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Thursday 26th October 2023

Week 3, Term 4 2023

Kia ora and welcome

AG Day was again a successful day thanks to the support of our wonderful school community. Everyone who stepped in when needed and took on a job no matter how big or small your efforts were noticed and appreciated. The classrooms looked amazing, and those beans-WOW- what were some of them fed? The bread banquet saw such a variety and they looked delicious. Congratulations to all our winners on the day.



If you have any feedback that we could use to improve or something to add to the day please let us know.

**The cultural festival** at Mangakahia Area school on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> November is the next event on our agenda. Whaea Hoana is working on polishing our performance. This year we perform at **10.55 a.m.** We will send home a notice with more information.

**ATHLETICS** at Poroti School is Wednesday 15th November. It is a massive event for our school and another 'all hands-on deck' day as we run the athletic events and BBQ tent. For those new to this day we could have up to 500+ extras on-site and on the Complex Field. This is an all-day event starting with food preparation around 8.30 a.m. until clean up by 3 p.m.

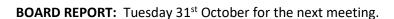
**CAMPS:** The first senior camp notices went home on Tuesday and I would like those back by next MONDAY please. It is important that the notices are returned soon after being sent out as there is an awful lot of preparation that goes on in the background before we leave.

**AG DAY TROPHIES:** Can you please return to school next week so I **can** take them to be engraved and then return them to you. Thank you

**Senior Camp Fees:** Thank you to those who have paid and are paying off our Senior Camp. This camp is heavily subsidised by school, covering accommodation, travel and activities. Cost per student is \$110. Please pay before we leave for camp on Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> November.

## TEACHER ONLY DAY MONDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2023

Staff will be attending a TOD at Tauraroa Area School along with our Kahui Ako schools on this day for Professional Learning around the Refreshed Curriculum. We apologise for any inconvenience caused, but it is also important that staff keep up to date with their own professional development.





**INVOICES:** We still have some outstanding stationery invoices and reminders are being sent home. Please can these be settled by the end of this month thank you.

**LETTUCE:** We have some delicious lettuce leaves from our garden ready. If anyone would like to order - \$2 bag – will be sent home tomorrow Friday - please complete and return form at end of newsletter.

MANGAKAHIA AREA SCHOOL KAPA HAKA FESTIVAL - HANGI ORDERS: If you would like to order a hangi a reminder that forms need to be returned with payment by next Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> October . Payment MUST be made beforehand.

## **COMMUNITY NOTICES**







## **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

TERM FOUR	
Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup> October	School Photos
Monday 30 <sup>th</sup> October	TECH - Year 7 & 8 - remember shoes
Thursday 9 <sup>th</sup> November	Mangakahia Area School Cultural Festival
Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> November	Teacher Only Day - No School
Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Poroti School hosting Athletics Day

HANGI ORDER – MANGAKAHIA AREA SCHOOL
I would like to orderhangi. Payment of \$12 is attached / I have paid online
Circle one: I will collect at the Festival / I will collect from Poroti School.
Name Phone
FORMS MUST BE RETURNED TO SCHOOL BY TUESDAY 31 <sup>ST</sup> OCTOBER
LETTUCE ORDER
would like to order bag (bags) of lettuce.
My payment of is attached / I have paid online
Name