

Newsletter

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A special thanks

... to those parents who have helped in classrooms, library etc. this term, your efforts have not gone unnoticed
... to those who have helped out with supervision at and/or transport to offsite events this term
... for your assistance as we moved in and out of covid levels this term
... to our sponsors

People of the week

... Corey Hamilton who came Player of the Year for Onerahi Cricket Club, B-Grade

Virtues Focus for 2021

Feel free to work with children on the CONSCIENTIOUSNESS virtue over the holidays. We can be conscientious in leisure as well as in work. Ideas ...

... keeping my room tidy
... helping with preparation before and cleanup after meals
... keeping a bit of garden weed free
... sticking to routines ... bedtimes
... using kind words often etc etc



Let us know of any special successes so that we can celebrate these with you next term.

Term calendar ... More to follow as dates come to hand!



12 April	Boostrix HPV Year 8
15 April	School Anzac Commemoration at school
16 April	Final day of term
3 may	First day of term 2

Arrival Times

A reminder please that children must not be dropped at school before 8:00AM as we cannot guarantee their supervision before this time.

Pokemon Cards... best left at home please.



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School ANZAC Ceremony – Thursday 15th April

The staff & children at Matarau School would like to cordially invite you to join us for our Anzac Ceremony. Starting at 1.40pm on Thursday the 15th April.

As in previous years we will be selling poppies for a gold coin donation,
from the school office.



ANZAC Dawn Service

There will be a group from the school marching to the Dawn Service, meeting at Alexander Street at 5.30am on the 25th April, wear school shirts if possible please if you can make it. Everybody is welcome to join in.

Player of the day - Basketball

Matarau Crushers	-	Stirling (from Kauri)
Matarau Magics	-	Ashton R
Matarau Mavericks	-	Olie B & Piper D



International Schools Competitions

Over time interest in these programmes is diminishing. We know that children (and parents) lead busy lives, and it is not always easy to squeeze in the recommended practice papers. Further, these competitions are now moderated within the school, and are not sent offshore for marking and ranking, this means that our moderation process is not as accurate as it once was as we not have access to aggregated data. Having said this, and within the limitations specified above, we are willing to run this competition again for those who are keen, and who are willing to supervise two practice papers at home each week over an approximately six-week period. So, if are keen for your child to be involved please email Miranda in our school office next week at admin2@matarau.school.nz

Cyber – safety

If you need assistance with keeping your children safe online, Mr Delemare is highly available to work with you, just leave a message at school and he will get back to you.



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Gearing up for Winter Sports

When children wear our school colours on a Saturday morning, they bear a special responsibility to represent our school well. This means more than putting in your best performance on the field/court, it also means demonstrating sportsmanship, supporting other team members, playing fairly, encouraging others, respecting coaches and referees etc. Every child wearing our colours, and every parent who accompanies them, is expected to represent us this way, it is a condition to being in one of our teams.



The ultimate goal of all that we do (including playing sport) should be to grow character, in ourselves and in others. Please do not question referees, support coaches and managers unequivocally (and if you have a question see them early, privately, and with an open mind), respect the opposition (including their support team), and be careful with your words from the side line. Egos (not only children's egos) can be fragile, and so choose your words carefully. Please let us know of special Saturday achievements so we can celebrate these in the newsletter. Best wishes for the best season ever.

After School Care

If you think you would use our After School Care programme please contact Tracey on 021 127 1115 to enrol, or for more information.

School Pool key

Please note that the school pool is now closed. Thank you to those who hired keys. Please return keys to school next week.

Lost Property

Please visit our lost property bin (in the corridor between rooms 11 and 12) at some stage next week. Items not collected by the end of term will be donated to charities.

Nga mihi
Kevin Trehwella
PRINCIPAL



Brush teeth with fluoride toothpaste for two minutes, twice a day
Taitaia ōu niho ki te pēniho pūkōwhai mō te 2 miniti e rua ngā wā ia rā

Avoid sharing toothbrushes because this spreads bacteria that can cause tooth decay

Need a dental appointment for your child?
CALL 0800 MY TEETH (0800 698 3384)

NORTHLAND DISTRICT HEALTH BOARD

Calling all 10 or 11 yr old girls
who would like to play football
this year (experience not required)

Girls
Football Team

Quick! Registrations are now open!
contact Jo-Ann on. **021 157 4677**

Trainings are 5pm Thursdays

C'mon girls! Lets show em!





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Conscientiousness

What is conscientiousness?

Conscientiousness is being responsible, hard-working and organised. It is about "getting the job done" and doing the job "to the best of your ability".

Why be conscientious?

Being conscientious means ...

... you can trust yourself to finish what you have started.

... people can rely on you

... and you get the satisfaction of knowing you have done a great job.

Did you know?

That conscientious is not just something you are born with - you can become conscientious by practising it.

That conscientious is **NOT** about being perfect.

How do you practice it?

By being well planned.

By setting goals.

By breaking big tasks into smaller "bits".

By taking tasks one step at a time.

By persevering.

What would conscientiousness look like if ...

You have been asked to do a task and you do not know where to start?

You have extra work at school at a time when you are already very busy?

The due date for an assignment is the same as the date of a forthcoming sports tournament?

You have a lot of work to do but there is something you would much rather do?

The teacher gives you a free afternoon to choose your own work?

You are tempted to rush something?

Signs of success

You meet deadlines.

You don't leave things to the last minute.

You prioritise - work out what needs to be done first.

You feel good about your work.

You give your best effort.

You don't give up.

You have clear pathways to your goals.

You "go the extra mile".

Affirmation

I am conscientious. I will work hard.

I will give my best to whatever I do.

Our Sponsors support your children, please support them



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Community Notices

EPIC SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM

Mon 19th - Fri 23rd April

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Kids aged 7 - 13 years 1 day: \$45 per day
8:30am - 4:00pm 3+ days: \$40 per day

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Info & Registration

www.northlandfutsalacademy.co.nz

or contact Christian
021 246 7328



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What: Fun Circus Skills, Games and Activities

Why: Learn Tricks, Build Confidence, Have Fun & Make Friends!

When: Weekdays 10am-2pm
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CIRCUS SHOW - 1pm, 30th Apr

Taught By CIRCUS KUMARANI

Where: Kamo War Memorial Hall, Whāngarei

Who: Youth 8-18 years

How: Register at
www.circuskumarani.co.nz

Cost: \$40 per child, per session or \$100 for 3!





SIGN UP Online

Holiday Programme

For children aged 4-9yrs

27th April- 30th April (week 2)

9am- 2pm at the Northland Badminton Hall, Porowini Ave

To sign up go to www.playball.co.nz/northland
(Add what days you would like in the note section)

- Introduction and development of a range of sport skills
- Using sport as a means; we provide children with the opportunity to develop a host of necessary social, educational and personal skills
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Dean 021 105 4484 dean@playball.co.nz Playball Northland



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