time	Coin Rugby & Structured Free Time	Finger Painting & Structured Free Time	Rugby Try Scoring Relay & Structured Free Time	Weetbix Slice & Structured Free Time
8:15 - 8:30 am	Game: Kiwis & Kangaroos	Game: Kids Yoga	Game: Balloon Tag	Game: Limbo	Game: Angry Birds
3:00 - 3:10 pm	Sign In & Free Time	Sign In & Free Time	Sign In & Free Time	Sign In & Free Time	Sign In & Free Time
3:10 - 3:30 pm	Intro & Afternoon Tea Chips & Dip & Fruit	Intro & Afternoon Tea Yogurt & Fruit	Intro & Afternoon Tea Sausage Rolls & Fruit	Intro & Afternoon Tea Sammies & Fruit	Intro & Afternoon Tea Weetbix Slice & Fruit
3:30 - 3:45 pm	Game: Human Paper, Scissors, Rock	Game: Duck, Duck, Goose	Game: Toilet Tag	Game: Follow the Sergeant	Game: Cat & Mouse Tag
	DISCOVERY Throw'em a Curveball	SPORT Touch Rugby	COOKING All Black Weetbix Bars	CRAFT Rugby Ball Bunting	GAME Rugby Training Drills
SENIORS 3:45 - 4:30 pm					
	SPORT Rippa Tag	CRAFT Rugby Ball Bunting	COOKING All Black Weetbix Bars	GAME Silent Ball	DISCOVERY Construct a Rugby Field
JUNIORS 3:45 - 4:30 pm					
4:30 - 4:35 pm	Tidy Up	Tidy Up	Tidy Up	Tidy Up	Tidy Up
4:50 - 5:15 pm	Homework & Quiet Time	Homework & Quiet Time	Homework & Quiet Time	Homework & Quiet Time	Homework & Quiet Time
5:15 - 6:00 pm	Game: Concentration & Projects	Game: Dance Comp & Projects	Game: Doggy Doggy & Projects	Game: Flee Chase & Projects	Game: Foot Volleyball & Projects

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General Information: We believe in giving children opportunities to do the things they love and enjoy in a supportive and encouraging environment. We provide quality childcare in safe and fun surroundings for children out of school. Our holiday programme is focused around sports, games, and outings to local attractions. Our friendly staff are passionate about working with children. They are provided with training on behaviour management techniques, first aid and activity planning/delivery.

Who can attend: Children aged 5-13 yrs

What do you need to bring: Shoes and appropriate clothing, jacket or sweatshirt, hat, drink bottle and food.

Food: Please bring plenty of packed food and drink for morning tea/lunch/afternoon tea. Lunch will be from approximately 12:30pm to 1:00pm each day.

Programme activities: Programme activities are adapted to suit children of all ages and children may be grouped by age depending on numbers. Programme activities may vary without notice dependent on weather conditions and programme numbers.

Payment details: Payment is required before the holiday programme begins. An invoice will be issued when a completed booking is received. All payment details will be included on the invoice.

Work and Income OSCAR Subsidy: Parents / caregivers that meet certain criteria will be able to access a WINZ subsidy to help cover the cost of our programme. For more information visit www.workandincome.govt.nz.

Please note: Every care will be taken to ensure the safety of your child/ren and their property. However, organisers of Kelly Club accept no liability for any injury sustained to your child/ren or any loss or damage to his/her property whilst at a programme. If your child/ren are collected late after the conclusion of the programme you will be charged \$20 per 15 minutes or part thereof.

