



Roto Review

We live by
our motto of
AIM HIGH

Kia ora Koutou Katoa,

AG DAY

Another successful Ag Day was held in perfect weather. Overall, the children did very well with their animals and it was obvious how much time they had put into working with them. Unfortunately not all performed as well as they had been when practicing but that is how things can turn out when working with animals. However, it looked like most children had at least one pretty good performance on the day. Here are the results:

		1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
Lamb Call-Follow-Run	Junior	Iyla	Holly	Ashleigh	Sofie-Ela	Mitchell P
Lamb Call-Follow-Run	Senior	Charlotte	Joel	Ava	Jax	Gabi
Lamb Leading	Junior	Sofie-Ela	Ashleigh	Iyla	Holly	Mitchell P
Lamb Leading	Senior	Charlotte	Joel	Jax	Chelsie	Gabi
Lamb Rearing	Junior	Sofie-Ela	Iyla	Mitchell P	Ashleigh	Holly
Lamb Rearing	Senior	Georgia	Ava	Joel	Charlotte	Harper
Champion C-F-R		Charlotte		Res. Champ	Iyla	
Champion Leading		Sofie-Ela		Res. Champ	Charlotte	
Champion Rearing		Georgia		Res. Champ	Sofie-Ela	
Calf Leading	Junior	Sam McA	Frankie	Toby L	Ila-Rose	Milly
Calf Leading	Senior	Toby McA	Ryan L	Cody	Dani	Hollie
Calf Rearing	Junior	Shamus	Ryan H	Frankie	Bryn	Milly
Calf Rearing	Senior	Hollie	Dani	Ryan L	Grace	Cody
Champion Leading		Toby McA		Res. Champ	Ryan L	
Champion Rearing		Hollie		Res. Champ	Dani	
Best calf – Light breed		Dani	Ryan H	Frankie	-	-
Best calf – Heavy breed		Hollie	Samuel M	Milly		
Best calf – Beef breed		Cody	Shamus	Toby L	-	-
Garden in a Bucket	Senior	Jack D	-	-	-	-
Garden in a Bucket	Junior	Ryleigh D	Indie	Alexia	-	-
Baking – Biscuits	Senior	Ryan L	Kaylee	Henry	-	-
Baking – Biscuits	Junior	Leeah	Poppy	Lillia	-	-
Baking – Coconut Ice	Senior	Paige	Joel	Zoë T	-	-
Baking – Coconut Ice	Junior	Indie	Liam M	Milly	-	-

GROUP DAY

Group Day is being held at the Junior Rugby Grounds today, as we go to print. We have 15 Roto children competing with their animals, which is awesome. It is great to see children going on to compete at the next stage and having the resilience and courage to taken on bigger challenges.

Congratulations to all who competed, we hear they are doing great!

PINK SHIRT DAY

Tomorrow we will be coming to school wearing our finest pink clothing to show we stand together against bullying. The official Pink Shirt Day was last Friday but clashed with Ag Day, so we will don our pink gear tomorrow instead. Your child is invited to bring along a gold coin donation to be sent off to the official Pink Shirt Day campaign.

Head over to www.pinkshirtday.org.nz for more information.

WELCOME



Last week we welcomed new entrant Ashleigh to our kura. Ashleigh is making friends quickly and has big brother Mitchell already here to help her settle in.

TE REO TANTALISERS

Most children can count to 10 in Maaori, but can you count past that? Thankfully Maaori is easy to count in because it follows a simple pattern

Tahi = 1 = one

Rua = 2 = two ... etc.

Iwa = 9 = nine

Tekau = 10 = ten ... then ...

Tekau maa tahi = 10 and 1 = eleven

Tekau maa rua = 10 and 2 = twelve

Tekau maa toru = 10 and 3 = thirteen

Tekau maa whaa = 10 and 4 = fourteen

Tekau maa rima = 10 and 5 = fifteen

Rua tekau maa tahi = 2 tens and one = twenty one

Rua tekau maa rua = 2 tens and two = twenty two

Toru tekau maa tahi = 3 tens and one = thirty one

Kotahi Rau = 100

Kotahi rau maa tahi = 100 and 1 = 101

Kotahi rau, tekau maa tahi = 100, 10 and 1 = 111

Toru rau, rua tekau maa ono = 300, 20 and 6 = 326

So how would you say...

Forty one?

Fifty six?

Eighty nine?

One hundred and 5?

One hundred and twenty three?

Four hundred and ninety six?

How far can you count in Maaori?

LABOUR DAY MONDAY

Don't forget there is no school on Monday as it is Labour Day!

SHOWCASE PERFORMANCE

The school is putting on a couple of Showcase performances this term. We have a daytime one for grandparents and relatives who travel at **1pm on Wednesday 3rd November** and then the **BIG FINALE at 7pm on Thursday 4th November**.

The showcase tells of the stories that helped shaped our area and our country – from the Taniwha in the Waikato River, to Sir Ed's conquest, even the local pigs get a mention.

The showcase has been written by all the teachers, with Mrs Morris and Mrs Goldsman being the Directors and main script writers. As always, every single child will have a part in the show, there will be plenty of singing and most of all, lots of fun.

Gold coin entry for both showcase performances.

HELP WANTED

If there are parents able to help with costuming or making props (don't worry, nothing too taxing involved. You don't need to be a professional seamstress or carpenter) please let the office know and Mrs Morris will be in contact with a job to do.

