



## MAUNU SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER 10 Thursday 13 August 2020 [www.maunu.school.nz](http://www.maunu.school.nz)

Tena koutou, greetings to you all

*"People will forget what you said; people will forget what you did, but people will never forget how you made them feel."*

**Board of Trustees:** The Board of Trustees extends a warm welcome to new member Rachel Wright, who has been selected to fill the vacancy left when Steve Capper moved to Australia earlier this year. Rachel brings a wealth of experience to the board and the school community. Rachel has a child in the junior school. We look forward to Rachel's contributions to the workings of the board, especially with the very busy times ahead.

The wild and wet Northland weather is certainly with us at this time! It is a good idea to ensure children have a change of clothes and come to school ready to cope with the wind and rain. By keeping dry and warm we can hopefully keep the winter bugs away, but please remember that in these current times if your child is unwell please do not send them to school. The advice we have been given from the Ministries of Education and Health is if they come over to the office with sniffles and coughs we should be sending them home. This can be disruptive for all, so it is best to make the call in the morning. Hopefully we will be through this cold weather soon and we can enjoy some sun and warmth free of winter ills.

### **Covid 19 Level 2 information:**

On Wednesday, at midday, we went back into Level 2. This means there are some restrictions we have to put in place to meet the Ministry of Health guidelines. These include:

**Contact Tracing** - We have the Covid19 QR code around the school for people to use. Anyone coming on site must fill in the contact register in either the classroom or the office whether you use the QR code or not.

**Visitors & Parents:** School personnel (children and staff) have dispensation with the 2m distancing rule, however parents and visitors must maintain the 2m distance. To manage this, we ask that people only come on site if they need to. It is not that we don't want you here, but we have to know who is here at all times.

**Pick Up & Drop Off:** Please be extra careful during these times. The school car park continues to be a chaotic place, sometimes made worse by people waiting in their cars and expecting children to cross the car park. With SUVs and other large vehicles this is a recipe for disaster. We have staff on duty in the afternoons, so please respect their directions and advice. Please do not expect your child to cross Austin Road on their own (morning or afternoon). If you park on the far side, you need to cross your child over or come across and get them. We certainly hope we will be through this in a short period of time. In the meantime, we all need to work together and support each other. I feel for those businesses that may have to revise their work conditions and again, strongly urge people to **support local**.

Be Kind, Be Safe, Be Caring  
Arohanui  
**Paul Shepherd, Principal**

### TERM 3 DATES

- 18 August School Cross Country – **11am**
- 20 August School Cross Country p.p date
- 31 August Teacher Only Day – **NO SCHOOL**
- 8 September School Photos
- **25 September Last Day of Term 3**

### TERM DATES 2020

- Term 3 End: Friday 25<sup>th</sup> September
- Term 4 Start: Monday 12<sup>th</sup> October
- Labour Day: Monday 26<sup>th</sup> October
- Term 4 End: **TBC**

### FULL SCHOOL ASSEMBLY

- There will be **NO** whole school assembly this Friday the 14<sup>th</sup> due to the current alert level 2.

### WELCOME TO MAUNU SCHOOL

- Hello **Hazel Hati, Leon Vickery and Zahra Miller** – a big Maunu School welcome to you and your families.
- We look forward to making great school memories with you all.





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## CERTIFICATE WINNERS – 31 JULY

<b>Rm 1</b>	Shanae Cremer Lilly Matson	Freya Milicich Braxton Seymour
<b>Rm 2</b>	Brayden Earney Jayde Tamariki	Joseph Bai Asya Doganay
<b>Rm 3</b>	Tara White-Hughes Charlie Green	William Hardwick Emma Reynolds
<b>Rm 4</b>	Emma Riley Madeline Parr	Grace Adamson Austin Wright
<b>Rm 5/6</b>	Marley Allen-Andersen Lawrence Su Angadvir Minhas Kristen Levy	Noraiz Malik Braxton Caske Wiremu Barton Holly Herbert
<b>Rm 8</b>	Eddie Wong Kingston Baigent	Alijah Bond Nixon Hood
<b>Rm 9</b>	Dawid Weiland Macey Guildray	Neeva Pala Charlie Bell
<b>Rm 10</b>	Ruby Marris Vicky Su	William Whitehorn Blake Dickens
<b>Rm 11</b>	Christian Johnson Jamiee McCallum-Schoenmaekers Moana Timoti-Hohaia	Abeeha Chaudhry
<b>Rm 12</b>	Mikaera Matthews-Borrell Leila Higgison	Ashlee Walden Willow Gallichan
<b>Rm 13</b>	Vivienne Frank Summer Roberts	Jack Rountree Corin Thomas
<b>Rm 14</b>	Fabian Ritchie-Warren Isla Robertson	Kyson Caske Tilly Feary

## CROSS COUNTRY

- School Cross Country is due to be held on Tuesday the 18<sup>th</sup> of August at Barge Park – **11am start**.
- We are still looking for helpers so if you are able to help out with this please call the school office on 4388060 and we will add you to the list.
- We will keep you posted as to whether the Cross Country will proceed due to the current Covid 19 status and the requirements around gatherings.



## SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR

- The Scholastic Book Fair will be held in term 4 this year. We will send out all the details once we have times and dates.

## WEDNESDAY LUNCH ORDERS

- Good news from Lunchonline that they have sourced a new provider – Hole in one Café.
- They will be ready to start delivering lunches to Maunu School from Wednesday 26 August so keep an eye out for their new menu.



## FRIDAY SAUSAGE SIZZLE AND TUESDAY SUSHI

- There will be **NO** Friday Sausage Sizzle or Tuesday Sushi orders under alert level 2.

## MAUNU'S GOT TALENT YR 4-6

- Last chance next Friday to get your Maunu's Got Talent Registration Forms in. Forms available from the school office and once they have been filled in and parents permission given then please place them in the MGT box in the school office **before 12.30pm Friday the 21<sup>st</sup> of August**.



## PTA FUNDRAISER

- Label your belongings using these Cute personalised name labels.
- They are very sticky, waterproof and laundry safe. Simply pick Maunu School under fundraising and then continue on to place your order. [preciouslabels.co.nz](http://preciouslabels.co.nz)



## TE MANAWA SCHEDULE TERM 3

- Te Manawa Tahī is a learning support hub where you can come in and talk to education professionals about your child's learning needs. This is a free service.

13/8/20	Barnardos, 2 Armstrong Avenue, Maunu, Whangarei 0110	Dargaville Primary School, State Highway 12, Dargaville	9:00am – 12:00pm
19/8/20	Archie Bull Hall Kaiwaka, 11 Kaiwaka - Mungahai Rd	Hukerenui School, 9 Crows Nest Road, Hukerenui 0182	Back 2 Basics, Maungatapu 9:00am – 12:00pm
20/8/20	Barnardos, 2 Armstrong Avenue, Maunu, Whangarei 0110	Aranga School, Aranga, Dargaville	9:00am – 12:00pm