



COLEY ST SCHOOL



Week 8 – Monday 21st March

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Important Dates:

Tuesday 22nd March - Super 10 Rugby Tournament

Wednesday 23rd March - Ripper Rugby

Thursday 24th March - Teacher Only Day

Friday 25th March - Good Friday

Monday 28th March - Easter Monday

Tuesday 29th March - School Easter Holiday

Wednesday 30th March - Vision & Hearing Testing

Wednesday 30th March - ERO review begins

Friday 15th April - END OF TERM

Monday 2nd May - TERM 2 begins

From the Principal's Desk

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Dear Parents,

This morning we have a school wide show from the Strike Percussion group who are travelling the country. Wednesday we have a Ripper Rugby one day tournament at Easton Park for Years 5-8, which was postponed last week due to the weather.

This is a final reminder this Thursday is a teacher only day so children finish for Easter Wednesday after school and return Wednesday 30th when we have an important visit from the Education Review Office, who visit our school on a 3 yearly audit.



This is an opportunity for us to showcase all the good things happening at our school.

At the end of the visit the ERO team release a public report with a focus on Maori and student achievement.

Today we open a new reception class for some of our very new young students to assist them to transition into school. This will be opened in Room 10 and will be staffed by Catherine Brown until the end of term, when the position will be until the end of the year by a new teacher.

Peter Kemp - Principal



Students of the Week:

Room 2

Jeandre - **striving** to work independently and helping others with their learning.

Room 4

Torryn - for **striving** with her Literacy and Numeracy learning.

Junior Learning Hub

McKaigha - for using her **Thinking** and **Striving Hearts** in all her work.

Nikisha - for **striving** to do her best work.

Zavanaia - for using her **Thinking Heart** especially in storywriting.

Senior Learning Hub

Tsarine - for **caring** about others learning and trying to help peers understand math strategies.

Lukhan - for sharing his ideas with writing.

Kaylah - for **caring** about others learning and trying to help peers understand math strategies.

School Notices ...



A reminder that school is closed:
Thursday for a Teacher Only Day;
Good Friday and Easter Monday; and also
Tuesday 29th which is a School Easter Holiday

Ripper Rugby Tournament

Due to bad weather this was postponed last week and will be this Wednesday at Easton Park. Children must come to school first and we will all walk there in a group at 9am. Kick-off is 9.30am and there will be a swim at the end of the day. Please send your child with their lunch, drink bottle, togs, and towel.

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Focus of the Week

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

Using our **thinking, caring and proud** hearts by remembering to use our manners



All Settings

- Be polite
- Welcome visitors to our school
- Wait patiently for our turn
- Use a quiet voice
- Ask permission to use the phone

Class Heart Winners

Middle Hub
Senior Hub
Well done everyone! Keep it up!

Manawa Card Draw

Senior: Maddison – striving
Vettori – thinking
Middle – Te Ratapu – thinking
Jesse – thinking

Junior: Alexis – striving
Ben – thinking

Sport: Jordan C – striving

Staff: Mary Colling – caring



Progress on our 'Fitness Trail'

Our fitness trail is coming along really nicely and will be a facility that all of our community can use.

At this stage until we have all safety specifications in place, it cannot be used but people are welcome to utilise our track.

Once the fitness trail is finished and ready to use, we will have an official opening which is currently set down for Wednesday 6th April.

Most of the cost of the trail was funded by Pelorus Trust who we will acknowledge at our opening.

Community Notices & Local Events

- Foxton Fair EASTER SUNDAY
- WAITARERE BEACH FESTIVAL - Saturday 26th March
- DISCO - Foxton Primary School Fundraiser - 'April Fool's Theme'
5 to 7.30pm \$2 entry

"Always our Best"

"Caring, Thinking, Striving & Proud"

"We have an Obligation to learn"

"We have an Obligation to help others learn"