



NEWSLETTER

MISSION: Together we will encourage, challenge and inspire each other towards a love of learning.

Central School

Te Kura Waenga o Ngāmotu

Mā te ākonga te iti kahurangi e whai atu

Strive for excellence

6 April 2016

Ngā mihi ki te whānau o te Kura Waenga o Ngāmotu

STRIKE

It was noisy, varied and full of learning about percussion. The concert was interactive while also requiring the audience to appreciate the music. Our special thanks to the performers who gave the Pasifika students their own mini workshop on the Cook Island drums after the show.



PASIFIKA DRESS UP DAY

Thank you to all the families who supported Room One's Pasifika dress up day. The students have raised \$210 to send to Fiji to help with the massive clean up after the devastation of Cyclone Winston.

WELCOME TO MRS PHILIPPA FAIRCLOUGH

The Board of Trustees is delighted to welcome Philippa to Te Kura Waenga O Ngāmotu team next term. Philly has been teaching at Vogeltown School for 17 years and we are delighted she is heading down Carrington Street to join us. Room 4 students will receive their student achievement report and have their achievement conferences with Mrs Ellis next week. All other classes will be receiving theirs at the end of May.

HEALTH PROGRAMME CONSULTATION

The Board of Trustees is required to consult regularly on the health programmes your children are receiving. Please find attached an outline of

our Health programmes and a questionnaire for you to rank what you believe are the most important programmes to be covered. Thank you for your support in completing and returning the survey. I am very happy to meet with you separately if you would like to have further discussion about programmes in Health at school.

BOARD OF TRUSTEE ELECTIONS

The Board of Trustees, a group of elected community representatives, has highly valued and experienced members stepping down. Are you keen to be involved with the governance of the school? Nominations will be called for next term but in the meantime please feel free to ring our Board Chair, Cara Gelston on 021053869 for further information.



TANGAROA RIVER TRIPS

The Tangaroa students have been gathering, identifying, collating, documenting, questioning and drawing conclusions about the life in the river. They have been so fortunate to have the help of Kevin Archer of the Taranaki Regional Council and wonderful parents and grandparents who joined them at the river. Next week they will compare their findings at a different spot further downstream.



RUNWAY CENTRAL - GET YOUR TICKETS!

Friday 15 April @ the Plymouth Hotel
7.30pm, doors open at 7pm
VIP Seats – \$30 inc Goody Bag
General Admission – \$20
Tickets available to purchase from the office this week.

CAN YOU HELP?

VIP attendees at Runway Central are provided with a goody bag and have preferential seating. Everybody has a chance to win spot prizes. There are raffles for sale all in support of Central School. If any families are able to contribute to the spot prizes, raffles, samples or vouchers for Goody bags we would be most grateful. Please drop them to the office. Sonya Cole, 021477692 is happy to be contacted if you need further information.



PERFORMER CONGRATULATIONS - Nadiana, Helen and Tayen are part of the first hip hop crew from

Taranaki to go to a SDNZ (Street Dance New Zealand) qualifying regionals.

The Kadetz crew, from Tansi Productions School of Entertainment, was placed second in the Junior Division in Hawkes Bay over the weekend and will now be heading to Auckland for the Nationals at the end of the month. The girls will be up against previous world junior champions, *Bubblegum* from The Palace Dance Studios, the home of internationally renowned Hip Hop Queen Parris Goebel, choreographer for Justin Bieber's *Sorry*. Tayen, although not pictured is also in TP Kadetz crew and will be travelling to Auckland for the Nationals, but due to her Oceanic Karate commitments she did not compete at Regionals.

SCHOOL LUNCHES ARE BEING DELIVERED DAILY!

Deliveries are arriving at 12.20 pm to excited students each day. Lunches are available every day of the week by ordering online.

All you need do, the first time, is visit www.lunchonline.co.nz and

1. Register an account
2. Add members- set up your child/ren
3. Make a payment so there are funds in your account
4. Place an order

Thereafter, once you have made an internet or credit card payment, you link to Central School and order your options.

Orders need to be in 9.00 a.m.

EMAILS

We send out, not only newsletters but other reminders to all families through our email. A large number of emails are returning to us. If you have changed your email, please remember to let us know. So too any change of phone number or address is really important

PLAYING AT SCHOOL AFTER SCHOOL

It was magic the other day to see heaps of families meeting at the playground after school and enjoying the community facilities.

As a health and safety precaution I do need to inform families regularly that the only children who are playing at school are either supervised, or have been home first and then come back to school with their caregivers' permission.

Please don't let that stop you using the playground.the more the merrier and the more kaitiaki we have, the less chance of vandalism.

SPORT NOTICES

UNIFORM RETURNS

It's that time again! Football and Touch have now finished so can all uniforms please be returned to the school hall from 8.30am to 9am on Friday morning? The remaining uniforms will be recalled as the sport finishes. Uniforms must be clean and returned in a named plastic bag. Many thanks, Rox and Crissie

Thank you!