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OCTOBER 2023 HOLIDAY PROGRAMME ASHHURST SCHOOL

	Mon 25 September	Tues 26 September	Wed 27 September	Thurs 28 September	Fri 29 September
WEEK 1	 DARING DETECTIVES We're going undercover for a day of detective work. We'll need our spy gadgets and undercover team to solve the intriguing mysteries.	 NERF WARS! Today we battle it out in an all out Nerf War with team challenges and replenish your energy after a team bake off! Who will come out on top?	 EVENT DAY Join us for an awesome trip day to (Horse Riding and Swimming). Please remember a big lunch, drink bottle, shoes and a hat. \$15 extra for the day.	 YEAR OF WORLD CUPS This year our top Rugby, Netball, Football and Cricket players are all competing for World Cups. Today you can join the competition as we combine all four into our own Mega Cup!	 MMM-MONSTERS The monsters are casting a shadow over our Kelly Club land! Let's give them a big hug and show them all the fun that can be had!
	Mon 2 October	Tues 3 October	Wed 4 October	Thurs 5 October	Fri 6 October
WEEK 2	 GINORMOUS GALAXIES It's World Space Week so prepare for blast off! All our systems are go as we embark on an astronomical adventure here at Kelly Club.	 BOOK DAY Step between the pages of your favourite book and become part of the story. Where will we end up today? Come along dressed as your favourite book character and find out!	 EVENT DAY Join us for an awesome trip day (Manawatu Gym Sports). Please remember a big lunch, drink bottle, shoes and a hat. \$15 extra for the day.	 TERRIFIC TRANSPORT Moving from one spot to another can be fun, especially when you're on your bike or scooter! Safety first so remember no helmet = no ride.	 SMILES ALL AROUND Putting a smile on your dial today and everyday! Let's make each other smile through acts of kindness, sharing jokes and making smiley treats!

FULL WEEK: \$245
7am-6pm or
\$195: 8:30am to 3:30pm

FULL DAY: \$49
7:00 - 6:00pm

SCHOOL DAY: \$39
8:30am-3:30pm

HALF DAY: \$30
7:30am - 12:30pm or
12:30pm - 5:30pm

EVENT DAY: Extra \$15
(Included in Full Week)

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Holiday Programmes

25th September- 6th October 2023

Netball World Cup Day

Monday 25th September 2023

8:30am- 3:00pm (4pm for late collection for an extra \$10.00)

Register at: www.netballmanawatu.org.nz



PJ Day

Wednesday 27th September 2023

8:30am- 3:00pm (4pm for late collection for an extra \$10.00)

Register at: www.netballmanawatu.org.nz



Sports Day

Friday 29th September 2023

8:30am- 3:00pm (4pm for late collection for an extra \$10.00)

Register at: www.netballmanawatu.org.nz



Dress up as your favourite Netball Player

Monday 2nd October 2023

8:30am- 3:00pm (4pm for late collection for an extra \$10.00)

Register at www.netballmanawatu.org.nz



Winter Olympics Day

Wednesday 4th October 2023

8:30am- 3:00pm (4pm for late collection for an extra \$10.00)

Register at www.netballmanawatu.org.nz



Manawatu Netball Has Got Talent

Friday 6th October 2023

8:30am- 3:00pm (4pm for late collection for an extra \$10.00)

Register at www.netballmanawatu.org.nz



Balloon Twisting Workshop *with Zappo the Magician*

Join Zappo (Paul) from BLOW UP New Zealand, for a hands-on balloon twisting workshop!

Your child will enjoy an exciting balloon twisting workshop with Zappo, where they will learn how to make amazing balloon sculptures, to take home! (all balloons are 100% biodegradable)



Wednesday 27th September 2023

Time: 10:00am & 11:30m (Duration: 45 mins)
Cost: \$18.90 per child

Optional Add-on:
\$10.00 Children's Picnic Boxes
(includes sandwiches, fruit, two sweets & a drink)

Scan the QR Code To Purchase Tickets:



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FEILDING RURAL DAY

COUNTRY COMES TO TOWN

FRIDAY 6TH OCTOBER 2023
9.30AM - 3PM | FEILDING TOWN SQUARE

RURAL DAY COMPETITIONS!

For more information on each competition and to enter go to:

<https://feilding.co.nz/rural-day-2023>

Lamb & Calf Parade Best dressed and most well behaved lamb or calf.

