Week 1, Term 4 13 October 2023

Kia ora e te whānau

Our term has started in a happy and positive way with our learners exploring our new 'Reach your Peak' values.

This morning at our Hui we have honoured students who have demonstrated our new values throughout this week and all those who received 'Peak Points'.

Some of the things students were recognised for were:

Being a PATHFINDER:

- Persevering on a task
- Showing resilience when something is tough
- Giving new and challenging learning a try

Being ENERGISED:

- · Approaching learning with enthusiasm
- · Getting involved in something new
- Encouraging and supporting others

Showing AWHI:

- · Being kind and caring to others
- Taking care of someone who needs a friend
- Respecting others

Being a KAITIAKI:

- Caring for our school environment
- Putting sports gear away where it belongs
- Keeping our belongings tidy

Each week we have a school goal that links to one of our values and as the term goes on you will hear your children talking more and more about what they are learning.

Thank you for all the sports registrations that have come in this term. We have such a great number of teams and we appreciate all the whānau support with this.

Ngā mihi nui, Erin





Fundraising Opportunity!

Don't forget during October, Hiwinui School, along with two other rural schools, is the recipient of Cloud 9's online transaction fees. Also, when you visit Cloud 9 during this time, you can choose to collect a token when you arrive and drop it into the Hiwinui School voting box. The more

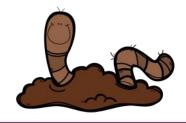
tokens we put in the voting box, the bigger the donation to our school!

Please get behind this fantastic fundraising initiative and vote for Hiwinui School when visiting Cloud 9!



Worm wee for sale!

The Enviro group have worm wee for sale, along with kowhai trees! Look out for their regular stall in front of the deck at 3pm. Discount is available for those who have pet day garden entries. CASH ONLY.



Lamb and Calf Day

Lamb and Calf Day is planned for **Saturday 28th October**. We hope you are taking great care of your lambs and calves! Don't forget your indoor exhibit home creation is due at school on Wednesday 25 October. The theme is "Down on the Farm". Please see your class teacher if you need guidance.





Notice Board

Hiwinui School Playgroup—The next playgroup will be 19 October. Please check their Facebook page for details. All preschoolers and their minders welcome.

Manawatu Oroua Boys & Girls Agricultural Club
Championship Day. Sat 11 November, Rongotea. The interschool Ag Day competition where children compete for points towards the Craig Cup and B&A Cup. Every child who enters a calf, lamb or goat at our school pet day is eligible to enter. See details on the digital version of this newsletter.

Marist Football Fantails Programme—a girls only football hub, ages 7-12 years. Sundays, Freyberg School. Register at www.sporty.co.nz/viewform/236725

Basketball Development Academy, starts 8 Oct. Yrs 1-8, Sunday Sessions. Visit bounceacademy.nz for information and registration.

Hunterville Shemozzle—Sat 28 October, registrations open 1 August. Visit www.shemozzle.co.nz for information or search Hunterville Huntaway Festival on Facebook.

Weetbix Kids Tryathlon—March 2024. Early bird entries are open now! Please remember to select Hiwinui School when you enter. www.tryathlon.co.nz

Manawatu Striders E2E—Sun 29 October. 3km, 12km, 21km—medals for all distances! Visit manawatustriders.org.nz to enter.

Feilding Moas Festival of Running—Sat 4 Nov. 2.5km through to marathon distance—something for everyone. Visit feildingmoa.co.nz for information.

KA PAI KIDS

Pūrerehua: Emily—What an amazing start you have made to your school journey, Emily! You have slotted straight into our class and readily join into activities with new friends. You show kaitiaki as you care for our learning environment. We are so glad to have you in Pūrerehua!

Ngaruru: Olivia—You always put effort into your learning and support others in the class with so much awhi. You have embraced our new PEAK values and have worked hard to be a Kaitiaki of our school. You are amazing!

Arotahi: Jackson—It has been amazing to see you start the term so energised and ready to learn. You have been really excited and focused on your chapter chat tasks, and I love the attention to detail you are showing in your pet day art. Ka rawe Jackson!

Kaihōpara: Louka—You have joined Kaihōpara this week with enthusiasm and it feels like you have always been a part of our class. We are all loving getting to know you and enjoy hearing your contributions in class discussions. Welcome to our class and whanāu!

Taurikura: Georgia—It has been really impressive the way in which you have been using the PEAK values throughout this week. You have been an energised pathfinder in class, especially during our animal farm art activity where you have made a great start. This is so cool to see! Ka pai, Georgia!

Pūkeke: Sophie—You have come so far in your writing this year! You carefully choose the best, most magical words and take your reader on a journey to another time and place. I love reading it with you and always look forward to seeing another finished piece.







IMPORTANT DATES

18 Oct Summer Soccer commences

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



THEME: F.R.I.E.N.D.S! Term 4 Week 2, 16 October 2023

Weekly Activities Plan Kelly Club Ashhurst

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
7:00 - 8:15 am	Colouring Comp & Structured Free Time	Lego Building & Structured Free Time	Best Friend Cards & Structured Free Time	Kids Choice & Structured Free Time	Structured Free Time
8:15 - 8:30 am	Game: Chicken Tag	Game: Staff Choice	Game: Musical Statues	Game: Head It, Catch It	Game: Human Paper, Scissors, Rock
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 Noodles & Fruit	Intro & Afternoon Tea Sammies & Fruit	Intro & Afternoon Tea Spaghetti Baskets & Fruit	Intro & Afternoon Tea Crackers & Fruit	Intro & Afternoon Tea Popcorn & Fruit
3:30 - 3:45 pm	Game: Zip Zap Boing	Game: Rainbow Rush	Game: Crab Football	Game: Tug O War	Game: Turkey Tag
SENIORS 3:45 - 4:30 pm	CRAFT Friendship Bracelets	GAME Find A Friend Bingo	DISCOVERY Build A Bridge	SPORT Frisbee Golf	COOKING Best Friend Cookies
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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: Campers & Tents & Projects	Game: The Warm Wind Blows & Projects	Game: Train Stations & Projects	Game: What's The Time Wally & Projects	Game: Zombie Tag & Projects

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Championship Day

Saturday 11th November

Te Kawau Memorial Grounds, Wear St, Rongotea

The inter-school Ag Day competition where children compete for points towards the Craig Cup and B&A Cup.

Your school is already gaining points through your school Ag Day.

Participations and any placing at Championship Day contribute to the cup points.

Every child who enters a calf, lamb or goat at their school is eligible to come to this day.

No Cost Register Online Lamb and Calf Judging start 10am

4 Judging Rings: Year 0-2 Year 3-4 Year 5-6 Year 7-8 Ice Cream Truck Sausage Sizzle Hot Drinks



Contact secretary@lambandcalf.co.nz for any questions



Imagine your dream car. Does it hover for a smoother ride? Maybe it converts rubbish into fuel, or plants native trees in its tracks. We're looking for imaginative ways people will go places in the future. By doing so, you could even win one of three Apple iPads.

Go to toyota.co.nz/dreamcar to find out more and for entry details.



Let's Go Places







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:

- 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.



