

SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

TERM 2 WEDNESDAY 25 MAY 2022



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PANUI TE TUMUAKI

Kia ora e te whānau,

We are already into Week 4 and the term is going by so fast. It is going to be a great term of learning, growing and showing kindness to each other.

PINK SHIRT DAY - Friday 20 May

Thank you for supporting this important kaupapa. It was so awesome to see our tamariki and kaiako dressed in pink.

Our school raised \$196 with our donations. The money will go to Youthline - an organisation that has been supporting our rangatahi and their whanau since 1970. Youthline is a non-profit organisation that has counselling, mentoring and coaching programmes to help our young people deal with the challenges they are facing today. We appreciate our tamariki and whanau for supporting this important kaupapa.

Ngaa mihinui :)

PB4L - POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR FOR LEARNING

Our school is focused on positive behaviour for learning. This is an initiative that the Ministry of Education are encouraging schools and communities to undertake to help our tamariki, staff and whanau interact more positively with one another.

We have an awesome team of staff who are leading this kaupapa for our kura. They are Whaea Liz McCauley, Whaea Angela Heley, Whaea Ari Josephs, Matua David Leslie, Whaea Desi

Walker and Whaea Keao Daniels.

This kaupapa aligns well with our School Values of Te Pono me Te Aroha - aroha, whanaungatanga, manaakitanga, kotahitanga, ako and whakapau kaha. We are working on how we show these values in our words and actions.

A copy of our school mission statement with our values is attached.

EXCITE MUSIC SESSIONS

Lots of melodious sounds can be heard from our school hall this week. Tamariki playing drums, xylophones, glockenspiels and the ever popular tambourine. Celia Williamson from EXCITE Academy - Visual and Performing Arts has been teaching our tamariki musical skills and she is a brilliant music teacher.

This Friday at 2:15pm we will be having a music concert to showcase what our tamariki have learnt this week. Seating will be limited but whaanau are most welcome to attend. The concert will be livestreamed on our school FB page.

DIGITAL INCIDENT ON SOCIAL MEDIA

At this stage we understand that there has been an incident on a social media platform showing our school logo and images of staff members. The school is dealing with this issue. We are working to ensure the safety and wellbeing of all, and have contacted appropriate support agencies who are assisting us as we move forward.

Koromatua school has joined the Netsafe Schools Programme and we are an official Netsafe School. A Netsafe school helps establish, develop and promote online safety, citizenship and wellbeing practices that are supported by Netsafe - the country's leading online safety organisation. Netsafe Schools is a nationally recognised programme supporting New Zealand schools to create a safer and more positive online environment.

We are dedicated to nurturing a safer online environment for our students, whānau and staff and will continue to share information about our school's progress.

Please talk to your tamariki about being safe online and the safe use of digital devices in your home. You can visit netsafe.org.nz if you would like to find out more about the online safety support, advice and education available to you.

STAFF ONLY DAY - Friday 3rd June

Next Friday the 3rd of June is a Staff Only Day as set out by the NZ Primary Teacher's Collective Agreement. Our staff will have this time to write reports, make up resources and do planning for their class and specific groups they are teaching.

Please organise for your tamariki to be supervised on that day.

Thank you for all you do to support your tamariki in their overall learning and wellbeing. Have a lovely week.

Kia haumarū, Kia tuupato

Ngā manaakitanga,
Rosina Nin



Koromatua School Mission Statement.pdf

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KOROMATUA SCHOOL BOARD TERM 2 NEWSLETTER

Kia ora koutou,

Please see the School Board Term 2 newsletter attached.

Ngā mihi,

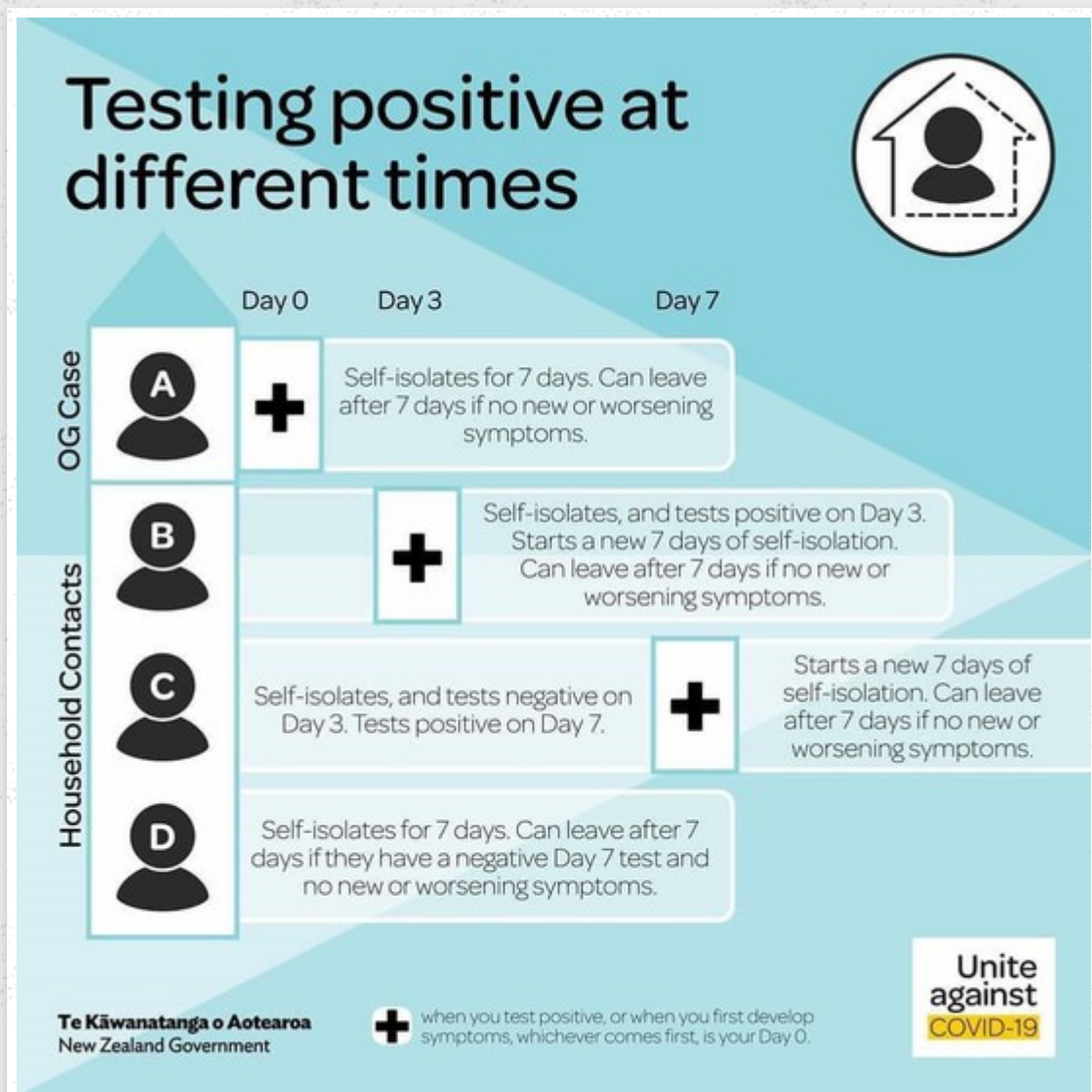
Stuart Cassidy
Presiding Member
Koromatua School Board