KAPAHAKA

The children are continuing to learn the waiata and movements for kapahaka but they need an audience. Hence, on **Friday 4th December at 2pm** they will be putting on a performance for all to attend.

Thanks to Whaea Karamea (one of our mums) and Miss Munford-Stokes for all their work this year with the group. Neither are kapahaka tutors or experts but saw the need to get this happening and volunteered to run it.

If there is anyone out there keen to help, or knows someone with skills in kapahaka, we would love to take the group to the next level in 2021. So let us know.

ALTRUSA AWARD

Congratulations to Te Umu and Cory for being awarded the Altrusa Club Award for Literacy this year. Unfortunately the actual ceremony where this was to be presented was cancelled at the last minute because of COVID. However the Altrusa Club are coming tomorrow to present the awards at our school assembly instead. As always, family and whaanau are welcome to attend.

BUCKET HATS

are to be worn by all children outside during this term. School branded hats are available from the office for \$15

PTA NEWS

Ag Day

Thank you to the parents who supported with marshalling at the rings, supplying the yummy food to sell and helped on the BBQ. Along with the sponsors: Westpac who supplied the BBQ, bread, sauce and chef; Silver Fern Farms for the sausages the PTA were able to make around \$900. This will finish paying for the shadesail, that is in the process of being made, over the sandpit again.

THANK YOU

A big thank you, and a bit late coming, to Graham Norvill for taking down and powdercoating the rugby posts. The addition of Roto coloured wind flags and crossbar have capped it off nicely.

TROPHIES – Ag Day and Cross Country

Please send any Ag Day or Cross Country cups and trophies to school asap so we are able to have them engraved with your child's name. Thank you.

ST PETER'S SHOW

Yesterday our Year 5/6 children were treated to a stunning performance by the Junior School (Year 7-9) at St Peter's School. A very polished performance, which included one of our ex-students. All the children who attended were mesmerised by the show. It also came at a great time, as we prepare for our own showcase. Show had minimal costumes and props, relying on the children to do their parts well. This has inspired our older children to add some polish to their performances now too. Thanks to Jo Curin, who purchased the tickets for our children to attend.

WRITER'S CORNER

ROOM 5

Ghostly Figure

By Riley Kuijpers

Waking up to unexplainable noises, I jump out of my bed and take hold of a torch. I creep towards this thick dark fog. I pace along and crunch the gravel. All of a sudden I hear whistling. What is it? Hardly running, I wanted to see what creepy creature was making that noise so I go ahead, trudging closer to a thick old oak tree. Then there's a glitch. I'm confused, is this all a dream? I don't know but I have to keep going.

Soon I end up in the middle of nowhere. How come? Running, running towards the noise it doesn't feel right but still. What was that glitch back there? All I remember was seeing a ghostly figure in front of me. I try to run but it seems to have supernatural powers....

TEACHER ONLY DAY

Monday 16th November has been booked as a Teacher Only Day, so no children at school on this day please.

SCHOOL ACCOUNTS

Please ensure your school account is cleared by the end of the school year. If you have any concerns please get in touch with Roxy. The school bank account number is **02-0316-0126443-000**.

LABEL READING

There are lots of different nutritional claims on packaging but it's best to check for yourself by reading the label. Remember to always use the 100g column.

TIP: Fibre helps us feel full for longer and keeps our digestive system healthy.

	PER SERVE	PER 100g
Carbohydrate, Total (g)	20.1	67.0
-Sugars (g)	0.8	2.8

Aim for less than 10g SUGAR per 100g

	PER SERVE	PER 100g
Fat, Total (g)	0.4	1.4
-Saturated Fat (g)	0.1	0.3

Aim for less than 10g TOTAL FAT per 100g

	PER SERVE	PER 100g
Dietary Fibre (g)	3.0	10.1
Sodium (mg)	81	270

Aim for more than 5g FIBRE per 100g

ATHLETICS

Wednesday 11th November has been set for our Roto Athletics Day. This is another energetic fun-packed event day held here at school, where all children will have an opportunity to compete and have fun participating in a range of athletic events. Events include long jump, high jump, vortex, and of course running races. As always, there is an opportunity for the older children to compete in cup races. So come along with your sun hat and sunscreen, plenty of water, and enjoy watching our tamariki have fun!

If you have any athletics trophies at home from last year please return them to school, thank you.



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and we will offer Beginner Tap classes if we have enough interest.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

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|----------|-----------------------------------------------------|
| 23/10 | Roto Pink Shirt Day 2020
Assembly 2.15pm MP Room |
| 26/10 | Labour Day – No School |
| 28/10 | BOT Meeting |
| 03/11 | Showcase Performance 1pm |
| 04/11 | Showcase Performance 7pm |
| 09/11 | Year 6 Orientation Day at CMS |
| 11/11 | Roto Athletics Day |
| 16/11 | Teacher Only Day – No School |
| 20/11 | Rural Schools Athletics |
| 24/11 | PTA Meeting |
| 24-27/11 | Year 5/6 Camp |
| 02/12 | BOT Meeting |
| 03/12 | Year 6 Leavers Dinner |
| 04/12 | Kapahaka Performance |
| 06/12 | Cambridge Christmas Parade |
| 11/12 | Final Assembly |
| 14/12 | Last Day of Term 4 |

The full school calendar is on our website.