



# OWHANGO SCHOOL PANUI

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## THOUGHT OF THE WEEK / WHAKATAUKI

“To die completely, a person must not only forget but be forgotten, and he who is not forgotten is not dead.”

Samuel Butler (1835-1902)

## TERM THREE DATES TO NOTE

31 July-1 Aug	Life Education (Harold) Visit
1 August	Mobile Library Visit
2 August	Y4-8 Ski Day Two - postponed
5 August	Duffy Books Theatre Visit
7 August	Wearable Arts Session 2-4pm
9 August	Y4-8 Ski Day Three
14 August	Wearable Arts Session 2-4pm
15 August	Central Plateau Ski Champs
16 August	Y4-8 Ski Day Four
16 August	Mini Meez Basketball Starts
22 August	NZ Army Band Trip
22 August	Wearable Arts Competition Night
23 August	Y4-8 Ski Day Five
27 August	Owhango Cross Country Race
30 August	Y4-8 Ski Postponement Day
3 September	Interschool Cross Country at Ongarue
6 September	Y1-3 Ski Day One
17 September	Tuwharetoa Taiopenga (TBC)
20 September	Y 1-3 Ski Day Two
26 September	School Assembly
27 September	Y1-3 Ski Postponement Day

## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

We are all very sad and sore after hearing the news of our former student, Storm Lacy's death earlier this week. I remember Storm as a balance between his fun-seeking and serious, sensitive nature. As a pre-schooler he scribbled in his older sister's reading book, so the teacher at the time wrote 'Storm Damage' next to it to explain what had happened. Once at school Storm enjoyed our sports and P.E. but also made the most of our dress up days. It was lovely catching up with him at Slalom Lodge a couple of months ago and seeing the boy who had become a man; confident,

hard-working and with strong plans for his life. We grieve for him, with his family and friends. Go well Storm.



Storm Lacy from when he was a student at Owhango School

## CLASSROOM KORERO – Senior Room

This week we started a new dance unit in the senior class. The idea of dance can be quite daunting to some students and I want to remove this uncertainty and make it as enjoyable for ALL students as any of the other arts. Throughout this unit we are studying the different energies produced from a volcanic eruption. In the first lesson we looked at the physical push and pull effect with a partner. The photo below illustrates the push motion. The class thoroughly enjoyed our first dance session and we are off to a very positive start.

Whaea Jessie



## DUFFY BOOKS- Caught Being Good



Well done to our excellent workers:  
Back row: Breanna Goodwin & Nikki O'Donnell for persistence in maths, Tia Lewis for progress in reading, Millie Frampton for effort in reading.  
Front row: Charlotte Owen for progress with her sight words, Zurich Hosking for his maths progress.

## WEARABLE ARTS ENTRY FORMS

Entry forms are available for the Wearable Arts Competition; these will be handed out to the children who are competing. Tickets are on sale from the Taumarunui High School office. See the poster at the end of this panui.

## LIFE EDUCATION VISIT

The children are participating in the rich learning environment that is the Life Education mobile classroom. The junior room are learning about what is in the food we eat and where does it come from. The senior room are learning about how we can deal with stress, pressure and grief, coping strategies for change. The school pays for these lessons as we see it as an excellent programme that supports what we teach in the classroom.



The juniors inside the mobile classroom

## SKIING IS CANCELLED TOMORROW

Skiing went really well last week; thank you to everyone for your support. However as the forecast was for poor weather tomorrow we have cancelled skiing tomorrow- the forecast was "Showers, turning to rain for a time. Snow lowering to 900 metres. Gale westerlies". Note we have to make this decision on Tuesday or we pay a late notice penalty. Our next ski day will be next Friday the 9<sup>th</sup> August.



Renee Kieselbach, Toby Collier, Jessie Weir and Tia Lord follow Oscar the instructor



Matisse Hosking shows she hasn't forgotten how to ski



Mrs Smith balances perfectly on her board



Mia the skier controls her speed down The Rock Garden



A line of learners follow their instructor down The Rock Garden



Jack Owen, Darian Menefy, Europe Lewis and Mr Starkey ride up in the Sky Waka gondola

#### **PTA HOT LUNCHESES- a reminder**

These will be available each Tuesday for this term. Please bring your orders with the correct amount of money if you can. Prices are the same as last year:

**Pie \$3**

**Hot dog \$4**

**Sausage roll \$3**

**Milo \$1 (bring your own named cup)**

Many thanks for your support with this.

#### **MAINTANENCE PERSON REQUIRED- a reminder**

We are still looking for someone who can do the occasional building maintenance. This is a paid position. Contact the office if you are interested or know of someone who we could approach.

#### **Thanks to our sponsors for this year:**

**Sand for our sand pit:** Jilesen Contractors & King Country Quarries

**Fence battens for the playground:** Farmlands

**Our garden sponsor:** D.V. Bryant Trust

**Pool Chlorine & Netball Fees & Truck use:** Veolia

**Our Duffy Books in Schools sponsors:**

Midwest Helicopters, DG Brown Contracting, Doyle Valuations, B & C O'Donnell, Owhango Motors.

#### **PAYING BY INTERNET BANKING DETAILS:**

Stationery/sports/trip fees: 03 0426 0141783 00

Uniform purchases: 03 426 0141783 03

PTA: 030 426 0156205 00

*Wearable Arts*  
2019 22 AUGUST  
7 pm

\$5 DOOR SALES  
\$15 VIP TICKETS



ENTRY FORMS &

VIP TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM TAUMARUNUI HIGH SCHOOL MAIN OFFICE