

15 o Poutū-te-rangi 2023

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Kia ora whānau, malo lelei, talofa & bula vinaka.

ATTENDANCE

The attendance rate this week has been around the 92 %. Well done whānau for ensuring that your tamariki are at school and in class making the most of their learning opportunities. Just a reminder that if your tamaiti or tamariki are going to be absent, please ring our school office and inform them. If you do not make an effort to contact school then Kōkā Jess our new Truancy officer will be contacting you. If your tamaiti or tamariki are frequently absent from school without an explanation, then Kōkā Jess will do a home visit and explain the next course of action from the school. Thank you to all those whānau that do the right thing and ring our school office to advise us of any absences. This is very helpful, thank you.

KAUPAPA NUI MŌ TĒNEI WĀHANGA

For the last 2 weeks our senior tamariki have been heading out the school gate on their bikes and our junior tamariki on the school vans visiting places of significance in our Te Taiao. This week more classrooms will be venturing outside the gate to go on haerenga to visit Te Toka a Taiau and other wāhi of importance in our hāpori, as well as visiting the Whare Taonga. Ka mau te wehi tamariki and kaiako mā! Anei he wero mo koutou i tēnei rā e te whānau. Patai atu ki o tama, kōtiro, mokopuna, he aha ngā wāhi i haerehia e rātou i tēnei wiki, he aha te mea motuhake mō ēnei wāhi.

BANKING

Thank you to the 33 bankers who banked last week. We had 40 tamariki bank the previous week so we are down on our bankers, but we will still celebrate those that continue to save for their future. Kia kaha whānau we only have another 3 weeks left this term, to get our banking numbers up where they should be. A big mihi to those classrooms that consistently bank every week. Ka rawe Matua Kohere and your tamariki in Wharekauri Tuakana. This week we would also like to welcome 2 new bankers at school, they are Fairmont Woodhead and Mikaere Grant Woodhead, who are NE's in Wharekauri.

#bankingmatters#everylittlebitcountsforyourfuture#

NO STRIKE 4 Kaiti

The majority of our Kaiako will NOT be striking on Thursday and therefore school will be open as normal.

We support our Kaiako taking strike action on the day and hope that a better offer on pay and work conditions will be forthcoming soon.

Awahi Mai, Awahi Atu

A peer support group for Nannies & Koro who are raising Mokopuna

Nau mai, Haere Mai
Cup of tea and a kōrero
Light refreshments provided

Thursday 16 March 2023, 10.30am to midday
Family Works Tairāwhiti Office,
64 Customhouse Street, Gisborne

RSVP by phone 06 868 1399 or
email: adminFWgisborne@psec.org.nz

Our Kaiti Kids are

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Te Whare o te Pā Harakeke

SPORTS UPDATE

Weekend Sport

Currently, Touch is the only sport being played by our tamariki, on Saturday. We will update you once other team sports start up on the weekend.

School Practices

During the week we will have the following sport practices at school :

Swimming Academy Basketball Academy Rugby Academy
Rippa Rugby.

Other Updates

Soccer trials are on next Tuesday the 21st of March at 2.45pm. If you play basket ball you can also trial for soccer as they are run on different days. Bring your boots, sport shirt and water bottle.

Our Year 7/8 Ki o Rahi teams will be starting soon and we will be sorting out teams for our Year 5/6's. You will be advised when they will be starting. Keep an eye out for this.

WHĀNAU DAY

We have a Whānau Day coming up in Week 10 of this term on Tuesday the 4th of April. Get excited whānau as there will be lots of amazing things happening in classrooms and in the hapori which you will be invited to be part of on the day. More details will be out soon.

RESIDENT ARTIST AT KAITI SCHOOL

We are very fortunate to have another amazing local artist working on an mural in our kura with our tamariki. Nick Tupara will be working alongside tamariki in Tū Rangatira in the hall over the next two weeks on an art project depicting local tīpuna Rawiri Te Eke tu o Te Rangi. Matua Nick has completed a lot of artwork in our Kaiti hapori and we are very lucky to have him share his artistic knowledge and spend time with our Yr 7 & Yr 8 students at kura. We cannot wait to see the completed mural in our school hall.



Maru Whakatipua Census Event

For those whānau who have not yet completed their census, come along to Kaiti School this Sunday from 12.30pm to 3pm for this fun whānau event. While parents nannies/papa's complete their forms, tamariki can play on the bouncy castle, get their face painted, or join the colouring in competition. Afterwards whānau can relax listening to some live music and enjoy a burger, ice cream or candy floss, which will all be free on the day. Nau mai haere mai whānau. See you all on Sunday.



Kia pai o koutou wiki .
nā Kōkā Moana

Tū Kāngatira nominees



Te Kahu



Alexandria



Honey



Raniera

With so many great nominees voted for in each classroom. It is going to be a hard task voting for the Student Leaders for Kaiti School for 2023.

Puhi Kaiti Nominees



Boss



Rawiri



Zane



Ryder



Tiana-Jayde



Ella



Timote



Oseni

What Leadership qualities will you be looking for in a nominee?

Which nominees do you think have the X factor?

More information will be provided in next weeks school panui.

Puhi Kaimoana Nominees



Tautuhi



Fariha



River



Harlyn-Sam



Kanaia-Jae



Siosifa



Kastell



Kelly -Zae

Student Leader Nominees for 2023

Puhi Kaiariki - Roopu o Koka Donnelle



Pearl



Jade



Kirena



Sweetie



Danni



Cyrus



Ella



Te Ahi



Te Mana



Braylin

Puhi Kaiariki - Roopu o Koka Sandy



Aria



Ari



Mano



Eruera



Lovey



Wynter-Rose



Jason



Aiokura