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NEWSLETTER TERM 2 WEEK 10: Friday | Rāmere 9 July 2021

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

Farewell & Acknowledgement Assembly

Many thanks to our teachers and Support Staff for the beautiful performance items for teachers Mr Roy Kelly & Miss Gabrielle Shin and Caretaker Mr Mike Beeston at yesterday's farewell assembly. We're super proud of the students' Manaakitanga shown for Roy, Gabrielle and Mike. Our congratulations to Mr Kelly on

becoming a dad (soon)! Roy has a long and loved association with TPS and he now takes time to be with his new whānau. Fa'afetai tele lava, Roy, for your Kaitiakitanga for TPS! To Mike, our Caretaker who for the past three years has poured his arohanui into our School. Fa'afetai tele lava, blessings on your retirement, Mike! To Gabrielle, who has been in several school wide teaching roles in the past 18 months - fa'afetai tele lava for your Mana Tāngata and professionalism! All the best on your next educational learning journey. Roy, Mike and Gabrielle, - ka kite mātou i a koutou ano.





****Please enjoy the photos & video clips on our Facebook page ☺ Big thanks to Miss Ashley & LA Kelly for inspiring our musicians into action!! Wow - super proud!**



A learning-full term... 🌟

On behalf of the Board of Trustees, huge thanks to our awesome staff: Mrs Sharma (DP), teachers, Learning Assistants, Office/Admin, Kitchen Crew, Grounds and Cleaning for



fabulous team mahi this term – for our tamariki ☺ I have seen many highlights of positive staff mahi. Super proud of kaitiaki ako for our learners and the collective strengths shared across the School. Thank you parents/whānau too for your support!

The 'Power of 3: School-Student-Whānau'

Student Reports went out yesterday, so please look in your child's bag for the envelopes. It has been a delight to read every report and to share in the celebration of your child's progress and achievements. Awesome mahi tamariki, keep striving ahead to further success for the remainder of the year! ☺

Trees for Survival...

Many thanks to Mr Roy Kelly, LA Miss Janine and fabulous parent helper Rhoda Bitoon for leading our student representatives in their recent regeneration planting of 798 native plants at the Kershaw's Clevedon farm (4th year running)!



Super proud of Talamuka-'a-Tonga learners – Teams exercised their math muscles during the Mathematics Competition. Congrats on your participation & results ☺ From Mrs Tafea ... Students worked confidently and collaboratively to solve 40 questions within an hour. **Tongatapu** Group won the competition within 50 minutes and a score of 37 out of 40 questions. I was so proud of everyone's performance! Huge thanks to the Y8 students who helped being reliable Judges!



Super proud of Room 2 & 3 learners – lots of fun when Mr Gormly visited to help you with your hands-on science/technology mahi. Love the go-cart, it's a hit ☺

How To Make A Go-Cart

We built the go-cart. I drilled holes. **By Trevor**

First we met Mr Gormly with the tool box. We put it on the table and then we pulled out all the tools. Then we were learning from Mr Gormly what tools we can use for the go-cart. Next we got matching pieces of wood and got a flat piece then we drilled some holes so we could screw it together. The flat piece is called the base. Then we did the same thing to the back. Then we got the axles and wheels. We put the wheel on, then the axles. Then we put the wheel after the washer. Then after the washer we put on the split pin and twisted it.

By Esekriel

We are learning how to make a go-cart. We got a screwdriver, got some screws and we got the base. First we took turns and everyone was happy to help Mr Gormly. It was fun. Then we got the base, then drilled some holes on the base. Then we all screwed the base to make it. It moved and turned. First we put the wheels on the axle. Then he did a bit himself. It was done. We tried it out. Everyone

was happy. **By Krypton**

Yesterday we made a go cart. Miss Gormly's dad came to help us to make the go-cart. First we took the tools out of the box. We had a wrench, a hammer, screwdriver, pliers, wheels and axles. Then we got a seat. We got the wood. Mr Gormly got the drill and made 6 holes. Then we put the screws in. We got another seat. We put the seats together. We got more wood. Then we drilled a hole. We screwed it in. We put the wheels in, washers in, then we put the strings on. I felt happy because we made the go-cart.

By Martha

Public Health Nurse (PHN)



A warm welcome to our in-school Public Health Nurse, **Gina Tuitupou**. We're delighted you've joined us and we know you'll be a great support for our students and families. Gina is at our School on Tuesdays ☺



Travelwise Team

Many thanks to such a proactive team working with Mrs Jalili this term and to our Road Patrol Students too!

Manuia le aso, enjoy the break, take care 🌟🌸😊

Dr Deanna Johnston

Principal | Tumuaki

EdD, MEd, BEd, DipTchg

EMCC Senior Practitioner

SCHOOL STARTS Term 3 - Monday 26 July

EFT POS NOW AVAILABLE AT THE OFFICE!

BREAKFAST IN SCHOOL! Our students are very welcome to enjoy some breakfast kai 8:00 to 8:30 am in the Hall with Mrs Sharon Williamson

LUNCH IN SCHOOL! Huge thanks to our Lunch Team Angie, Di and Peto for all your fabulous mahi making lunches daily for our students! We'll be placing an info tab on our website page so that the menu can be viewed in advance of daily orders

UNIFORM IN SCHOOL! Please see Sharon in the Office for your needs. Our new plain blue (very warm) free jackets are being organised by Sharon for each student

