

# OHAKUNE PRIMARY SCHOOL

# Newsletter



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June 12 2024. #7 Kia ora koutou/Greetings

**Upcoming events** 

Tuesday 11-12 June: 3 Way Conferences Monday 17 June: Board meeting 5.30pm

Tuesday 18 June: Dance off

Friday 21 June: Winter Tournament

Tuesday 25-26 June: Whole school Punanga

Thursday 27 June: Winter Tournament postponement day

Friday 28 June: Matariki Day. School Closed Monday 1 July: Celebration Assembly

Tuesday 2nd July: Dance Off

Wednesday 3rd July: Ambassador Fundraiser: Hot Chocolate

Friday 5 July: End of Term Two

Monday 22 July: Term Three begins. Powhiri 9.10am

#### Principal's Message

#### Pictured right :Gold Medal Winner Alexander Young

Alexander Young won gold in Tauranga at the Taekwondo competition last week.

What an exciting few weeks we have had, with the third week of Electives, King's Birthday, loads of learning and opportunities to celebrate learning, in our classrooms and through assemblies. This week we are really pleased to be welcoming many new learners and their whanau into classes across the school. It's an exciting time to be joining our school community as we prepare for the learning opportunities of the winter season ahead.



#### **Attendance**

Just a quick reminder that if your child or children are going to be absent from school we can be notified via the school phone (06 385 8384) through Skool Loop or by email either to the classroom teacher or via the front office (<a href="mailto:dreynolds@ohakune.school.nz">dreynolds@ohakune.school.nz</a>/ <a href="mailto:mfredericksen@ohakune.school.nz">mfredericksen@ohakune.school.nz</a>

Ohakune Primary School has an attendance goal of 85% for all learners!

If your child is sick for more than 3 days, we do need a medical certificate. Thank you for supporting your child's learning:)

#### **Snow Sports**

Your child will have bought home notices relating to our snowsports programme in the last few weeks. Please complete these as soon as possible to enable us to organise our programmes efficiently and effectively! If you haven't received this information please ask your child's classroom teacher or pop onto Skool Loop where there is information available.

#### **3WC**

This week we have been sharing the successes of learners through our 3 Way Conferences. If you haven't had a chance to make a time this week, please do get in touch with the classroom teacher of your child and set up an alternate time. We know how important these opportunities to build strong learning

relationships are and we encourage all whanau along to discuss progress and goals for your child for the rest of this year.

#### **Winter Tournament**

Winter Tournament is coming up next week. If there are any outstanding notices at home please send them in so we can ensure everyone who wants to be involved is involved! We are really looking forward to this annual event!

#### **Learning Programmes**

Our learning programmes are very much focused on our core curriculum. We also take advantage of the authentic learning opportunities offered to our tamariki with such nation-wide events as the upcoming Puangā and Matariki celebrations. We work hard to provide a complete and well rounded set of learning experiences.

We are excited to be sharing details next week of what our learners will be doing in week 9 to explore Puangā and Matariki.

#### **Transition to Secondary School**

Next week our Year 8's will have an Orientation visit to Ruapehu College. We will travel up together and spend time getting to know the environment and the staff. This is one of several visits our Year 8s will make with the purpose of familiarising and exciting learners for the next step on their learning journey. Whanau are welcome to attend with us. Details relating to times will be shared via fb and Skool Loop.

#### Kapa Haka

We are still looking for a replacement tutor for Kapa Haka for our talented and enthusiastic tamariki. We will let everyone know when we have someone in place for this:)

Have an energising and excellent week! Ngā mihi nui.

#### **Morning Tea with the Principal Week 7**

Room 5: Hunter Gilberd
Room 6: Reeann Baker
Room 7: Lovey Kamboj
Room 8: Hendrix Jones
Room 10: Everly Kristiansen
Room 11: Alex Young
Room 12: Caitlin Drinkwater

Room 14: Darryl Muru=Albert S Block: Thamdii Gerbault-Rogers, Phoenix

Warnock





## William Pike Participants Support St Johns at Carnival

Pictured above: Jayden Varley, Madison Lee, Jack Whitehead, Fontane Kayes & Levi Demchy cook Carrot Muffins in support of St Johns. **Caught Being Good Duffy Award** 

### FREE JIGSAW Incredible Years Nga Tau Miharo Parenting Programme

DATE and TIME:Starts Thursday 8 August 11am-1.30pm WHERE:The Hub Queree Drive, Waiouru Morning Tea provided.

5 Week programme for parents of children aged 3-7 years Learn skills to:

Build positive relations with your children

Be an appreciative parent

Help your children get on with others

Use encouragement and have fun

Understand and manage anger and frustration

Be consistent with boundaries and routines

For further information call Ashtyn on 022-883-0275 or 06 345 1636

# **Head Lice**

Head lice has reared itself again so if your child has head lice please come to the office and pick up a free kit to treat your child.



# Value of the Week Determination

This value is based around persevering in new learning, new relationships and taking on new experiences. We support our learners by giving them the opportunity to develop the skills through targeted experiences and classroom learning and they are amazing!

Wishing you a wonderful week ahead! Ngā mihi Rose and the OPS team