



Roto Review

We live by
our motto of
AIM HIGH

Kia ora Koutou Katoa,

LOCAL STORIES TRIP

The whole school was treated to a very informative trip around the 3 important locations around Kemureti. Matua Harry was fantastic at modifying the huge amount of knowledge he has so that the children understood the messages that were being shared. **Our past creates our present and guides our future.** It was summed up by a quote Mrs Furze read out at the end of the day:

Take care of our children. Take care of what they hear, take care of what they see, take care of what they feel. For how the children grow so will be the shape of Aotearoa. Dame Whina Cooper

Here are just a few snippets from the day. More on the school website and Facebook page.



Thank you to all the parents who gave up their time to come along and support us. From the chats Matua Harry was having with parents, I think you got more out of it than the children. Never too old to learn.

WELCOME BBQ AND DISCO

Next Thursday, 25th June, at 5.30pm we will hold a Welcome to Roto sausage sizzle for us all to meet our new families. This is a great chance to welcome those who are new to the area, to make connections and friendships, and to become an integral part of the Roto-o-Rangi School community. To make it even more special, the PTA have decided to hold a disco on the same night, so you can come and have a feed at 5.30 then go across the road to dance at 6.30pm. With plenty of blacklighting on hand the best idea is to break out the bright fluoro or white clothes and glow the night away!

WELCOME

Welcome to our new students – Emry (Room 1) and Javan (Room 2). We're looking forward to getting to know you and hope you settle in well!



SCHOOL VISION

It has been 5 years since we did an in depth review of the school Vision. Those few words which drives everything the BOT does, what the teachers teach and the many things your children learn. Here is the chance to have your say. An online survey will come home next week, and there will be a meeting at school to have a face to face chat about the school's direction and what we try to achieve here. So make your voice heard.

Parent Meeting Wednesday 1 July 6pm in the MP Room

Seeking sponsors & advertisers! If you know of someone who may be interested to advertise their business here for a small fee please let Roxy know.

PTA

Thanks to Theresa for taking on the role of Treasurer. The numbers were light at the last meeting but there was some good ideas shared for fundraisers in the short and long term.

The first one we are kicking off is the Disco next Thursday night, following the Welcome to Roto BBQ.

Then keep a look out for next term as things really start to ramp up.

Don't worry, we haven't forgotten about those cold evenings where a lovely Oxford Pie for dinner warms us up.

A round of Oxford pie orders coming early in the term.

WINTER ILLS & CHILLS

With the change in weather and Covid restrictions being removed, it was inevitable that we would see an increase in colds, coughs and other ills & chills. Please keep your child at home if they are unwell and remember to let us know why they are absent from school. If your child has vomiting or diarrhoea please keep them at home for 48 hours after the last bout of the illness.

LOST PROPERTY AND NAMING ITEMS

Lost property is always an issue and we're sure every school must have an abundance of it. If you name ALL of your child's clothing and belongings they are much less likely to end up in the lost property or being taken home by another child. Most of the children can write their own name so pull out a sharpie and give them the task!

UPCOMING EVENTS

25/6	Welcome to Roto sausage sizzle and DISCO
30/6	Whaanau hui
1/7	Parent Meeting – School direction 2025
3/7	End of Term 2
20/8	Term 3 starts

WRITER'S CORNER

Room 3 (Year 1-2)

In Room 3 the children come up with their own ideas for story writing and are able to write them down independently, looking to Mrs Furze for help with spelling.

I see a mermaid and it was swimming in the sea Sofie-Ela

I am going to play with Kora Ila-Rose

Me and Kayla and Ila-Rose are playing together on the playground. Ryleigh

I saw a mermaid yesterday and it swam away Indie

Dad and Kharva had a sniper and my uncle had a pistol and I had a pistol too and after we went to timezone and played lots of games and we had chips and pies. Cartel

It is only ten more days until the eggs hatch and it is so exciting! They are going to be spiky chicks and when they are a week old we will be selling them. They are going to be so cute! Shamus

TE REO TANTALISERS

Here is a karakia we are learning as a school to match good things we believe in.

Tuia ki runga

Tuia ki raro

Tuia ki waho

Tuia ki roto

Tuia ki here tangata

Ka rongo te poo

Ka rongo te Ao

Haumi e, Hui e, Taiki e.

Unite above

Unite below

Unite without

Unite within

United as one

Listen to the night

Listen to the word

Join, Gather, Unite.

Last Newsletter answers

Penerakau -	Pencil
Tepu -	Table
Pukapuka -	Book
Pene -	Pen
Tuuru -	Chair
Rorohiko -	Computer
Peeke -	Bag

SCHOOL ACCOUNTS

Thank you to the families who have either cleared their account or set up an automatic payment. Accounts have now been loaded with the \$7 fee for the Local Stories trip to help cover the cost of the buses.

The school account number is

02-0316-0126443-000.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

RENTAL SOUGHT

One of our lovely Roto-o-Rangi families is on the lookout for a new home, preferably close to the school. If anyone can help with this please contact the office and we will put you in touch with them.

Football Coaching

Individual/Small Group

Coached by ex New Zealand Football Representative

Issy Coombes!

Want to take your game to the *next level*?

Looking for an *edge* over your competitors?

Improve your technical and physical ability on the football pitch through 1 on 1 or small group sessions.

All ages and abilities welcomed

Attended 2 age group (U17 & U20) World Cups and a member of the Women's National Squad for 3 years.

When? Before and/or after school Tuesday, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays.

Cost? 1 hour Individual session = \$40

1 hour group session (3 - 5 people) = \$20 each

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