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SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Te Karere a te Kura Tuatahi

Newsletter 5

13 April 2022

TERM 1 VALUE:

"Citizenship"

"Porihanga"

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Tena koutou, Guten tag, Goedendag, Namaste, Sat-sri-akal, Bula, Konnichi-wa, Talofa, Malo e lelei, Mabuhay, An nyoung, Greetings to all whanau.

End of Term One

Thank you for all the support that you have given to the school over this very unusual term. We are really pleased to see a vast majority of our students now back at school and attending regularly. A letter regarding attendance for Term 2 onwards has been sent out with this newsletter. A reminder that school starts at 8.45am. Please make **sure your child is on time for school so they don't miss the instructions** for the start of the lesson.

It has been a disrupted term for many of our children either because they have been sick or have had periods of isolation. It would be really beneficial for your child if you could ensure they practice their reading over the holidays. The public library is a great resource and will have some fun events on for the children. Having your child read to you each day will really help with reading mileage and set them up for success with their literacy in Term 2.

Term 1 ends tomorrow 14th April and Term 2 begins on the 2nd of May. We are currently still at Red setting of the Covid Protection Framework. If our area moves to Orange over the holidays there will be some minor changes in the new term. We will keep you updated. I hope you enjoy the Easter break with your families.

Nga mihi

Andrea Nicholson

Canteen Closure

Unfortunately, our school canteen won't be reopening next term.

This will be a sad loss for our school but I would like to thank our Parents of the School group and Susan and Ruve in particular for all the work and effort they have put into running the canteen. It is very sad that the impact of Covid has led us to the stage where the canteen is no longer economically viable.

ERICA Community Cards

ERICA Community Cards are an important part of our positive behaviour system at Katikati Primary School and it is heartening to see children working hard for these awards. Children collect stamps on their cards when they show our school values of Excellence, Respect, Integrity, Citizenship and positive Attitude. To earn a Bronze Award the children have to complete 5 cards, 10 cards for Silver and 15 cards for Gold. Every child who earns a Bronze, Silver or Gold Award receives a wrist band in their house colour and two children who have completed cards that week are drawn out to receive a prize. It has been wonderful this term to see our children working so hard to complete their cards and earn their certificates. Thank you to families who have supported our Mufti Day Fundraisers this term as the money raised goes towards buying rewards for our behaviour system. Congratulations to our first ERICA Bronze Award winner for 2022, Skylah Rae Katipa. Skylah Rae has worked extremely hard showing Erica's values and we are extremely proud of her.

This year Joanne Hurne and Melissa Kelly from Eves Real Estate are donating book vouchers twice a term to children who have stood out for showing Erica values. Children who stood out to their teachers for showing our values will be put into a draw to win a voucher. Our first ever recipient is Onyx Cottrell who is a very helpful, friendly and caring class member in Room 1. She goes out of her way to help newcomers to the class to settle in by being friendly. This is so important in Room 1 where we have children starting regularly when they turn five. Well done Onyx, we are very proud of you.

School Photos—Monday 9th May 2022

School photos will be taken in the second week of Term 2. Each child will have their photograph taken, after which you can have a look at and purchase photographs online if you wish to do so. You will need to fill out a form if you would like to have sibling photographs taken. Spare forms will be available from the school office next term if you would like one.

Katch Katikati Easter Events:

Remember that there are a range of events on offer at the Arts Junction for children this Easter. On Easter Monday (18th April), a movie is being **held at 10:30am. This year's Easter movie is HOP.** Tickets can be purchased from the Arts Junction or online. They are also holding a **'Designer Easter Egg' competition. Entry forms can be collected from the Arts Junction.** One entry per person. The age categories are 0 – 4; 5 – 9 and 10 and over. There will be one winner for each age category. The prize will be a chocolate Easter egg. Entries need to be dropped off at the Arts Junction before 4pm on Thursday 14th April and the winners will be contacted by phone on the 20th April.

Mufti Day:

Tomorrow is Mufti Day so the children can leave their uniforms at home. The money raised will go towards prizes for our Community Cards.

