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Thursday 12th June 2025

Week 7, Term 2 2025

Kia ora and welcome to Poroti School

The mornings are getting colder but the sun is still shining which is great for the active students at Poroti School during break times getting out in the sandpit, on the turf and playground.

We have just sent entries off to the 'KidsCan Coffee cup design' competition so we will keep our fingers crossed for some successful entries.

**FRIDAY:** Wear Yellow for Harold – **This Friday 13**<sup>th</sup> **June** we will be having a "Wear Yellow for Harold" day in support of Life Education. A gold coin donation is appreciated in support. Come dressed in yellow or as a giraffe! We have a lovely prize which has been donated for a student who embraces this day.



COUNTRY MEAL at the Complex this FRIDAY starting at 6 p.m.

Reminder that we require 2 salads from each family / whānau to add to the table please. We do need helpers to take orders, deliver meals and collect dishes and sell raffle tickets so please come and see us at the raffle table to offer your services. The school benefits from this evening and we need to have all hands-on deck. We have some awesome raffle prizes up for winning. **Tell your family and friends to come along and support Poroti School and have a wonderful evening and meal.** 

**Reports:** Staff are currently working on the Mid-Year Reports which will come out in the last week of the term. These will be followed up with Learning Conversations early in Term 3. We have a few changes in this reporting with no graphs as we transition into the Refreshed Curriculum phases and expectations. We hope to hold a Whānau Evening to explain the new changes before the End of Year reports which will be aligned with the new Curriculum. Staff will be undergoing Professional Learning Development around the new Curriculum and Assessment over the next two terms. We thank you for your support and understanding.

**Year 8 students** will be getting notifications from the High School options for them so please look out for the notices that come home. I know some people have already made their decision, but those who have not it is always good to look around and get a feel for the schools yourself by attending the information evenings and open days.

## Mrs J

school board meeting The next Board meeting will be held on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> June at 6.30 p.m. in the School Staffroom. Board news: This year is a Board Election Year. Elections will be held in September, but it is time



to start thinking about being a School Trustee and asking what is involved if you are interested. We have some Board members standing down so we NEED YOU. You may even want to sit in on a meeting to what is involved.

## **COMMUNITY NOTICES**



WHANGAREI TRI CLUB - Are holding a kids duathlon series day on Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> June starting at 8.30am at Pohe Island Cycle Track. Ages 7 and under – 400 metre run / 2.5km bike / 400m run and ages 8 and over 1.6 km rub / 5km bike / 800 m run. Essential equipment needed of a bike, helmet and shoes. Entry feee \$10. Spot prizes and a free sausage sizzle. Pre-register by emailing <a href="mailto:whangareitri@gmail.com">whangareitri@gmail.com</a> or regisiter on the day from 7.45am.

GARDEN TO TABLE - Lemon muffins and lemonade juice were on the menu on Tuesday with Pohutakawa then getting to try a piece of lemonade in its natural form - look at some of those faces experiencing a taste of sour!!





<b>DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:</b> TERM TWO		
Monday 9th June	TECH - Year 7 & 8 – please remember shoes. Bus leaves at 8.45 a.m. to get to TECH on time.	
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> June	Wear Yellow for Harold day. Country Meal at Complex! We are hosting.	
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> June	Matariki	