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Thursday 18th June Week 10, Term 2 2020

Kia ora, Greetings and welcome

It is good to see the children busy in the break times - skipping rope, singing the jingles from days gone by, playing four square, hut building in the bush, building in the sandpit and jumping on the trampoline. It is great to see them working and playing together.

Another good news story from our assessment: The Maths testing is showing positive results in the areas that require Basic Facts, so well done to those children and supporting parents for continuing the learning of these. Basic facts – addition, subtraction, multiplication and division are the foundations of all number work in Mathematics.

I am currently at my Springboard Block Course looking at our Poroti School Vision statement, Strategic Goals and initiatives for moving the school forward over the next 3 years, i.e. our Three year outlook. Remember to return your Vision ideas (things you would like to see our school focus on over the next 3 years, where you see Poroti School in three years) So far, apart from two adults, the children are setting the direction of the school! Get your ideas to me a.s.a.p. please.

We will be letting you know about whether there will be real or virtual calves at AG Day in the next couple of weeks, when the decision has been made about Central Day at a meeting with other schools in our area. If you have any comments for or against please let me know before Monday 29th June, so I can fairly represent our school's views at the meeting.

We have been successful in being accepted into the "BEE FRIENDS" programme. This involves receiving hives, instruction, lessons and working alongside bee keepers for the next year. Ten of our students will be selected to take part in this programme, which starts in September this year.

With sport being able to start again, it is great to see a number of our students playing in different sports. Please share their successes with us, so we can celebrate with them. That is also for any cultural, arts, music activities as well. We would like to be able to acknowledge our student's achievements.

Mrs J

Principal

BOT SPOT:

The next BOT meeting will be held at the School on Monday 17th August at 7 p.m. Minutes are available at school after the meetings if anyone should wish to read them.

SCHOOL HOODIES: Remember our school hoodies!!!!! Please get your orders in so we can submit our first order. Prices and sizes available at the office.

JOKE OF THE WEEK

What did the science book say to the maths book?

Wow, you've got problems !!



Celebration - Class Awards

- Richard Rapana for always being enthusiastic about his learning
- Jethro Imeson for great progress and moving up levels in his reading
- Tiaan Fowlie for great progress and moving up levels in her reading
- Kodie Lord for his problem solving in volume and great school attitude
- Oriwa Tipene for awesome progress in her times table and great school attitude
- Lincoln-Blayze Siafa for an impressive contribution and work with our art project
- Te Hina O'Leary for great thinking in our art reflection and using great ideas
- Oriwa Tipene for great sharing of knowledge of her wind turbine with Room 2



• Emma Morling – for working independently and quietly on her work: just getting on with everything that needs to be done

Readicator Awards - Well done to Hamish, Nevaeh, TeMihinga and Riley who have all reached the top of the readicator chart this week.

....Community Notices....





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We have been blown away with the level of skill on our Facebook Kids Creative Cooking page during lockdown and invite you to post your holiday programme results here – at the end of the school holidays one lucky winner will receive 2×10^{-5} movie passes!

https://www.facebook.com/groups/KidsCreativeCooking/

Mangakahia Junior Rugby - Training starts Thursday 25 June 2020 at the sports complex. All players to be there by 4.30pm. Any questions call Kylie Livingston on 0211227063.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

TERM TWO				
Tuesday 30 th June	Matariki Day- Planting and Breakfast. All welcome to join us.			
	More details next week			
Friday 3 rd July	Last day Term 2			