



Ōwhata Primary School

Te Kura o Ōwhata

Respect Excellence Inquiry Integrity
Manaakitanga Kairangatira Patapātai Mana Tangata

School Newsletter – Week 6, Term 2 2018

Important Dates:

- 6 June – Rippa Rugby World Cup – Postponed!
- 8 June – Postponement date Rippa Rugby
- 21 June – Middle School Matariki sharing
- 25 June – Reporting week begins
- 4 July – Junior Cross Country - 11.15am
- 25 June Teacher Only Day
- 7 July – Last day of term

School Values:

INQUIRY – PATAPĀTAI
RESPECT – MANAAKITANGA
INTEGRITY – MANA TANGATA
EXCELLENCE – KAIRANGATIRA

Office contact: (07) 345 6051 – Brent Road – Rotorua

Ngā mihi nui ki a Koutou,

We hope you have had a great long weekend and welcome to week 6! It has been a great term so far! We would like to let our whānau know that we have a teacher only day on Monday 25th June as our staff will be participating in some important training. We hope this gives you enough time to arrange care for your tamariki on this day. Thank you for your continued support. He mihi tino nui kia koutou katoa!

Bob Stiles.
Tumuaki.
Bob.stiles@owhata.school.nz

Harold is coming!



We are lucky to have the Life Education van with Harold and Berni coming to help us with our health learning in week 3 and 4 of next term. All children attend the programme and have 2 visits to the Life-Ed van. We also do learning before visiting and after. Each child also receives their own take home book full of their hauora mahi. The cost is \$3.50 per student and can be paid to the office before the visits.
Whaea Robyn.

Ōwhata Sports:

Congratulations to our tamariki who have played sports over the week and weekend! If you would like to see which sports are available for your tamariki, please visit Whaea Lorraine in Rm 2, or send an email to lorraine.pukepuke@owhata.school.nz. Well done to our tamariki who received a player of the day award!



Student News:

Hi guys! Welcome to our second student story! We will be interviewing Josh Tawhara who won the school Cross Country to see how he felt about the race and sharing some of our kōrero too.

Q: How did you feel when you won?

Joshua: I felt happy, proud and excited.

Kaelin: I felt broken and exhausted but I kept running!

Shaelan: I felt excited and proud that I made it into inter-school!

Q: How do you feel about going to inter-school?

Joshua: I feel amazed and I'm going to try harder this time!

By Kaelin and Shaelan – Room 5

Online pages:

We have a school website: owhata.school.nz
And a Facebook page: [owhataprimaryschool](https://www.facebook.com/owhataprimaryschool)
Our classes are also using Class Dojo to share learning and information.

Awards:

Celebrating all of our fantastic Ōwhata tamariki! Thank you to all our tamariki who continue to show our school values each day! Kāore he painga ia koutou! You make us very proud and we know your whānau are proud of you too!

Reading Adults:

If you are interested in listening to children read and have a few hours to spare, please contact Whaea Callie on callie.raureti@owhata.school.nz or see your child's teacher. We are very appreciative of your time and support!



We would like to start sending our newsletter digitally through email addresses as this can be more convenient and helps us to show manaakitanga to our environment. We will still provide a paper copy if you do not have an email address. If you would like to have the newsletter emailed please fill in the slip and return to your child's class teacher or the school office. We will not begin this until next term.

Your child's name and class: _____

Email address: _____



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School App:

Another way to communicate with us is through the Skool Loop app. It is free to download and use.



OFOTS Sausage Sizzle!



OFOTS Support Group are having their 2nd sausage sizzle fundraiser this Friday 8th June and every 2nd Friday after until further notice. The tamariki are able to order a sausage sizzle for **\$1.00** at the office. These will be delivered to the tamariki in their classes at lunchtime on Friday!

Job Seekers:

Do you need help looking for work? Come to **Mokoia Community Association** on **Friday 8th June** from 9.30am – 12pm and get some help with finding work and putting together a professional CV and cover letter.
Contact Melanie on (07) 3455971 to book your spot or for further information. This is a free service provided by MCA.



One-Sight are back in Rotorua:

You may recall that in 2016, One-Sight visited Rotorua and held a free week long eye clinic. During that time hundreds of tamariki were tested and within a few weeks, received FREE glasses. The clinic is returning to Rotorua:

When: Monday 28th May – Friday 1st June

Where: Rotorua Primary School Hall

Contact: toni@taumata.org – to make a booking!



Ka Pai Kai – Monday – Thursday Lunch Menu!

- Hidden Vegetable Lasagne - \$4
- Standard Lunch Bag - \$4 (Chicken salad sandwich, yoghurt, mini muffin & fruit)
- Mini Lunch Bag - \$3 (half size sandwich)
- Cottage pie - \$4.00
- Soup and bun - \$2.50
- Cookie - \$1.50
- Muffin - \$2.00
- Jucies - \$1.00
- Flavoured water - \$1.50

Friday lunch menu attached.

Whaea Sue and Whaea Sheryll.

Edventure Outdoors- School Holiday Camps

These July school holidays we are running 2 awesome camps.

Tramping, rock climbing, possum trapping, team building challenges, hot pools and much more
Adventure Outdoors Camp, Mt Pirongia, July 9-13th
Adventure Winter Camp, Aongatete lodge, July 16-20th

- 8-14 yr olds
 - OSCAR available
 - Pick up/drop off AKL, BOP, Waikato
- Book at www.edventure.co.nz or email mark@edventure.co.nz



Important Sports Notices:

NO MINIBALL this week as the Sportsdrome is holding another event all week.

Also, Central Bay of Plenty Rippa Rugby World Cup which was scheduled for Wednesday 6th June will now be held on Friday 8th June.

Ngā mihi nui!
Whaea Lorraine
Lorraine.pukepule@owhata.school.nz

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inspire, respect and challenge.

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