



Dream Wawata

Persevere Manawanui

Succeed Whakatutuki

Term Four – Week 4 – Monday 8 November 2021

Welcome to Week 4

WORKING BEE

A HUGE Thank you to all those who came to our Working Bee on Saturday. We know that everyone is 'busy', and that everyone had other things they could have been doing, but we really appreciated the few that gave up their time to help. We managed to cross most jobs off the list, and an extra thanks to the BOT for supplying the yummy lunch.

Working Bee



SCHOOL SWIMMING

Our School Pool is now warm enough to swim in. Children may bring their swimming gear in a bag to school each day. Please ensure all items are clearly named, including their school uniform.

SWIMMING POOL KEYS

Swimming Pool Keys are available from the Office for \$50 for the summer season. If you still have your key from last year and wish to keep it for this season, please pay **\$50** to the office before you use it. Also make contact with Andy to update your Pool Key form. If you do not wish to use your key, please return it to school ASAP so it can be issued to other families.

STAFFING UPDATE

Due to the unpredictable and serious nature of a concussion injury, Kimberly Zwagerman is teaching four days per week in Ruma Awa and Whaea Caylieh is teaching the remaining day. Other days when Whaea Caylieh is at school will be spent working with individuals or small groups. We will update you as, and when this arrangement changes.

SPCA MUFTI DAY

Thank you all for your generous donations for the SPCA. The money donated, and pet food will be taken into the SPCA later this week.

JUICIES

Our Year 8 students will be selling Juicies on Wednesday this week to help fundraise for their Year 8 Camp.



TEACHER ONLY DAY

School will be closed on Monday 29 November for a Teacher Only Day.

YEAR 6-8 LEADERSHIP PRESENTATIONS

On Tuesday 30 November at 1pm, Year 6-8 children will present their Leadership journeys towards their Bronze, Silver and Gold Medals.

PRIZE GIVING

Our School Prize Giving is to be held on Wednesday 15 December in the early evening. The format is still to be confirmed, but we have a number of scenarios depending on the Alert level we are at. We are not planning on holding a 'virtual' prize giving though, so please keep this night free to help celebrate our children's successes.

SCHOOL TROPHIES

Please return any School trophies to Mrs McKenzie by the end of the week. Thank you.

Drummond School Golf Committee

Fire Extinguishers for Sale

\$150 each

A HUGE thank you to Michael Marron from Firewatch, who generously donated 12 Fire Extinguishers for us to sell.

Please contact Tania on 027 671 2065 if you would like to purchase one



CARNIVAL DAY

On Friday 12th November Ruma Maunga will be holding a Carnival Day for everyone at School.



Some of the food they will be selling is candy floss, lollies, Spiders and baking.

They will also be holding games to do like ... balloon darts, boot throwing, obstacle courses, sock wrestling and a sandpit dig.



The Carnival will be held between morning tea and lunch and the stalls will be around the front of the school.

Remember to bring your pocket money!

UPCOMING EVENTS

NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Carnival Afternoon - Senior Activity Stalls - Mufti Day <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Friday 12th CSC Dean Visiting School <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Friday 19th GATE Leadership at Adventure Southland (students will be notified if they are nominated for this) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Friday 19th 	Year 8 Overnight Camp <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Thursday 9th - Friday 10th Christmas Talent Show <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Monday 13th - 1pm Reports Home <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wednesday 8th Prize Giving <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wednesday 15th <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Time to be confirmed Water Fun Day

<p>Crazy Hat Day - Ronald McDonald House Fundraiser</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Friday 26th <p>Teacher Only Day</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Monday 29th <p>Leadership Presentations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tuesday 30th - 1pm 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Thursday 16th - Whole School <p>Last Day of the Year</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Friday 17th - Pack up day - Seniors <p>Teacher Only Day</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Monday 20th
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Whakatauki	Values	Cultural Competencies T ā taiako
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<p>Whaowhia te kete m ā tauranga</p> <p>Fill your basket of knowledge</p>	<p>RESILIENCE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bounce back from adversity Take risks Growth mindset Mistakes are learning opportunities Being optimistic 'Don't sweat the small stuff' 	<p>WHANAUNGATANGA</p> <p>Communication of personal information; parents, grandparents</p>
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REMINDERS

<p>CLOTHING</p> <p>We have noticed children coming to school without their sunhats. Please make sure your child is wearing suitable clothing for these warmer days and that all items of clothing are clearly named.</p>	<p>SCHOOL UNIFORM</p> <p>If you have any items of School Uniform that are no longer suitable for your child, we would love these items at school. We have had numerous new enrolments, and our supplies of second hand uniforms are low.</p>	<p>SCHOOL FOOTWEAR</p> <p>Children are to wear black shoes with their main school Uniform, and sneakers with their sports uniform. Black 'closed' toe sandals, with some sort of back strap, are suitable for summery days - no Jandals please.</p>
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<p>STATIONARY</p> <p>ALL items of stationery are supplied by the school. An account is sent home at the end of each term with supplies itemised. Payments can be made either when the account is sent, or an ongoing payment plan can be set up. Please see Andy if you have any queries.</p>	<p>KICKSTART BREAKFAST</p> <p>We are a 'Kickstart Breakfast' School, thanks to the support of Fonterra and Sanitarium. Weetbix, Milk and Milo is available before school each day in the Staffroom.</p>	<p>YEAR 7 & 8 TECHNOLOGY</p> <p>Our Year 7 and 8 students attended Technology at Winton School for the final time this year in Week Two.</p>
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<p>DRUMMOND STAFF</p> <p>Ruma Maunga - Ellen Ross Ruma Awa - Whaea Caylieh Ruma Papa -M-Th - Lianne de Wolde-Hartley - Fri - Amy Banks Teacher Aide/Cleaner- Ruth Dyer Teacher Aide - Sally Hamilton Office Administrator/Teacher Aide - Andy Watt Reading Recovery Teacher - Ashley McCrostie Principal - Tania McKenzie</p>	<p>BOARD OF TRUSTEES</p> <p>Paul Cochran - Chairperson Robbie Clarke Carla O'Meara Hamish Beer Ruth Dyer Hemi Pickett Brad Lindsay</p>	<p>ABSENCES</p> <p>Please use School APP to let us know if your child is not going to be at school. Please remember to also explain WHY they won't be at school, as we need to code absences as part of National School Attendance records. Please send your message by 9am.</p>
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