

Upcoming Events

- June 20 Rippa Rugby Sessions*
June 21 Assembly - Mrs Shukers Class
June 24 Huia Class trip
June 25 Football at Haruati Park
BOT meeting 6.15 in staffroom
June 27 Matariki Planetarium visit for Mr P & Mrs Shukers Classes
June 28 Matariki holiday - no school
- July 3 Awhi Rito - Class trip*
July 5 Assembly - Mr P's Class
Last day of term 2

Thank you to everyone for your understanding and support last week with Covid affecting several staff and the affects of this on the school.

Absences recording

Please send absence messages to the office, *not the principal*. You can do this several ways.



- ✧ SkoolLoop app, these go straight to the office.
- ✧ Text in to the school office cellphone. 027 6270 386.
- ✧ Email the office. office@manakau.school.nz
- ✧ You can ring the school office on the landline at any time on 3626 791. Please **do** leave a message if the phone is not answered straight away. We are never far from the phone.
- ✧ Please give a reason why you are reporting an absence. ie sick, on holiday, medical appointment etc.

Board of Trustees Casual Vacancy

Last week we sent out a notice informing of a casual vacancy for a parent representative for the BOT. The board has decided to fill the vacancy by selection.

If 10% or more of eligible voters on the school roll ask the board, within 28 days of the notice being published, to hold a by-election to fill the vacancy, then a by-election will be held. Request for a by-election should be sent to: Mel Baxter, Presiding Chair c/- Manakau School by 8th July 2024.



Notice of Asbestos Removal Work

We are informing our community that there is going to be removal of some asbestos at school during the July holidays. Commencing on 8 July 2024 and is expected to finish on 9 July 2024.

Manakau School management and board of trustees have been consulted about the nature and timing of this work, together with the safety measures to be used.

- We are recommending that you do not visit the school over these 2 days.
- Signs and temporary fencing/barriers will be installed.
- PVA solution or water will be applied to asbestos containing materials to prevent airborne asbestos fibres dust as required.
- Air monitoring at the work site boundary will be in place for the duration of the work.
- Asbestos containing material will be wrapped on site and disposed of at an approved site.
- An independent party will carry out an inspection of the site on completion of the work, and issue a clearance certificate.



**SACKS OF PINECONES FOR
SALE. NOW \$5**

Purchase and picked up from Manakau School.

College Open evenings for Year 8 students and parents are as follows.

Horowhenua College

Date: Wednesday June 26th
Time: 6.00pm

Waiopahu College

Date: Thursday July 25th
Time: 5.30-8pm

Otaki College

Date: Thursday August 1st.
Time: 6.00 - 7.30pm



■ **Subjects this year... Activate** (Bible in schools).

- Listen to advice.
- Honesty.
- Overcomer. (What do we do when we have problems in life?)
- Be a finisher. (Sometimes things get hard. Never be afraid to ask for help)
- Problem Solving (What does the coach for Canterbury do? ;)
- Compassion
- Courage (Not to give in to peer pressure if you know it is wrong)
- Wisdom (Never stop learning. Including learning from your mistakes)
- Be teachable.

Each of these topics run over two weeks. These sessions are for students in Yrs 4-8 and are held in Huia OG at the beginning of Friday lunch times. If you are interested in your child attending, please contact the school office.

Friday lunch orders

Huia

Pupils name

Mickey Mouse

Sausage in bread \$2.50

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Baking \$1.00

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Ice block \$1.00

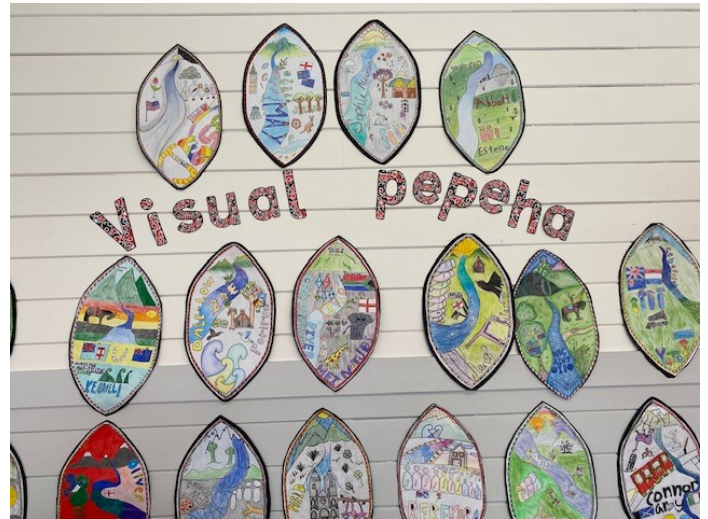
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TOTAL

\$.....4.50.....

We have a few outstanding payments for lunches from 1st March...

We have written in red at the bottom of your current lunch order page if this is you. If you have paid, and we have missed this, please could you let office Deb know.



**FRIDAY JUNE 28 IS MATARIKI PUBLIC HOLIDAY.
NO SCHOOL THIS DAY.
STAY SAFE AND ENJOY YOUR LONG WEEKEND.**

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Otaki Repair Café.

Repairing clothes/appliances/ornaments/bikes and more. Plus workshops and kai.
 Sunday 9th June @ 10am-2pm
 Otaki Memorial hall

Parenting Programme. The Incredible Years.
 Do you have children between the ages of 3-8 years old? Why a parenting programme?

- Parenting is the most important job adults do.
 - Learn new skills to manage challenging behaviour.
 - Encouragement and support.
- Speak with Sam on 022 691 2297

Waikanae Gymnastics Club. School holiday program. Monday 8th July. Or Monday 15th July. 10am-1pm at Waikanae memorial hall. 4-10 yr olds. \$30 per child 3rd child free for families enrolling 3 children.
 Please bring a drink bottle and a snack.
 Contact Alex at waikanaegym@gmail.com to register.

Herd by Horses Holiday program - 5-10 year olds

Thursday 11th July 9-3pm Cost \$140 per child.

Our specially crafted program is designed to nurture your child's ability to build healthy relationships and develop crucial personal skills such as boundary setting, trust, self-confidence, and emotional regulation. Through engaging, fun and educational activities with horses, you child will not only learn but also experience personal growth in a supportive environment.

How to Register:

Secure your child's place by emailing Kelly Henry, Equine Specialist, at herdbyhorsesnz@gmail.com to receive a registration form and payment details.

What to bring:

Snacks and a drink bottle for morning tea.
 Suitable warm clothing, including a hat or beanie, a waterproof jacket, and waterproof, closed-in shoes.

THE GREENERY

DUTCHYS

WINTER Solstice

Join us to celebrate the Winter Solstice!
 There will be food trucks, cider tasting, mulled cider, live music, free entertainment for the kids and a bar for the adults.
 The Collective will be open and there is 20% off everything in the garden centre.

THAI STREET EATS

SUNDAY 23 JUNE
 12 PM - 5 PM
 @ THE GREENERY
 1198 SH1, MANAKAU

NOT! sweet as ...
 Elementar Cider.co.nz

"Parenting Our Teenagers"



A new 5 week FREE programme specially written to help you raise the modern day teenager

- Are you finding yourself arguing with your teenager most days?
Do you often wonder why they have changed from the loving "little" one you once knew?
 - Are you wanting to bring back more days of laughter into your home?
Is it a battle to get them to go to school?
 - Do you wish they would leave their social media alone so you can spend time with them?
- If your answers were "YES" to one or more of these questions, then maybe this programme is for you!**

Find out more and apply to attend

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 Levin
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