



Coley Street School Newsletter

16th November 2015

Week 6

Principal's Post:

Dear Parents

The term is flying by with us in Week 6 and just 4 weeks remaining of the school year. This Friday we have our annual athletics sports at Manawatu College as our own grounds are being resurfaced.

The organisation details are given below for this.

Please also refer to our facebook site. Yesterday Coley Street School won the school section of the Foxton Lions beach run. The prize money will go towards next year's camps. Runners that were prominent were Hemi, Dominic, Eden, Hayley and Kaylah. Today a group of Leaders for next year will attend a regional Leadership course in Palmerston North.

Thank you to all parents and whanau who attended our volunteers night last Monday. There was an excellent turnout and miles of food for everyone and lovely weather.

Peter Kemp - Principal

Important Dates:

- 16/11 School Leaders conference in P North
- 20/11 Athletics Day (will be held at Manaw. College)
- 23/11 BOT meeting, 7pm
- 25/11 Junior Tabloid Sports
- 02/12 Interschool Athletics (Manaw. College)
- 03/12 Year 8 dinner, 6pm
- 04/12 Term 4 Awards Assembly
- 11/12 End of Year Prizegiving, 12.30pm
- 14/12 Picnic Day
- 14/12 Last day of Term

PB4L - focus for the week



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

Athletics

- participate in all events
- striving to do the best I can
- persevere even if it is challenging
- encourage others

Class Heart Winner

Senior - Room

Junior - Room

Manawa Card Draw

Senior: Gizaria - striving

Amy - striving

Junior: Breeze - thinking

Connor - proud

Staff: Marie Reille - caring

Sports Awards

Haylee - striving

Keely Rae - striving

Congratulations to all these people



Principal Award of the Week:

Leonard for striving to overcome a real barrier in his learning.



Students of the Week:

ROOM 1 - Logan - for **striving** in all subjects

ROOM 2 - Caelan for **striving** in his learning in math and literacy.

ROOM 3 - Trevor for **striving** in Public Speaking.

ROOM 4 - Ella for **striving** to do her best with athletics

ROOM 6 - Nikisha for **striving** in her story writing trying to sound out words. Super effort Nikisha.

ROOM 7 - Blake for **striving** in his learning.

ROOM 8 - Azaleah for settling into Coley Street School so well and **striving** to do his best work.

SENIOR LEARNING HUB - Mniah S for encouraging and **caring** for our Junior students while doing athletics;
Kaylah for **striving** in all areas of school life.

What's happening ...

Athletics Day

*Friday 20th November,
held at Manawatu College.*

8.45am - All students are to come to Coley Street School in the morning for roll call.

8.50am - Middle/Senior Classrooms will be transported to Manawatu College.

8.55am - Briefing of the day.

9.05am - Start of events

11am - Junior school will be transported to venue by bus.

1pm - Lunch

1.30pm - House relays

2.15pm - Return to Coley St by bus.

Please note:

Children:

- do not be late to school, you will miss the bus
- wear appropriate clothing, i.e shorts and t-shirts, bring a sunhat, drink bottle, lunch. No shop orders.

Parents:

If you wish to collect your child/children from Manawatu College, it must be at the completion of the day, and please inform their class teacher. This is very important - we must know where the children are at all times for safety reasons. We appreciate your co-operation.



*We are hoping to see lots of
parents there during the
day supporting the children.*

Sports Update:

Touch - Cost \$15

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

The draw for Wednesday is not yet available.

Soccer - Cost \$10

Please have players there **15 minutes** before the game. Draw for Thursday, 19th Nov:

3.30pm Coley Tigers

4.40pm Coley Lions

6.00pm Coley Sharks

7.10pm Coley Warriors

***Please pay your fees asap**, we now have EFTPOS in the school office for your convenience.

Coley Street School Winning Team at the "Footprints In The Sand" Fun Run

Eden, Hayley, Kaylah, Domonic and Hemi



Room 8 Stories

Room 8 went outside to watch the trucks, the digger, tractor and a big heavy machine digging up the grass. The man in the digger beeped his horn and waved at us. Room 8 saw the digger putting dirt into piles. The tractors were driving together and one was spitting all of the grass into the tractor. After the men went to the soccer field and tipped the dirt onto the piles. When they are finished digging up the grass they are going to level the ground and sow new grass then Coley Street School field will be nice and soft to play on. I liked the way one tractor tipped the dirt onto the piles of grass.

By McKaigha



Room 8 went to see the men. I liked all of the machines. I liked the tractors because they are the best thing I have ever seen.

By Timothy

Room 8 went outside to see the diggers, trucks and tractors too. We went out to see the trucks digging up the grass and putting the grass in dirt piles. Then we saw the diggers flattening the ground to sow new grass. When we went to see the trucks tipping dirt at the big dirt piles the man waved at us and beeped his horn.

By Kaleb

Room 8 went outside to look at the machines digging up the field. One of the men beeped the horn at us and waved. The men put the dirt in a pile. They are going to laser level our school field. I liked the big noises the machines made.

By Maria

Room 8 went out and watched the men and the digger digging up the grass. One man beeped the horn at us and said, "Hi". One machine was digging up the grass and putting it in piles. We saw the man levelling the dirt. The men are going to sow new grass. When they are finished we will have a flat playing field. My favourite part was the big digger.

By Alysha



Community / School Notices

GARAGE SALE

Lions Hall, Park Street, Foxton.

Saturday, 28th November

7am-4pm

Contact Greg Pond 3637649



'BREAKFAST WITH SANTA'

Held by the Foxton Te Awahou Lions

To be held on Saturday December 5th @ 8am at the Lions Club Hall, Park Street, Foxton.

For ages up to 9 years.

Tickets are \$10 to be purchased from the Foxton Library.

Contact 3637427 or 027 601 6596 for more information if needed



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