



# NEWSLETTER

Monday 2 September 2024  
Term 3, Week 7

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### Term Dates:

**Term 1:** Wednesday 31 Jan - Friday 12 April  
**Term 2:** Monday 29 April - Friday 5 July  
**Term 3:** Monday 22 July - Friday 27 September  
**Term 4:** Monday 14 October - Friday 13 December

### Important Dates

- **Friday 6th Sept - School Cross Country**
- **Wednesday 11th September - Kere Kere Kapa Haka Festival**
- **Monday 16th September - Interschool Cross Country at Coley Street**
- **Friday 27th Sept - Term awards assembly**

### From the Principal's Desk

Dear Families,

Last week in assembly we were able to celebrate a number of achievements in our school.

Firstly in netball the year 7 / 8 A team went unbeaten all season, firstly winning the intermediate grade and then being promoted to the college C grade, where they stayed unbeaten. Thank you to Shannon Chambers for all of her hard work.

Our year 5 / 6 yellow team ably coached by Rebecca Wanoa also stayed unbeaten all season, until the final, which they narrowly lost by 2 points.

The Rylie Gulliver talent quest was held mid week at Manawatu College, where we had 4 entries who all performed extremely well. However our senior dance group of 4 was placed 2nd overall.

On Thursday, we had 2 teams of 4 competitors( years 7 / 8) who went in the police competency test for schools and performed extremely well.

Over the next 2 weeks we have 3 large events. Firstly, this Friday starting at 9.30am we have the school x country competition starting with the Year 1 at 9.30am and progressing through to the Year 8, which should be completed before lunch at 12.45pm. There will be no assembly that day.

Next Wednesday 11th September we host the Kere Kere Kapahaka festival at our school starting with a 9.30am powhiri followed by morning tea. The programme gets underway at 10.30am with 14 performances throughout the day.

The following Monday, September 16th, we host the Interschool Cross Country at Coley Street School, starting at 10.15am with the year 4 girls and progressing to the year 8's.

Assembly will be Thursday this week because of our cross country on Friday.

This is a reminder to parents who have offered to assist with catering at the kapa Haka festival, please meet at our school hall at about 8.30am, next Wednesday 11th September.

On the day we have hangis to purchase at \$5 each and there will be a Thai Fusion food van and coffee van available for purchases.

Peter Kemp - Principal



## Welcome to ...

A warm welcome to our new students this week :

Room 5 - Jaeden Rupene

Room 7 -Sapphire Jones

### School Absences

Please phone through by 9am daily

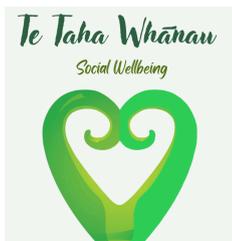
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## Positive Behaviour 4 Learning Focus of the Week

### PB4L Focus of the Week ...



- Caring for each other and new children
- Looking after our school facilities
- Being good representatives of our school in the big events

### Kaupapa Cards

Kakapo

Pauly - Taha Wairua

Weka

Arleah - Taha Wairua

Takahe

Hunter - Taha Wairua

Kiwi

Gurjot - Taha Whanau

## Students of the Week:

**Room 2:** Addison for her positive attitude and enthusiasm towards her learning, *taha wairua*.

**Phoebe** for her excellent effort and making great progress in her reading, *taha wairua*.

**Room 3:** Lilly Mae, *Taha Whanau* - being kind and helping her friends in their work.

**Room 4:** Jordan, for making good choices this week. *Taha Whanau*

**Room 5:** Tere for using his *Taha Hinengaro* and striving to improve his independent writing.

**Room 6:** Harper for her positive attitude and enthusiasm in her writing. *Taha wairua*.

**Room 7:** Temanawa for making a great start to school.

**Room 10:** Jaydon *Taha Hinegnaro* making great choices and not being distracted.

**Senior Hub:** Elizabeth for *taha whānau*, always willing to help whenever needed

Anahera for *taha hinengaro* - always having a positive attitude.

## Kia Kaha, Kia Manawanui

COLEY STREET SCHOOL KAUPAPA



Te Taha Whānau

Social Wellbeing



Te Taha Wairua

Spiritual Wellbeing



Te Taha Hinengaro

Mental Wellbeing



Te Taha Tinana

Physical Wellbeing





**PCT Challenge team** - The PCT is an event run each year with teams of intermediate age students participating in a variety of mental and physical challenges.

## School Notices

- **Head lice are back!**

**PLEASE CHECK YOUR CHILDREN'S HAIR**

**Free** head-lice treatment and information is available at the school office.

Anyone can 'catch' head lice, they spread very quickly throughout the family and everyone at school is at risk (including staff). We ask parents to do regular hair checks to effectively manage the problem. If identified at school we ask parents to collect their child and treat before returning, we really appreciate this as a duty of care to all the other children. Remember one treatment is not enough, the eggs hatch in cycles and treatment should be repeated in 7 days. Daily wet fine-tooth combing with conditioner is key.



- **CROSS COUNTRY - Friday 6th Sept**

We begin with the Juniors at 9.30am and then progress through the year groups to year 7/8's.

We cannot tell you the start times of the races as we wait until each runner has finished before moving to the next year group but we hope to be finished by 12.45pm.

Parents / whanau are welcome to attend.

The first 4 runners in each age group from year 4 - 8 will be selected for the inter school event on Monday 16th September here at Coley Street School.



# Coley Street School invites



**All Kerekere Cluster Schools, Kōhanga Reo and Childcare Centres to the Bi-Annual Kapa Haka Festival!**

**September 11th**

**Pōwhiri at 9.30am**



A celebration  
of our  
students  
learning.

