



NEWSLETTER

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Term 2, Week 5

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<p><u>Important Dates:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Monday 26 May - Powhiri for Mr Kemp in Taupo • Saturday 31 May - Foxton Rugby Family Fun Day at Coley Street School • Monday 2 June - PUBLIC HOLIDAY • Wednesday 18 June - Te Ao Maori Celebration Day at Foxton Primary 	

From the Principal's Desk

Dear Families,

On Monday a group of us travelled to Taupo to attend Mr Kemp's powhiri as he starts his new position as Manager for REAP. It was a long trip there and back but one that was worth it. Our students represented the school with pride. The powhiri was a very moving experience and one that made us all appreciate Mr Kemp's legacy of 15 years of leadership.

Coley Street School has a great culture established from that leadership.

We are a school who values participation in sports. Being part of a team teaches children skills not only in the code they play but also how to work together, having commitment and responsibility in achieving a common goal. We are a school that focuses on students succeeding academically.



Our teachers have just undertaken 3 days of intensive professional development in Structured literacy and now have a further 8 workshops to attend after school to become better practitioners in the classroom. Just as we learn new things we also encourage our students to be risk takers and to do the best they can each day. Another special feature of Coley Street School is the ability of our school community to come together for our students. This Saturday the Foxton Rugby Club is hosting a Whanau sports day at the school. You are welcome to come along and join in. Bring the family and some kai along with an expectation to have some fun. Thank you, Bonnie and Patricia, the organisers of this day. We really do have a great school community.

Tina Maclean - Acting Principal

Welcome to the Coley Street Team ~

A big welcome to our New Teacher **Mr Jade Cullen** who will be teaching in Room 5, also to **Erika Harwood** as a Teacher Aide, and to **Pa Kim** who is returning to support students in the Senior Hub.

Positive Behaviour 4 Learning Focus of the Week

<p>PB4L Focus of the Week ...</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Making our new students welcome</i> • <i>Enjoying being back with our classmates</i> • <i>Including everyone in our games and activities</i> 	<p><u>Kaupapa Cards</u></p> <p><i>Kakapo</i> <i>Pauly - Taha Wairua</i> <i>Weka</i> <i>Jesse Leigh - Taha Tinana</i> <i>Takahe</i> <i>Isaiah - Taha Whanau</i> <i>Kiwi</i> <i>Arlo - Taha Hinengaro</i></p>
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Students of the Week:

- **Room 1:** **Samuel Harvey** **Taha Whanau** -for his kindness and fairness with others
- **Room 2:** **Hudson Wright** **Taha Whanau** -for being an amazing role model and supportive classmate
- **Room 3:** **Zaira** for always using **Taha Hinengaro** and doing her best work.
- **Room 4:** **Rydge** for his writing on Matariki. **Taha Hinengaro**
- **Room 5:** **Sophia** for always being so helpful in class, Taha Wanau
- **Room 6:** **Ayla-Blue Te Tau** **Taha Whanau** for settling well into her new school environment and sharing her thoughts in class discussions.
- **Room 7:** **Jessie-Lee**
- **Senior Hub:** **Mason Graham** **Taha Hinengaro** for striving to do his best in all areas of learning.
Jay Te Tau **Taha Hinengaro** for striving to do his best in all areas of learning.
- **Art:** **Corrina** for showing **Taha Wairua** in her Matariki Art by expressing herself through her chosen symbols.

Acknowledging positive behaviours

Kaupapa cards are given to students who have exhibited one of the following behaviours:

- **Te Taha Whānau**: looking after each other.
- **Te Taha Wairua**: doing things that look after our own spiritual well being, such as self-regulating to keep calm.
- **Te Taha Hinengaro**: looking after our mental wellbeing, such as trying hard in class.
- **Te Taha Tinana**: looking after our physical wellbeing.

Students collect their kaupapa cards during the week and put them in the House draw at assembly each Friday. Students have a kaupapa card drawn out and they select a prize from the prize box.



School Notices

● PARENT PORTAL

The Ministry of Education has a new webspace on education.govt.nz with practical videos, activities and resources for supporting learning that are easy to understand, and helps parents take an active role in your child's education. Parents will know exactly what your child is learning, why it's important, and when they will be learning it, so that you can actively support and complement your child's learning at home and have meaningful conversations with the child's teacher or kaiako.

As the national curriculum continues to be updated and implemented in all schools and kura over the next few years, more resources and support will become available for parents, caregivers and whanau. We encourage you to visit the new webspace and check out the current resources, guides and videos available.

● SCHOOL PHOTOS

Parents/caregivers have been emailed their child's unique Keycode to go online to view and purchase 2025 School Photos.

Check your trash/spam folder.

FREE DELIVERY EXPIRES midnight Sunday 8 June 2025

If you have not received this yet please contact the school office as we have a master list of key codes.

How to VIEW and PURCHASE your photographs

1. Go to www.photolife.co.nz
2. Click on "Order Online"
3. Enter your secure Key Code: (as sent to you or contact the office)
4. Click on "Order Products" to see ALL child's photos
5. Pay online

● LATE TO SCHOOL ... 8.45am start

A large number of children are late to school everyday!!!!

Please get your children to school on time as being late is disruptive for everyone, important notices and instructions for the day are missed and it makes it difficult for children to settle in and participate in the school day.

There is also a concern around safety when children do not turn up in the morning so please ring the office if your child is going to be late or not coming to school.





Kings Birthday Weekend

FOXTON RUGBY CLUB FAMILY FUN DAY

Saturday, 31st May
Coley Street School, 10am onwards

Get ready for a day of bonding, making memories, and enjoying a wide range of fun-filled activities. Free day to spend with the family



Bring a picnic



Join in fun filled activities



Family bonding

Come down for a game of Basketball, Netball, Tball, Tug of war, Ripper Rugby, Touch Rugby and many more..... Day full of sports, laughter and bonding. Keep the kids off the streets. Bring a picnic and just chill watching the kids play.
For all ages 0 to 100