### Newsletter 15 28th September 2018

# TE TAU O AROHA-

katoa.

# The year of LOVE

Ka mihi nui āhau ki a koutou

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**UP COMING EVENTS** 

Term 3

Last day of term Friday 28th September

Term 4

Start date for Term Monday 15th October

#### **National SHAKE OUT DRILL**

18th October - 9.30 am
National earthquake safety
drill—SHAKE OUT

#### **Labour Day**

22nd October

#### **Interschool Cross Country**

Hunterville Friday 2nd October

#### JNS Bia Day Out

Tuesday 20th November

#### **End of Year Prize giving**

Week 8 Term 4-First week of December

Last Day of the Term Friday
14th December

AROHA MAI
AROHA ATU

Term 3 has drawn to an end and we have a lot to celebrate in this Courier edition. I know you will enjoy the images we have managed to capture and share with you.

I had the privilege of spending time this week with students sharing with me some of their work. I admired the completed mask artworks of our Year 6 students that are on display in the hall for all to enjoy. I heard the speeches of the students who will be representing our kura at this year's Lion's Speech Contest; Cole Anderson, Letauamataitoga Kuki and Shalom Kuki. I watched Room 6 practice their assembly item for this Friday. I listened to the pieces of writing Jackson Rooke and Emily Kerslake had crafted after reading the Tom Percival story 'Ruby's Worry'.

'Ruby had a worry every day it grew bigger. One day she saw a boy. He had a worry. He told Ruby his worry. His worry shrank. So if you have a worry tell someone and it will start to shrink.'

Jackson Rooke

'If you have a worry and you're feeling really sad.
You can share your worry with your mum and dad.
All you need to do is talk about it and it will go away!

**Emily Kerslake** 

There are many more pieces of work I could share with you. The effort students have out into their learning is reaping rewards. They can be very proud!

Over the next two weeks enjoy the warmer weather and precious time together.

Aroha-tino-nui,
Michelle Cameron
Principal

#### **ROOM 5 EOTC**

This term has been all about trains in Room 5. Students have explored the rail industry in New Zealand, locomotives that have travelled the tracks and rail safety. Their learning included a visit to Feilding to explore stream train mechanics and other early transport and industry vehicles at the Coach Museum.

Enjoy some of the photos captured...







For the next few Courier editions we will be sharing the stories that students' shared at our inaugural 'Story Slam' last Wednesday evening.

#### **Our Street**

My street is quiet, but there are a lot of cars. The cars aren't loud; they are quiet.

There are a lot of dogs on our street and one of the houses gives us bones for the dogs.

We have two dogs and we like having them.

Kahleisha Lowrie

#### My bike

I have a bike and I have a helmet but Sagato doesn't have a helmet. I am real fast because I push hard when I pedal. I ride my bike up and down the street. My bike is red. I wash it with the hose outside.

My 2 brothers and my baby have bikes too.

Sou Juniper Iosefa



**James Cook School** 

The current policies are under review:

- NAG 3 Complaints
- NAG 5 Behaviour Management

Please access these policies via SchoolDocs.

**Search for your school.** Type the first few letters of the school's name in the box and select the school, then log in with the **username** jamescook and **password** richer

#### Te Wiki o te Reo Māori 10th –14th Mahuru

We celebrate all languages at James Cook School except three. The language of whinge, the language of grunt and the language of negativity we don't celebrate.

This year for te wiki o te reo Māori we upped the anti. Each day we challenged ourselves to use te reo Māori as much as we could.

We set timed challenges as well that increased each day throughout the week. On Monday, we spoke te reo Māori only for 1 minute. On Tuesday this increased to 2 minutes. On Wednesday this increased to 3 minutes and so on to Friday when we spoke te reo Māori only for 5 minutes. A whole lot of fun was had celebrating and sharing our knowledge of te reo Māori with each other.

Check out some of the images captured throughout our week of learning and celebrating...





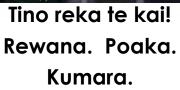






E rere runga, e rere raro, rere roto, e rere waho. E rere taku poi, e rere taku poi, ki runga.















Nou te rourou Nāku te rourou Ka ora mātou



# Tahi, rua, toru, wha, PUKANA!













Mahi a rehia. Mahi waiata. Mahi toi.



#### **STORY SLAM**

On Wednesday 19th September we shared and celebrated the writing journey we are on.

Whānau joined together to hear their tamariki share their writing.

As we all gathered, three of our piano students Tsinjin Tahau, Cole Anderson and Agatha Doggett played to set the atmosphere.

Sixteen students, two from each class, presented their written pieces before whānau dispersed to different classrooms to enjoy more students slamming their stories.



The evening provided an opportunity for our tamariki to share their written

pieces to a wider audience and allow teachers to share how we do writing now at James Cook School.

The evening was completed with a humble sausage sizzle and time to chat and reconnect.



Over the next few Courier editions the in our Writer's Corner the pieces presented by the sixteen students in the hall will be shared.

