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THOUGHT OF THE WEEK / WHAKATAUKI

“Ina kei te mohio koe ko wai koe, I anga mai koe I hea, kei te mohio koe, kei te anga atu ki hea”

If you know who you are and where you are from, then you will know where you are going.

TERM FOUR DATES TO NOTE

31 October	Y7 & 8 Technology BoT Meeting 7pm
1 November	Mountain Schools' Athletics Day
6-8 November	Arts Intensive with Viv Aitken
11 November	School Photos
15 November	Inter-school Athletics
21 November	Mobile Library Visit
22 November	Owhango School Disco
28-29 November	Taumarunui High School Orientation
29 November	Inter-school Touch Tournament
3 December	Owhango's Got Talent
6 December	Senior Tongariro Crossing Trip
12 December	Technology
13 December	O'Donnell's Farm Trip
18 December	Year 8's Leavers Lunch
19 December	School Break Up 6pm
20 December	Last Day of Term

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

It was with great sadness that I learnt of the death of Jim Komene, the school's kaumatua.

Jim has been working with our kura for about 18 years. He would come in and support us in many ways; he would meet and offer support to any new Maori families that enrol, help us with powhiri and other protocol both at school and on marae trips, encourage our use of te reo and the teaching of tikanga. He would also meet me and sit down and discuss at length how the school is going. He would do all of this on a voluntary basis; it was an unpaid position; he would be the last one to expect or accept money for his help; he did it for the good of our tamariki. His quiet,

thoughtful and reliable help is going to be sadly missed.



Matua Jim Komene's last task with our whole school was helping us with our Marae trip earlier this year.

CLASSROOM KORERO- Junior Room

This week has been another busy one in the Junior Room with Pet Day on Friday, Labour Monday, Halloween Dress Up Day and Athletics coming up this week we've been working hard to fit in all our classwork. The students have been learning all about the characteristics of Living Things and the discussions around what makes something a Living Thing has been fantastic. They have been able to justify their ideas with some really good logic. On the limited fine days, we have had, we have been practising for Athletics Day. We have been talking about the Key Competency of Managing Ourselves this week to help us stay on task and take some responsibility for our own learning and belongings. The Owhango Secret Agents have been using their Agent Eyes to spy maths problems around the school. Maybe you can help us spy some at home too?



How many number stories can you make about this picture?

ATHLETICS DAY – Tomorrow

Food For Sale

The PTA will be having a fundraiser at athletics day by selling food:

Wraps- \$4

Bacon and Egg Pie- \$4

Ice Blocks- \$1

Baking- \$1-\$2

Tea and Coffee- \$1

Postponement

I will email all families on Friday morning if the athletics day is being postponed to Monday 4th November

Thank you

Thank you to the people who have offered to help on the day of the athletics. We love our volunteers who make big events like our athletics day, to happen.

There will be jobs on the day that need assistance so don't be surprised if you are asked to help for an hour or two on the day.



Lewis Wheeler and Toby Collier's raft worked so well they only got their toes wet

PET DAY

This day was again, really successful with excellent entries in the classroom exhibits and a good number of well cared for pets. It was also great to see so many of our community turn up and support this day. A special thanks to our judges- Clive Gifford, Constable Peter Marks, Carol O'Donnell, Carol Carmichael, Tui Hutchinson, Maree Ashcroft and Hamish Sinclair. Also thanks to the PTA for organising the sales table- they are still calculating how much each child has earned but this should be out any day now. Another thanks to the prizes donated by Giltrap Engineering, Farmlands and FMG Insurance. Pet Day is one of the highlights of the children's year.

HALLOWEEN DRESS UP DAY- photos



The Seniors



The Juniors

THE TONGARIRO CROSSING TRIP

Please get your permission slip back to school tomorrow so planning for this trip can proceed. (See last week's panui for details.)



A clay bear and fish by Matisse Hosking



The PTA sales table was very busy



Nairin Higgle and his horse Encore



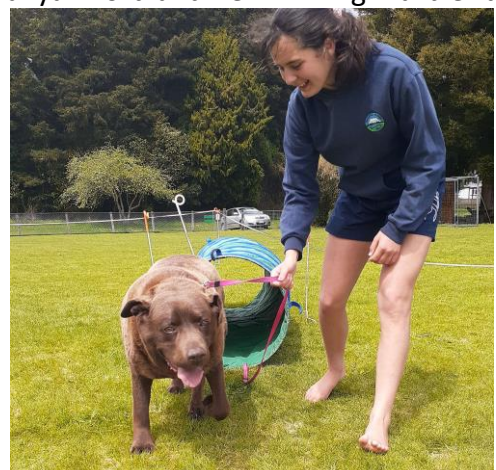
Soren Hosking and his goat Cheeky



Aaliyah Lord and her winning marble run



Jessica Ashcroft and her lamb Bob



Tia Lord and Milo make it through the tunnel

SEASON PASS RETURNS- a reminder

Can all the children please return their RAL Season Passes to school for safekeeping? This will give the school a \$5 discount on purchasing their passes next year, saving us \$230! Please hand them into the office. Thank you.



Toby Collier drew this stunning peacock pastel drawing

BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING a reminder

The next BoT meeting is on tonight, Thursday 31st October at 7pm in the staffroom. All are welcome to attend.



There were some clever, imaginative, baking creations; this one was by Libby Hoban

GLOBAL FLAVOURS

Kiwi Pie

Ingredients:

- 500g mince
- 1 onion, chopped
- 1 tsp oil
- 1 can baked beans
- 1 can tomatoes
- 2 c frozen mixed veges
- 4 medium potatoes
- 1/4 c low fat milk
- 1/2 c edam cheese, grated
- chopped parsley

Preheat oven to 190°C. Brown onion and mince in pan with oil. Add baked beans, tomatoes and frozen veges, and heat until thawed. Cook potatoes in boiling water until tender, drain well and mash with milk, cheese and chopped parsley. Spoon mixture into individual dishes or a large pie dish and top with mashed potato. Bake for 25mins until golden.

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SCHOOL PHOTOS

Photos will be taken on Monday 11 November. Envelopes sent home today, have an Individual reference code, so it is important that you do use these for your orders.

Class photo \$16

Up-size class \$18

Value Pack \$32

Premium Pack \$37

Ultimate Pack \$45

Sibling Packs Big \$30 Small \$20

Sports photos \$16

Sports photos of Hockey, Netball x2 teams and Basketball will be taken. Your orders for these to the office please.



Cupcake sheep by Tia Lewis

THANKS TO OUR SPONSORS FOR THIS YEAR:

Milk in Schools: Fonterra

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Pet Day Prizes: FMG, Farmlands & Giltrap

PAYING BY INTERNET BANKING DETAILS:

Stationery/sports/trip fees: 03 0426 0141783 00

Uniform purchases: 03 0426 0141783 03

PTA: 030 426 0156205 00

