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SCHOOL NEWSLETTER Te Karere a te Kura Tuatahi

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TERM 2 VALUE:

"Integrity"

"Pononga"

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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.

<u>End of Term:</u> Term two ends this Friday the 8th July. The new term starts on Monday the 25th July. We hope you find time to enjoy with your children over the holidays.

Mid Year Reports: By now you should have received the mid-year report for your children. For children in Years 0 – 2 this will have come home as a paper copy on Tuesday the 5th July. For children in Years 3 – 6 their reports are now available on Seesaw with paper copies having been sent home to those unable to connect to Seesaw. If you have not received your child's report or have been unable to connect to Seesaw, please let us know.

The reports will let you know your child's reading age and their curriculum level for Maths and Writing. When you look at these levels, please bear in mind that we are only halfway through the year and we have also had a very unsettled start to 2022 due to Covid. Your child's report will show you where they are working currently and at the end of the year will show their new level. This allows us to show progress over the course of the year and enables you to celebrate your child's progress with them. Every child is unique and learns at their own pace. Sometimes they will make accelerated progress and at other times they will plateau – this is guite normal. Please have a look at the Years and Curriculum Levels illustration on the report which shows that children usually take two to three years to work through each curriculum level but can often take longer. If you have any concerns about your child's learning, remember we are always here to help. You are welcome to make an appointment with your child's teacher at any time during the year. Either email your child's teacher (addresses are available on our website) or contact the school office to make an appointment.

<u>Silver Erica Award Winner:</u> Congratulations to the following children, they are the first people across the school to win their Silver Erica Awards this year. This is a huge achievement and will set them on course for earning their All Star Award by the end of the year. From the junior school Josh Sayer and from the senior school Isla McFadgen, Jiya Patel, Vicky Wang, Skylah-Rae Katipa, and Alicia Kurniawan. These children have done a great job showing our school values of Excellence, Respect, Integrity, Citizenship and positive Attitude. Very well done all, an achievement to be proud of.

Seasons for Growth starting in Term 3.

Katikati Primary and Katikati SEASONS Group are pleased to be able to offer SEASONS for GROWTH [SFG] again, which supports children who have experienced change in their lives due to divorce/ separation, death, imprisonment, foster care situations, immigration etc. The program explores issues such as change, loss, managing feelings, coping strategies and support networks.

SFG is an eight session process, held during the school day, which concludes with an additional 9th 'Celebration' session.

Depending on numbers SFG will commence in Week 1 of Term 3 and will be facilitated by a trained Companion- Carly Andrews and 2 trained companions from SEASONS Katikati branch. If you think your son or daughter would benefit from SFG please contact Anne Morriss ASAP on 075490105 for a registration form to be sent home.

Stewart takes out the win for Term 2

Well done to our winning house for the term, Stewart. The children in this house have been working consistently hard to earn house points and as a reward had a movie morning in the hall today with popcorn. We will be introducing more ways for children to earn house points next term. The children will learn all about this at a house assembly at the start of the new term.

<u>Medication at school:</u> Please be aware that our staff do not administer short term medication at school e.g. Pamol or Antibiotics. Parents are very welcome to come and administer the medication themselves or make alternative arrangements.

<u>Uniform:</u> We are seeing an increase in non-uniform items being worn at school. Our uniform consists of a polo shirt, sweatshirt and/ or jacket with the Katikati Primary School logo. These should be worn with either blue or black trousers, skirt or shorts. If your child has lost any pieces of their school uniform, our lost property in housed next to Room 15. We do have a second hand uniform shop open Mondays from 8.15—8.45am or you can contact your child's class teacher, if you need extra assistance with the purchase of uniform items.

We have also seen some children wearing Smart Watches. These are not appropriate at school, please keep them at home. If contact needs to be made with your child during the school day, phone calls can be made to the office on 07 549 0105. Many thanks

<u>Kapa Haka:</u> We are really pleased to say that our Kapa Haka group is back up and running after we had to stop due to the Covid outbreak. We have a great new tutor who will be leading the group every Thursday as well as providing a mana group for some our senior boys.

Katikati Primary School School Board Elections—Parent Election Notice

Nominations are open for the election of 5 parent representatives to the school board.

All eligible voters will receive a nomination form posted to them by 15th July. Use this form to nominate yourself or someone in your community. You will also receive a nomination cover letter calling for nominations. Information on who is not eligible to be a board member is provided with the nomination form.

If you need more nomination forms, contact the school office. Nominations close at noon on Wednesday, 3rd August 2022. You may provide a signed candidate statement and photograph with your nomination.

The electoral roll is held at the school and can be viewed during normal school hours.

As nominations are received, there will be a list of candidates' names kept at the school up until election day, which you can view. Voting closes at 4pm on Wednesday, 7th September 2022. Signed Jean Berguist, Returning Officer

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OPEN DAY

Wednesday 3 August 2022
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WAIMATA NETBALL TOURNAMENT

A fabulous day of netball was played by our Year 5/6 netball team the Katikati Tornadoes on Friday the 1st of July. The team was entered in the Waimata Netball Tournament playing at the Waihi Netballs courts. Four round robin games were played as well as a last semi-final game to secure the team a well-deserved fourth place. A big thank you to the girls who played their very best and modelled super sportsmanship and a huge thank you to the parents who volunteered on the day, the day wouldn't have been such a success without their support.

Katikati Tornadoes

Wins 2, Losses 2, Goals for 8, Goals against 10, Goals Difference -2, Points 4

BOP Primary & Intermediate Inter-school—SQUASH TOURNAMENT

Friday 29th July 2022

Venue: Geyser City. Rotorua Squash Club

Cost: \$15 per player

Email sports@katikati.school.nz no later than Tuesday 12th July if you play squash and would like to enter this tournament.

TAURANGA HOCKEY CENTRE – JULY HOLIDAY PROGRAMS

Check out some awesome July Holiday Hockey Programs here

https://www.tgahockey.co.nz/community-engagement-1/Holiday-Programmes

MULTI SPORT FUN DAY HOLIDAY PROGRAM—HOCKEY/CRICKET/GOLF

Friday 22nd July. For more info and registrations go to

https://www.tgahockey.co.nz/community-engagement-1/multisport-fun-day

GIRL CODE Rugby Holiday Programmes are back for the Term 2 Holidays!

Venue: Blake Park, Mt Maunganui

Date: 18th July 2022 Time: 9-12:30pm Ages: 5-13 Cost: \$5

For further information please email reception@boprugby.co.nz or to register go to https://www.sporty.co.nz/boprugby/COMMUNITY-RUGBY/Junior-Rugby/Holiday-Programme

Email us to let us know any great achievements by your children in sport to include in the newsletter.

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Fundraising for our school!



'Katikati Primary School POTS Group' - Fundraising & events. 'POTS Peeps' - Helpers page. Check us out today!

TERM CALENDAR.

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

- 7 July—MUFTI DAY
- 8 July—End of Term 2
- 25 July—Term 3 starts
- 3 August—Nominations close at 12pm for BOT elections
- 3 August—College Open Day from 9am for Y6s
- 18 August to 25 August— Scholastic Book Fair
- 14 September—Photolife

Oxford Pie Fundraiser

Look out for the POTS flier which will come home this week. Thank you for supporting our sausage and donut day. It raised much appreciated funds for the children.

