

Upcoming Events

Monday August 31

- BOT meeting

Sunday September 13—15th

- Room 5 Ski camp

Friday September 25

- Last day of term

Monday October 12

- First day of term 4

November Thursday 12

- Ag Day

November Saturday 21

- Manakau Country Fair

LEVEL 2 REMINDERS....

Finding ourselves back in Level 2 is a reminder for us all to continue to be vigilant with our personal hygiene and contact tracing.

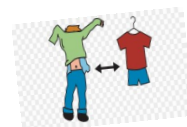
- Sign in or scan code if you enter the school grounds (everytime)
- Reminder from our last Alert level 2...
- Kereru (Rooms 3 and 4) enter from the deck
- 1 family/person in reception at a time
- Children need to be collected from school at 3pm
- Please do not continue to play
- Limit the parent visits into the classroom - Please wait outside
- Keep connected with your classroom teacher. Make contact if you need additional support.

We have been here before! We've got effective practises in place.

Covid-19 symptoms are a cough, sore throat, sneezing, a runny nose, shortness of breath, loss of smell or taste, or a fever over 38 degrees.

If you are concerned call your GP team or Health line on 0800 358 5453.

Please could parents keep a **spare set of clothes** in your children's bags, as they are often required this time of year. Thank you.



Ag Day

This will be held on November, Thursday 12th. *Birth dates for Calves* are 1st July to 31st August inclusive.

Birth dates for lambs and kids are 15th July onwards. Group final will be held on November 20th.

This year we would like to encourage children to commit to planting and keeping flower and or vegetable gardens.



Thank you to everyone who has downloaded the SkoolLoop App and is using it for absences.

It is very easy to use.

Our newsletter also gets put on this app, plus other notices as needed. (Such as Covid updates).

Beanies

This morning we were given about 100 knitted beanies for our children to have use of from the Catholic Women's' Guild, Waikanae. What an amazing gift. Thank you very much.

These are all different colours and sizes.

If you would like to donate any unused balls of wool, please pass them in to the office and we will give them to these ladies, who knit for all different places they see a need for...



COMMUNITY NOTICEBOARD

GALA DONATIONS

These items are used for prizes and treats for many of the stalls on Fair Day.

Place in boxes provided in classrooms

TERM 3 - NEXT WEEK

Fizzy drink for ice cream spiders

*Up and coming items:
wrapped lollies, mystery jars*

Manakau School Hoodies can be ordered through the office. They have the school logo on the front, with the school name on the back. Optional to have individual's name on the lower back. \$40 for hoodie, an extra \$7 for and individual name.

ROOM 5 CAMP FUNDRAISER

Raffle ticket winners are:

- ◆ 1st place Keira Read/Hughes
- ◆ 2nd place Sharon Gibson
- ◆ 3rd place Emma Faith

Thank you to everyone who sold tickets and to those who bought tickets. Your support is appreciated.

School Gala/Fair. November Saturday 21.

We are collecting items now for our annual fundraiser Gala.

- ☞ **White Elephant Stall** - Good quality 2nd hand items and books
- ☞ **2nd Hand Clothing** - Clean 2nd hand items gratefully accepted
- ☞ **Mystery Jars** - A jar filled with treasure. These are sold for \$5 a jar. Please make these great value.

We are happy to pick up anything you have to donate, or they can be dropped into the school office.

Spinifex planting. Saturday August 22, 9.30am. Please join us at the north end of Reay Mackay Grove, Waikawa Beach, and lend a hand. Bring a spade (if you can) and some family and friends.

OTAKI PONY CLUB enrolment day. 15th August 2pm at Otaki Race course Te Roto Rd, Otaki. "Join us this season for new and exciting lessons, workshops and more! Learn lots and have fun with like minded riders of all ages and abilities." Inquiries on Saturday or to otakiponyclub@gmail.com

Pop Up Musical Theatre presents:

Into the Woods Jr. September 10-12.

Te Horo School Hall. Tickets: \$15/\$10

Tickets are now on sale for this exciting show. Be careful what you wish for, as Stephen Sondheim's and James Lapine's mixed up fairytale comes to life this September in this adaptation of the Tony Award-winning musical. *Into the Woods Jr. features all of your favorite characters — Cinderella, Little Red Riding Hood, Jack (and his beanstalk) and the Witch — in this lyrically rich retelling of classic Brothers Grimm fables. Throw in a couple of Princes, a Wolf, Rapunzel and a baker and his wife - and the stage is set for adventure, journeys and wishes that may or may not come true!*

Online ticket bookings are now open. Go to www.popupmusicaltheatre.co.nz

Big Bang Adventure Race. Navigate on foot, on water, on mountain bike. Come celebrate our 10th birthday with us! Saturday November 7, 2020. Enter now. www.bigbangadventure.co.nz.

*Attitudes are
contagious... Is
yours worth
catching?*