A practice run with your pet before school pet day.

1st Prize \$50.00, 2nd Prize \$15.00 McDonalds Voucher

Enter before 22nd September!

TRC Toyota Primary & Intermediate Relay Race

Teams of 3, prizes for the winning team and best dressed! A trophy for your school plus \$25.00 voucher for each team member.

Take on the 2022 winners;

Primary – Halcombe (winners), Colyton (best dressed)

Intermediate – Hunterville (winners), KIWITEA SCHOOL (best dressed)

Enter before 22nd September!

Best Dressed Child & Parents

Parade around the clocktower in your best 'Rural' outfit

1st Prize - \$50 PGG Wrightson clothing voucher

Enter before 29th September!

Country Bake Off –

Great prizes up for grabs for the best sponge cake in town

Three different age categories available

Enter before 2nd October

Colouring Competition

For 7 years and under

Great prizes from Paper Plus up for grabs

Download form at <https://feilding.co.nz/rural-day-2023>

Totally Vets Count the Cow around Town

A scavenger hunt around town, counting the number of cows in each poste

\$200 Totally Vets Voucher up for grabs.

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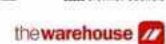
Heaps to join
in and have
fun with!



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**FEILDING
RURAL DAY**
COUNTRY COMES TO TOWN

LAMB & CALF PARADE

Here's a great opportunity to have a practice with your pet before your school pet day.

Entrants will be required to lead their pet into the town square, around the ring on the grass quadrant for judging and then back to the write price car park.

Prizes will be given for 'Best Dressed' and 'Most Well-behaved' Lamb or Calf.

**NEW FOR
2023!!**

Parking has been allocated at the old write price.

There are three categories; Primary, Intermediate and Secondary School

Registration is FREE but you must be registered to enter before 22nd September.

To enter before 22nd September go to:
<https://feilding.co.nz/rural-day-2023>



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Marist Football

are excited to run the
NZ Football FANTAILS PROGRAMME in Manawatu!!

A girls only Football Hub for girls aged 7 – 12 years

When: Sundays, Term 3 & 4 (4pm – 5pm)

Location: Freyberg School – School Gym

Dates:

23rd July – 17th September 2023
& 15th October – 26 November 2023

\$5 per session

Register online at

<https://www.sporty.co.nz/viewform/236725>



New Zealand
Football



Manawatu Oroua Boys & Girls Agricultural Club want to encourage the kids out into the garden by getting them to try and grow the most impressive Pumpkin they can! Last year the heaviest pumpkin was 103kg! Can anyone beat that this year?!

What you need to know to take part in the Kids Pumpkin Growing Competition:

1. Fill in the registration form, entries open Friday 15th September, close Thursday 12th October 2023.
(ask your school for the form link or email secretary@lambandcalf.co.nz)
2. Cost is \$3 per entry. **Paid directly to The Boys & Girls Ag Club.**
3. Each child registered and paid will receive 3 seeds.
4. Seeds will be distributed to the schools to hand out to the children by Tuesday 17th October 2023.
5. Plant seeds 22nd October 2023 – 30th October 2023.
6. Bring your pumpkin to the weigh in at Rongotea Grounds on Sunday 24th March.
7. Winners will be selected from all entries attended on the day. The pumpkin must be from a seed provided by us. Only 1 pumpkin per section.
8. No cash alternatives will be offered.
9. Judges decision is final.
10. We reserve the right to withdraw the competition if necessary, no refunds.

AUDITIONS NOW OPEN



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Regent on Broadway

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Term 4 Registrations Open Now!



Starting Sunday October 8th 2023

Sunday Sessions

Yrs 1/2	mini	9am - 9:45am
Yrs 3/4	junior	10am - 10:45am
Yrs 5/6	pro	11am - 12:30pm
Yrs 7/8	all star	1pm - 2:30pm

Teaching Gym

Massey University
Orchard Road
Fitzherbert
Palmerston North

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Register on-line at www.bounceacademy.nz

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