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NEWSLETTER TERM 1 WEEK 7: Friday | Rāmere 26 March 2021

Kia Ora, mālō e lelei, talofa lava, kia orana, kamusta, salam, mingabala

Nau mai, welcome new students to the Tāmaki whānau: R3 Biancca, R1 Lucia & Vaughn and R4 Peter! We are super proud of all students as they continue on their learning journeys ☺ Thank you parents/whānau for supporting our wonderful staff with your connection-making and encouraging your children with their AKO.

Learning bling...

Last Friday we were super happy to have held a kanohi ki te kanohi school assembly where we could celebrate learning! WHANAUNGATANGA - singing, sharing and celebrating learning is so important for being part of the Tāmaki Primary School whānau.

Congratulations to those students who received their School Values Certificates! I was super proud to read the teachers' citations about tamariki who are bringing to life our Values in their learning and development: AKO, MANAAKITANGA, WHANAUNGATANGA, MANA TĀNGATA and KAITIAKITANGA!

Congratulations to the Student Leaders who received their badges (those who were away, will certainly receive theirs too) and we love your creativity!

Congratulations to our Summer Learning Journey recipients for their digital learning mahi.



Thank you to our Travelwise Leader Mrs Jalili and the Travelwise Students! With the support of Auckland Transport and the Travelwise Mascot, we loved that tamariki could

join Mrs Jalili, Mrs Tafea, Mr Kelly and I as we walked to school with students. We continue to promote being Travelwise and importantly, strategies for our tamariki to be safe when travelling to school – healthy exercise too! Thank you parents/whānau for tooting your horns in support, we hope more tamariki will join us next time.



Students also enjoyed 'blinging their bikes' last week too. Another great opportunity for students to practise MANAAKITANGA - safe cycling, bike maintenance, fun cycling around our track and over the ramps! Woohoo!

The teachers have planned fun AKO for their curriculum student inquiries. We look forward to the students sharing their learning about Education for Sustainability e.g., being wastewise, biodiversity, local/national conservation challenges, connections to our whenua, our tuakiri/identity. Ka pai R2 - stretching their creative writing skills too!



Safety, Safety, Safety...

For your child's safety, for everyone's safety, thank you for working with us as we continue with our safety review.

Tripoli Rd Crossing

Students and whānau please use the crossing. We have reviewed the situation as well as our patrol timings. Students need to be at School before 8:50 am as learning time starts promptly at 9 am.

After School exit and pick-ups

Please see Monday's notice sent out (also on website).

School essentials...

We will be having a Whānau & School fun afternoon Friday 9 March – we hope that you will join us please! ☺ Swimming lessons start next week (see notice on our Facebook page).

Mrs Sharma and the Y5/6 classes are delighted that our Camp is to go ahead next term. A notice will be out next week from Mrs Sharma. Yay ☺

Reminder - School closed Friday 16 April so that staff can participate in their Kāhui Ako Professional Development workshops.

Thank you whānau!

Ngā manaakitanga and enjoy your weekend!

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