A BIG thank you to all of the parents who have supported summer sport this term. The children are lucky to have your support and commitment, resulting in more children playing and enjoying their sport.

SPORTS REPORTS

Indoor netball

The **Central Ferns** and the **Central Flyers** came up against each other on Friday night. It was a very close game with both teams playing some great netball, however the Ferns edged out the Flyers 3-1.

The **Central Mystics** had a hard fought match against Kaimata falling 6 points short with a final school of 7-13.

Inline hockey

Both of the Central inline hockey teams are improving each week and enjoying being out on the rink. Some members of the teams attend a weekly skills session on a Sunday at the East End Rink which enables the players to learn more about inline hockey and transfer these skills into their games.

WINTER FOOTBALL REGISTRATION IMPORTANT!!!!

If your child is playing winter football this year you need to register them as a player online. Please go to the Central Football Website www.centralfootball.co.nz.

- Go to the Taranaki section of the website
- Scroll down the noticeboard to find where it says 'Registration for club/school players is now open'.
- Click on read more then click on Central School. This will take you to the registration page. Any questions please come and see me in room 3.

DATES FOR DIARY

April 11 - Tangaoroa River Trip 2

April 14 - School open day 11.00 a.m- stay and bring your lunch too

April 15 - Term One ends

May 02 - Term Two commences

June 06- Queen's birthday holiday Monday ss

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Please note that these notices are circulated for your information and at the request of the community groups/ businesses advertised. The school is not recommending nor advising attendance at any of the programmes, nor recommending the use of any product/ service. We are happy to drop this service if families prefer. Do let us know.

Jennian Homes Mothers Day Fun Run/ Walk

We would love our school to benefit from the healthy heart message and be in to win a share of \$50,000 Rebel Sport vouchers.

All you need to do is spread the word to our school community and ask them to nominate our school when they register online for the event.

The primary school with the most nominations in the Taranaki region will win \$2,500 of Rebel Sport vouchers to purchase sporting equipment, promoting exercise and healthy habits to our students.

Terms and conditions apply. Visit jennian.co.nz

Kelly Sports Holiday Programme is running from Monday 18 April - Friday 29 April 8.30am till 5.00pm at Mangorei School Hall. Lots of fun activities including Rippa Rugby Skills, Soccer skills with Team Taranaki Player Vinnie Sharp, trip day to Bowlarama and much much more! Visit our website www.kellysports.co.nz to book online. Please email Bridget for more information bridget@kellyclub.co.nz.

Winter Tennis at Pukekura

Our very popular **School Holiday Programme** runs from Tue 26 – Fri 29 April. Register at www.blitztennis.co.nz Open to all students aged 5-17, with or without tennis experience. A fun and healthy way to keep occupied over the holidays!

Winter Coaching will be on Tuesday afternoons during terms 2 and 3. Suitable for beginners from

4 years, up to experienced interclub players. Kids train in small groups with others of a similar age and ability. Keep ahead of the competition by continuing your coaching over the winter! New members, and members of other tennis clubs, are very welcome to our winter programmes. For more information and online registration please go to www.blitztennis.co.nz or phone Vicki Haylock ph 06 759 4696 or 021 172 0622

BASKETBALL CAMP

Basketball Taranaki is inviting all Basketball players from the ages of 8-15 to attend a 2 day Basketball Camp in Taranaki. There are 2 camps to choose from:

New Plymouth (TSB Stadium) – Monday/Tuesday (25th/26th April) or/and

Stratford (War Memorial Hall) – Thursday/Friday (28th/29th April)

Taranaki's young Basketball players will be exposed to top level coaching throughout the camps.

Holiday Hoops will consist of skill stations, rules sessions, modified basketball games and much more. We welcome players of all abilities.

Mountainair's Game Tickets will be up for grabs!!

Timetable:

The camp will go from **10am to 2.30pm** each day.

Morning Sessions 10:00am –

12:00pm

Lunch 12:00 – 12:30

Afternoon Sessions 12:30pm – 2:30pm

Lunch: BYO

Registration: To register in one or both of the camps please visit the Basketball Taranaki Inc. Website <http://basketballtaranaki.co.nz/>. Under Online Registrations.

Cost: \$60.00 (Inc. GST) per player per camp or \$35.00 per day.

Please deposit this fee when you register. Payment can be made through internet banking or cash on the day. Account details are as follows:

Account Name: Basketball Taranaki

Account number: 15-3947-0479150-00

Reference: 'playername' Holiday Hoops

*If you prefer to use another payment method please contact me

Ages: 8-15

There are limited spaces so get your registrations in quick. If you have any queries feel free to give me a call on 06 7590 930 ext. 730 or email vanessa.mccarthy@sporttaranaki.org.nz.