

18 o Whiringa ā nuku 2022

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Tēnā koutou e te whānau,
nau mai, hoki mai ki te Wāhanga Tuawha

Term 4 begins

Wow, it was cool to see all the happy smiling faces of our tamariki and kaiako on day 1, the start of this term. On Monday at our mihi whakatau, 2 new entrants and their whānau and Kōka Kayla our new school counsellor were welcomed to our kura. In addition, Kōkā Kate has returned to kura after taking time off for maternity leave. Kōkā Kate will be teaching in Whare Tipu this term. For our new whānau, please connect with your child's kaiako and join your child's class Facebook page. Lots of updates about what is happening at kura are on these pages.

Tū Rangatira 2023

We have had a large response for this class in 2023, thank you whānau. This Friday is the cut off date for registrations. In 2023 we will not reconsider students who change their minds and want to return. Make your decision now, where will you be in 2023? In addition, an open day will be held on Tuesday the 29th of November for Yr 6 students that will be enrolling at other Intermediate schools. For Yr 8 students enrolments for your chosen Secondary school should now be done.

Camps coming up

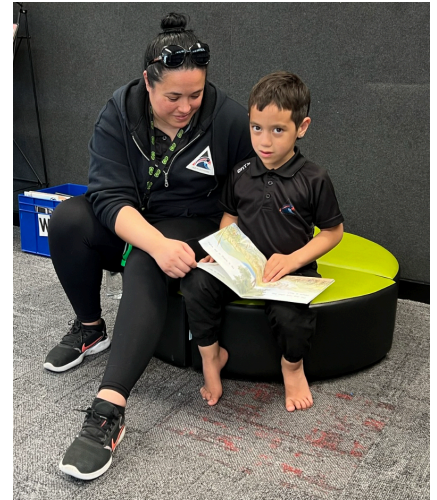
Year 6 and Year 7 camps are coming up in November and those students who have successfully attended school for 90% or more will be receiving a panui soon to confirm their place on camp.

Year 8 Leavers Dinner

Plans are underway for this. A reminder to all Yr 8 students that attendance at kura needs to be very high in order to attend this special event at the end of the year. Kia kaha.

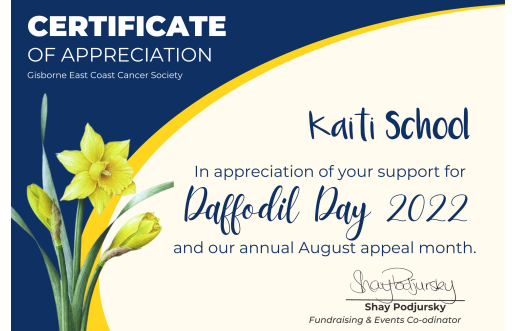
Banking

Our banking numbers picked up in Term 3 so we would like to keep the momentum going in Term 4. Well done to the junior classrooms that consistently bank every week, lets see if the senior classrooms can rise to the challenge and increase their numbers this week. #bankingmattersletsgotamarikima#



Date to put in your diary

Porou Ariki Wananga. There will be a Teachers Only Day on Friday the 11th of November. Kaiti School along with Waikirikiri, Puna Reo and Kaiti Kindergarten will be hosting this. School will be closed on this day.



Sports Updates

Kia o Rahi

Today we had a Yr 5 & Yr 6 team competing in a Kia o Rahi Tournament at Nelson Park. Thank you to Matua Paora and Kōkā Trudy for looking after these teams today. Results will be posted on our school facebook page.

Touch

Touch resumes this term so keep an eye out for trainings and the draw. Just a reminder that some games are played on Friday afternoon and some games on Saturday morning. The draw will be posted on our school facebook page each week.

Athletics

Athletics training starts this week at school and classrooms will be outside practising and preparing for Athletics day. Details about Athletics Day will be sent out soon.