#### PIZZA &PR1ME

On Wednesday 26th September we came together again. This time to share how we support our students to solve mathematical problems through the PRIME programme.

PR1ME Mathematics teaches problem solving through the systematic development of problem sets; and by focusing on both aspects of problem solving - the method and the process.



The evening began together with Ms

Melanie Morris giving an overview and warming up our mathematical thinking.

Once the scene was set, all gathered and dis-



persed to practise the four step UPAC problem solving process before regrouping to enjoy a piece of pizza or two.



#### **Junior Neighbourhood Support Assembly**

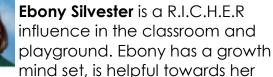
Since 2010 we have partnered with Junior Neighbourhood Support to promote community service and safety. In Terms 1 and 3, ten students are acknowledged for demonstrating our RICHER core culture in different aspects of their learning. Each student acknowledged receives a sponsored prize pack of a school back pack, lunch box full of treats and a sports ball. This initiative is proudly sponsored by Marton Lions Club and the Rangitikei District Council.

During our Monday morning assembly held on 24th September the following students were acknowledged...

Reihana Walker for the leadership he shows in class, in the playground and beyond our school borders.

His commitment to leading by

'doing' is noticed and appreciated.



classmates and is a problem solver when working with others.

Jaque Casson for displaying our R.I.C.H.E.R Core Culture in his interactions both with teachers and peers. He is a polite young

man that shares his kindness and aroha to others without any judgement. He is able to empathise with others and takes time to listen.

Mahaki Chambers for his consistent management of self and wonderful application of 'endeavour' in all aspects of his learning at school.

Sally Leitupo for her way of being. She quietly teaches her peers how to persevere in their learning by 'doing'. She sets high expectations

for herself and commits the time needed to achieve.



Jay Natusch endeavours to be the very best that he can be in his learning and in his connections with everyone. His willingness to try

new things has grown and is beginning to reap rewards.



**Yana Edwards** has made the most of opportunities to stand with courage. Her willingness to be vulnerable, in sharing her creativity

and talent in writing, shows bravery.



**lefatataase Tualafo** is a young man of character who has the courage to stand up for what is right. He consistently shows our R.I.C.H.E.R

core culture in all aspects of school life and beyond. lefatataase humbly shares his talents with others in order to help them shine.



**Natahlia Simeon** is a young lady with mana. Her ability to honestly reflect, take ownership and find ways forward are examples of her

developing leadership. She humbly supports others to shine by genuinely endeavouring to be the best R.I.C.H.E.R influence she can be.



Jhai Te Whatu shows maturity in his kindness towards others. He humbly serves and supports his peers to be successful in their

learning at school.

### SPORTS NEWS

#### **SOUTH RANGITIKEI QUAD TOURNAMENTS**

A very successful two days were had by all who participated. This year we entered teams in the Football, Netball and Hockey codes for both Y7&8 and Y5&6 tournaments.

All of our teams represented our kura well. Our Y7&8 and Y5&6 Netball and Hockey teams returned to school the unbeaten tournament champions.

Three of our Y7&8 students were acknowledged for their fair play attitude and conduct. They were:

Kevan Hart - Football Letauamataitoga Kuki - Netball Muzzaiah Mahauariki - Hockey



Photo above: One of our 2018 Y7&8 Football teams. Below our Y5&6 Football team.



#### **HOCKEY**

Congratulations to both our hockey teams. They have achieved outstanding results.

Y5&6 6 aside hockey team 1st overall.

Most Improved - Samantha Rooke

MVP - Ngahina Walker

**Sportmanship -** Jayden Hamilton

Y7&8 11 aside hockey team 2nd overall.

Most Improved - Fabian Pompey-Tepu

MVP - Muzzaiah Mahauariki

Sportmanship - Tsinjin Tahau

Rangitikei Hockey Association Prize giving was held at Marton School on Wednesday 26th September.

#### **NETBALL**

Congratulations to all our netball teams. They too, have achieved outstanding results.

JCS A Team - Round 1&2 winners A Grade overall winners (unbeaten)

JCS B Team - Round 1 winners B Grade 2nd overall

JCS C Team - Round 1 winners C Grade overall winners

#### **Closing Day Tournament Results**

All JCS netball teams played in the closing tournament day final for their grade. All teams were tied at full time. This meant that all our teams played extra time. In netball this means that the winning team is the first team that is two goals ahead. Our B and C teams battled long and hard for winning honours but unfortunately conceded the two goal deficit. The A team on the other hand made short work of it. They managed to break their oppositions centre pass off and score back to back goals to win their final.

#### WHOLE SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY

The weather held off enough for us to hold this year's event on a postponement date. The energy of our tamariki could not be dampened. It was a successful day of personal triumph for all our students' who took part.

A special mention to all of our students who ran the race for the first time and to the first three placed runners of each Year group listed below. Well done!

