



Coley Street School Newsletter

Date: 27th October 2015

Week 3

Principal's Post:

Dear Parents

I wish to congratulate the **Kapa Haka group** who on Friday performed at the Horowhenua Schools Kapa Haka festival. This is not a competition but is a showcase of what the children have learnt throughout the year. In this case our production took priority last term. So as usual our children performed beautifully and it is a credit to their dedication under the direction of Taryn Small.

Over the last few practices we had support from a small group of parents who added some finishing touches. Well done everyone, it is a proud moment as a School Principal to see your school perform like this in public.

Earlier in the week we had a combined Te Awahou Schools team take part in the **Super 8 Basketball** in Palmerston North. They ended up 6th equal overall.

Thursday afternoon we had a show for the whole school from a musician called '**Hiwi the Kiwi**'.

He performs with some key messages about water safety and fishing for the future and over the next ten days children will have an opportunity to win a sponsored fishing rod by writing the best story about those messages that they can recall.

This is a reminder to whanau in the community that we are now taking **new enrolments for 2016** and especially young children that are turning 5 years next year.

We like to have organised visits for these children so they are well prepared when they arrive at school. Please call at our office for information.

Peter Kemp - Principal

Important Dates:

- 28/10 Dental Health enrol for pre-schoolers
- 30/10 'Freaky Friday' Disco
- 30/11 Mathex competition at Fx Beach Sch
- 04/11 Open Day for parents
- 06/11 Assembly - Senior Hub hosts
- 16/11 School Leaders conference - P North
- 20/11 Athletics Day
- 03/12 Year 8 dinner
- 09/11 Volunteers night
- 11/12 End of Year Prizegiving
- 14/12 Picnic Day
- 15/12 Last day of Term 4

PB4L - focus for the week



Using our '**CARING, PROUD, THINKING, and STRIVING Hearts**' we will be focusing this week on:

Trust/Honesty

- ★ Respect the belongings of others
- ★ Return property that does not belong to you to an adult or lost property

Class Heart Winners

Senior - Room 3 - Getting to class on time

Junior - Room 2 - Getting to class on time

Manawa Card Draw

Senior: Summer - proud

Larvarn - thinking

Junior: Serenity - thinking

Maria - thinking

Staff: Christine Easton - caring

Sports Awards

Ashanti - striving

Pypah - striving

Congratulations to all these people



Principal Award of the Week

Ashanti for her fabulous input to super 8 basketball and kapa haka.



Students of the Week:

ROOM 1 - Summer - for **Striving** in her cubism art

ROOM 2 - Jeandre for **Striving** in his creativity in art

ROOM 3 - Eden for **striving** in all areas.

ROOM 4 - Clay for using his **caring** heart with our assembly presentation.

ROOM 6 - Leyton for **striving** and having a go at writing his own story. Well done.

ROOM 7 - Autahi - For **striving** in his learning.

ROOM 8 - Tegan G for using her **Caring** heart and helping others.

SENIOR LEARNING HUB -

Izaya for stepping up and **Striving** in the lead Kaea roll for Kapa Haka

Michael-Jahn for **Striving** in Kapa Haka to perform a Powerful Haka

Malaki for **Striving** in Kapa Haka to perform a Powerful Haka

Horowhenua Schools Kapa Haka Festival



Hiwi the Kiwi Goes Fishing Show

On Thursday afternoon the "Hiwi the Kiwi Goes Fishing Show" visited the school and the children learnt about fishing for sustainability, kai moana and water safety. The children were encouraged to write stories about sustainability and water safety. The best story will win \$150 rod and reel and their story will be published nationwide.



What's happening ...

Disco - 30th October FREAKY FRIDAY



Come dressed in your best **FREAKY COSTUME!**
Spot prizes for the best dressed.

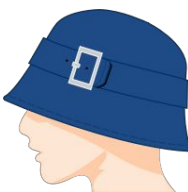
Junior: 3.30pm to 5pm

Senior: 5.30pm to 7pm

Entry by ticket only and these are available from the office for \$5 (includes a cheeseburger) Drinks, lollies and chippies for sale \$1-\$2. Senior School Fundraiser.

Hats on for Term 4

The School operates a Sun Safe Policy. This requires children to wear sun safe hats during the summer months (terms 1 and 4). Children are only permitted outside if they are wearing a sun hat. The school has some sun hats but not enough for all children, it is preferably to **bring a hat from home**. We also provide sun block for all children. We ask your support and assistance in encouraging children to be sun safe – i.e. to wear **sunblock and sunhats**.



Sports Update:

Touch - Cost \$15

Please have players there **15 minutes** before the game

4pm Year 1/2 and 3/4

F1a Levin North vs Coley Storm

F2a Coley Strikers vs Coley Snakes

4.40pm Year 5/6

F1 Poroutawhao vs Coley Vikings

F3 Coley Warriors vs Levin North

5.20pm Year 7/8

F1 Shannon vs Coley Cobras

Soccer - Cost \$10

Please have players there **15 minutes** before the game

3.30pm Coley Tiger vs East Tigers Red Yr1/2

4.05pm Coley Lions vs East Gunners Green Yr ¾

5.20pm Coley Sharks vs East United Turf 1 Yr ½

7.10pm Coley Warriors vs Koputaroa Yr 7 /8

➤ RETURN CUPS/TROPHIES FOR PRIZEGIVING

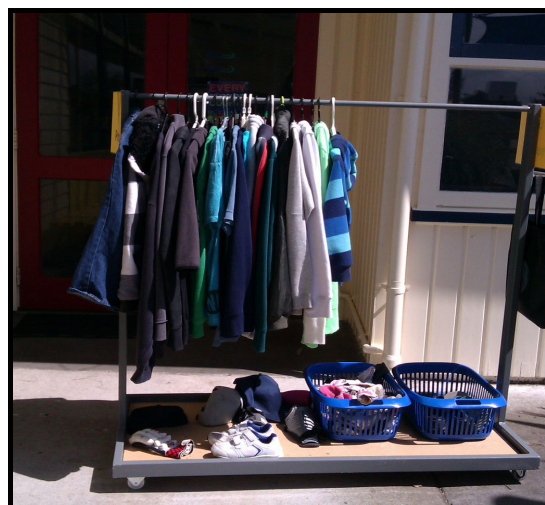
If you received a cup/trophy at last years End of Year Prizegiving would you please return it as soon as possible to the office.

➤ MONEY OWING TO THE SCHOOL

We recently sent out invoices for money owing to the school for various activities and sports registrations that are outstanding. We would appreciate these being paid as soon as possible to office please.

➤ Our new LOST PROPERTY trolley

Many thanks to Wayne James for his design and construction skills. hopefully this will make it easier for parents and children to find their missing clothing.



School / Community Notices

• Shannon Athletics

Shannon Athletics for children on Tuesdays in Terms 4 and 1, starting Tuesday 27th October for registration and orientation, 6.00pm to 7.15pm

Fees: Preschool \$10, School age \$15, Family \$40

New children from any and every school are most welcome.

All children under the age of 10 years must be supervised by someone over the age of 14 years.

Please ensure your child has a named water bottle and warm clothing.

Please direct any queries to Kate Drummond 06 3627591 or 027 4055236



COLEY STREET SCHOOL 'OPEN DAY'

Wednesday, 4th Nov 9.15am onwards



Parents, caregivers & whanau are welcome anytime during the day to visit your child's classroom, observe teaching and activities and talk with the teacher.

Prospective families and pre-school children are welcome.

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