Mini Ball/Softball/T.Ball

A pānui went home yesterday for those tamariki that are interested in playing Mini Ball [basketball] and Softball /T.Ball this term. If your tamaiti did not bring one home then get them to come to the office to pick up a panui. These forms need to be returned to the office with the fee of \$10 by this Friday. Please note if you have coaching skills in any one of these sports or are keen to take a team, please inform us on the pānui. We need coaches for our teams otherwise our tamariki will miss out on the opportunity to play. These sports will start on Saturday the 29th of October running through to Saturday the 5th of December (6 weeks) at Waikirikiri Park. Here are the grades for softball/T.ball :

Year 1-2	Pipi Sox 10-11am	Primary Tee-Ball	Tee-Ball Rules	Girls and Boys Mixed
Year 3-4	Young Sox 9-10am or 10-11am	Primary Tee-Ball	Tee-Ball Rules	Girls and Boys Mixed
Year 5-6	Rookie Sox 9-10am	Primary Softball	Full softball rules	Girls and Boys Mixed
Year 7-8	Emerging Sox 11-12noon	Intermediate Softball	Full softball rules	Mixed or Single Gender

Gisborne District Council Survey for schools in Te Tairāwhiti

Gisborne District Council is involved in a project to develop the Tairāwhiti Walking and Cycling Mode Shift Strategy. Kaiti School was asked to participate in a survey around how students are currently travelling to school. Our student leaders were tasked with this job and went around the school and surveyed each class. The data was then collated and the information sent to GDC. Here are the results for our kura.

Mode of Transport

Walking - 79

Car - 250

Bike - 4

Scooter - 36

Skates - 2

School van pickup - 8 (The school van picks up and drops off tamariki daily).

From the data it was noted that the number of tamariki who bike to kura every day can vary quite a bit depending on the weather. The day the survey was done the number of tamariki that biked to kura was down. The other thing worth noting is the number of tamariki that travel to school by car in the morning, tend to walk home in the afternoon, therefore skewing the data. And though the data may not be 100% accurate, it is good information to know.



Kaupapa nui o tēnei wahanga

The kaupapa nui for term 4 is Te Ao Whānui - the wider world. The earth - our world is a big place. We know lots about our local area but what do we know about other places in the world? Our tamariki will be learning about other people, places, their belief systems and how they live. It is important for our Kaiti kids to know this as it builds diversity and empathy for others. There are some key areas that will be covered this term. : Geography, People, Culture and History. In class your tamaiti or tamariki might focus on learning about one continent of the world or choose to focus on one country for the term. Tamariki will also have the opportunity to do a home project, learning about a country, their people, their language, traditions and customs. This will give whānau the opportunity to work with their tamaiti/tamariki at home and learn about another country in the world. Ask your tamaiti/tamariki what country they will be learning about this term?

WHĀNAU CELEBRATING LEARNING @ KAITI SCHOOL

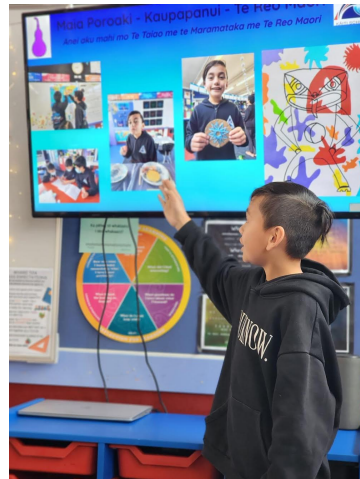
Kaytalena Paul in Whare Tipu with mum and papa.



AKO HUI 2022



Above we have Ikon Campbell in Whare Aroha with Kōkā Sara and her whānau.



Above we have Stewart Smith in Whare Toa. Nga mihi mo tenei whakaahua Kōkā Joelle.

LOVE LEARNING
LOVE KAITI

In the photo below we have Te Aomarama Te Maipi in Whare Topito with Kōkā Milly and her whānau.



Kia pai o koutou wiki
nā Kōkā Moana

Ka Timata te Wāhanga Tuawha Te Kura o Kaiti



Te Ao Whānui

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the wider world, other people and places, how humans interact, connect and make use of the land and resources