#### Year 1

1st place Mahaki Chambers2nd place Nevin Manulua-Lafi3rd place Soren WalkerYear 2

1st place Declan McKenna2nd place Jackson Rooke3rd place Cody AndersonYear 3

1st place Parker Nairne2nd place Thomas Parkinson3rd place Flynn StembridgeYear 4

1st place Vernon Sio2nd place Tino Kuki3rd place Mac HerronYear 5

1st place Isayah Glasier2nd place Darcel Hetet-Kingi3rd place Lucas StembridgeYear 6

1st place Christopher Dillon2nd place Cyria Lowrie3rd place Ngahina Walker

#### Year 7

1st place Kruze Jansen2nd place Toby Haxell3rd place Dominic TrueYear 8

1st place Kevan Hart2nd place Muzzaiah Mahauariki3rd place Ayesha MacDonald-RiceEnjoy some of the images captured by Mrs Alicia Walker...













'Running Cross Country is the closest man will ever get to flying.'







Joseph Vanderste

#### **Highland Dancing Success**

Congratulations to Sarah Walker for her recent results achieved at the local competition held at Rangitikei College.

Sarah competed in the beginners 11 years and over section. Sarah received:

- -2nd in the Highland Fling
- -2nd in the Sword Dance
- -3rd in the Sean Triubhas
- -2nd in the Half Tulloch
- -4th in the Flora
- -3rd in the Highland Fling trophy dance

Her results ensured she received the overall runner up trophy. Well done, Sarah.



### **Role Model Assembly**

Rooms 1,3, 5, 6 &8 had the privilege of meeting BOOKS IN HOMES Sarah Hayden a medic in

the Royal New Zealand Air Force. Sarah joined the RNZAF straight out of college. She has spent the last 3.5 years training and refining her skills.

Sarah shared with students how imperative reading is to her profession and continued development as a medic.

Students and teachers had the opportunity to ask questions before Sarah presented students with their Term 3 Duffy books.

#### **KAI KETE**

### HEAD, HEART AND HAND KOHA

Congratulations to the recipients of the kai kete on...

31/08: Groube, Motuga-Timoti, Karatau& White-Gough families

07/09: Adrian, Cobham-Shulz, O'Connor whānau

14/09: Natusch, Pa'ala, Tupai, Bronson, Fairburn, Casson/Kelly & Karatau whānau

21/09: losefa, Rauhihi-Barlow, Ingley & Woodley/Heron families

#### OUR R.I.C.H.E.R CORE CULTURE...

The following students were observed aspects of our R.I.C.H.E.R CORE CULTURE into action. As a result they were presented with a blue card acknowledging what had been observed. These cards are placed in a chest and four cards are drawn out at each Friday afternoon assembly.

Llogan-Jhaede Jacobs, Kahleisha Lowrie and Sagato James losefa for showing Endeavour.

Jack Penn for demonstrating Respect, Cooperation, Honesty and Endeavour.

Acknowledged 31/08

Charlotte White-Gough for demonstrating Respect, Cooperation, Honesty and Endeavour.

Jayda Kopua for showing Respect.

Kelly Tamihana for demonstrating Inclusion and Cooperation.

Acknowledged 07/09

Vernon Sio for showing Respect and Inclusion. Tabitha Williams for demonstrating Respect and Cooperation.

Sagato James Iosefa for showing Respect, Cooperation and Endeavour.

**Seth Hart** for showing Respect, Inclusion, Endeavour and Resolution.

Acknowledged 14/09

Jay Natusch for demonstrating Respect and Cooperation.

Harlem Arama for showing Respect, Honesty, Cooperation and Endeavour.

Madison Maas for demonstrating Respect, Cooperation, Endeavour and Resolution.

Mahaki Chambers for showing Respect, Cooperation and Endeavour.

Acknowledged 21/09

# COMMUNITY NOTICES

Check out the 2018 **TRYB photo competition** 

This year's theme 'Positive Youth Life' take-a-snap sumit hashtag share

Entry is free with a maximum of 10 entries per person.

There are 3 age groups:

- 1. Youth aged 12 to 15 years old
- 2. Youth aged 16 to 24 years old
- 3. Those over 25 + years of age

Photos must include the hashtags #tryb\_nz and #trybphotocomp to be eligible.

Simply email your photos to <a href="mailto:tryb@rangitikei.govt.nz">tryb@rangitikei.govt.nz</a> **OR** directly upload the images to either the TRYBnz Facebook page **OR** to your Instagram

Remember to use the hashtags #tryb\_nz and #trybphotocomp and tag the picture with @TRYBnz. Don't forget to state your age group!

Find all the rules, terms and conditions at www.rangitikei.govt.nz

#### MARTON SWIM CLUB

Term 4 and 1 Tuesdays and Thursdays 6-7pm.

Bring your kids along to clock up some swimming miles and increase their fitness.

Must be able to swim 50m. New members welcome:-)

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