TOD date in Term 2:

Just a reminder that we will be having a Teacher Only Day next term on **Friday the 3rd June. This is the Friday before Queen's Birthday.**

Staff at Katikati Library have produced a holiday booklet for Easter/Autumn these holidays full of fun activities and colouring competitions. **The booklets will be available from all our library branches (Katikati, Waihi Beach, Ōmokoroa & Te Puke) along with a cool Take & Make craft kit.**



HAPPY Easter

Easter Egg-Stravaganza

ACTIVITY BOOK & COLOURING COMPETITION

TUESDAY 19 APRIL - SATURDAY 30 APRIL 2022

- Virtual Easter Egg Hunt
- Colouring Competition
- Word Find
- Te Reo Activities
- Word Puzzles
- Autumn Activities

ACTIVITY BOOKS ARE AVAILABLE WEDNESDAY 6 APRIL FROM YOUR LOCAL WESTERN BAY OF PLENTY DISTRICT LIBRARY

PLEASE RETURN YOUR COLOURING COMPETITION BY SATURDAY 30 APRIL. SUITABLE FOR ALL AGES

WINNERS WILL BE NOTIFIED BY FRIDAY 6 MAY 2022

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TAKE AND MAKE BUNNY BASKET

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Sports Corner

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KATIKATI WRESTLING CLUB

Wrestling is starting back up!! Wednesday 4th May; 5.30pm-6.30pm—Primary school age; 6.30pm-8pm—College age + adults. All welcome, no experience necessary. Come and give it a go for a couple of weeks. Just bring clean feet, drink bottle and comfortable clothes to wrestle in. Any questions please text Bobbette Tanner on 021 2395303.

YEAR 5/6 NETBALL 2022

At this stage we are calling for expressions of interest. Are there any Year 5/6 children interested in playing Saturday netball through the Tauranga Netball Centre. Games are played at Harbourside. We need players, coaches, managers and umpires to be able to enter teams. Please email Christine sports@katikati.school.nz with **child's name, year level and classroom number.**

MOANA UNITED NETBALL

Moana United needs someone for Year 3/4 netball to carry on in Katikati this year. Is your Year 3/4 child interested in playing netball this year and can you help? Or do you know of someone who would be ideal for this role? All week by week lessons provided, we can be flexible with venue, no experience is needed, and plenty of support is available. Any questions please contact Rebecca Merriman 027 444 0651 or email beautifuldollz@xtra.co.nz

KATIKATI FOOTBALL 2022

MINI's – Age 3-7 years old; Sunday Mornings 9.30am, 15th May – early September. Registrations are now open at www.katikatifc.co.nz. Contact Caroline 027 551 5589, katikatifirstkicks@gmail.com

GYMNASTICS TERM 2

Air Track Tumble Class at Katikati Primary School. Beginner and advanced classes for all school years. Fridays 3.30-4.30pm. 6th May – 1st July 2022. Cost: \$125. Book online at www.thegymnasticacademy.com. Call Marie 021 170 5426 for more info

Email sports@katikati.school.nz to let us know any great achievements by your children in sport to include in the newsletter.

Christine Townsend, Sports Co-ordinator



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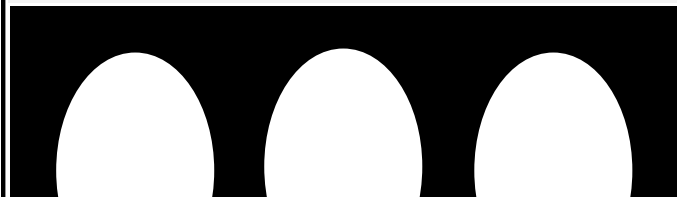
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TERM CALENDAR.

*THIS CALENDAR DOES CHANGE AND OUR
ADVICE IS TO CHECK FOR CHANGES*

- 14 April—MUFTI DAY / Term 1 Ends
- 15 April—Good Friday
- 2 May—Term 2 Starts
- 9 May—Photolife
- 18 May—TOP - Rm 26/27 Uretara Visit
- 20 May—Pink Shirt Day
- 23 May—WBOP Rippa Rugby World Cup
- 24 May—Whole School Cross Country
- 3 June—TEACHER ONLY DAY
- 6 June—Queens Birthday (public holiday)

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- SPORT -
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