Board Newsletter Term 2 2022.pdf

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PEANUT FREE POLICY NO LONGER IN PLACE

The Peanut-Free Policy that the school has had for the past few years is no longer in place. Students can now bring kai that contains 'traces of peanuts' or peanut products in their lunchboxes.

SCHOOL CAMPS 2022

Kia ora koutou,

Our Year 5&6 and Year 7&8 students have their camps. Both camps are in Term 4.

Camp Karakariki - Year 5&6

Wednesday 30th November - Friday 2nd December

Camp Fee is \$60

Camp Raglan - Year 7&8

Wednesday 26th October - Friday 28th October

Camp Fee is \$45

A reminder that Camp Payments can be paid online. We have had a small number of payments come through. Thank you to those parents who have paid their camp fees already.

ALL payments are made out to:

Koromatua School **12-3152-0226184-00**

Particulars: Camp Raglan or C/Karakariki

Reference: Child's name

FROM THE OFFICE



CHANGE OF ADDRESS OR PHONE NUMBER???

Please contact the school office if you have moved or have a new phone number to update your child's details. This is extremely important if we need to contact you, especially in emergencies and for the parent app.

ABSENCE NOTIFICATION

If your child is going to be away, please notify the school. You can do this in a number of ways: Email enquiries@koromatua.school.nz

Call 07 847 9828

Enter on the parent app

TERM DATES 2022

Term 1: Tuesday 8 February – Thursday 14 April

Term 2: Monday 2 May – Friday 8 July

Term 3: Monday 25 July – Friday 30 September

Term 4: Monday 17 October – Friday 16 December

TERM EVENTS

Monday 23rd - Friday 27th May

EXCITE ACADEMY - Music sessions with all classes

Friday 27th May 2:15pm - Musical Showcase. Whaanau are invited. However seating is limited. We will livestream this event on our school FB page.

Monday 23rd - Friday 27th May

Lower Waipa trials for netball, rugby and football.

AIMS trials for girls basketball and boys rugby 7's.

Friday 3rd June

Staff Only Day - NZ Primary Teachers Collective Agreement

Children DO NOT come to school

Monday 6th June

Queen's Birthday Public Holiday

Tuesday 7th June

COHORT Entry

Wednesday 8th June

Rugby Skills presented by Waikato Rugby Union - in class sessions

Tuesday 7th - Friday 10th June

BOOK WEEK - Book Fair in the hall

Friday 10th June

Lower Waipa Winter Sports Tournament at Ngahinapouri School - All day event

Monday 13th June

Career Expo for Yr 7 & 8 at the Claudelands Event Centre

Tuesday 14th June

Lower Waipa Winter Sports Tournament - postponement date

Friday 17th June

School Assembly 2:15pm

Bigger, Better, Brighter Performance - visiting group performing to our tamariki.

Monday 20th - Thursday 23rd June

MATARIKI WEEK

Monday 20th June

Dawn ceremony and parakuihi to celebrate the beginning of Matariki.

Wednesday 22nd June

Grandparents/Special Friend Day 9:00-12:00pm

Thursday 23rd June

Tuakana syndicate going to watch a Matariki show at Fairfield College.

Friday 24th June

MATARIKI Public Holiday

Monday 27th June

Staff Only Day - NZ Primary Teachers Collective Agreement

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Thursday 30th June

School Photos

Friday 1st July

PYJAMA DAY

Monday 4th July - Friday 8th July

EXCITE ACADEMY - Drama sessions with all classes

Friday 8th July

LAST day of Term 2

Reports coming home



Excite! Music and Arts Academy...

www.exciteacademy.co.nz

Excite Academy offers a range of classes and workshops for all ages, from Art, Drama and Musical Theatre, to Vocals and Individual Instrument sessions.