

# KAWAHA POINT NEWSLETTER

Our School



## PRINCIPAL'S PEN

*Hello. Kia ora. Welcome. Aloha. Namaste. How are you?*

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Welcome back, everyone, to a very wet week.

We have had a lot of fun this week- with a Kings and Queens dress-up day, the Mini marathon and Jump Jam Workshop to help us prepare for the competition.

And there is more learning and fun along the way- I hope you have seen the Marae Noho notice for week 7- each hub wants to have a noho at Owhata Marae- but we need your help. So please contact us if you are keen to help and may need to fill in a police vetting form.

We have also organised a Buried Village trip as part of our inquiry this term into Nga Taonga- My school, my community. These notices would have come home this week. Please check bags or ring the office if you have not received one.

We will also need help with the trip. Please see the calendar over on the side for the dates.

We have an arts presentation for you all at the end of the term, WEDNESDAY, 28th June. Each class will be performing parts of our school pepeha. I hope you can make it. The show starts at 12pm, followed by a BBQ and a wander through the classes to see the learning that has happened this term around the theme Nga Taonga- my school, my community.

Part of the inquiry is renaming our hubs to align with our school pepeha and local history. This will be exciting.

Also exciting is the new board members elected by you, our school community. We want to welcome John Kilpatrick, Kelly Ross and Jodi Hohneck to the board table.

Thank you so much, Martin and Rueben, for also putting your hands up. We so appreciate the fact we went to an election.

Next week- on Friday, we want to show our appreciation to the Special women/ wahine in our lives. We have a special afternoon organised for you all, and I hope you can make it. We have assembly- space 8 is presenting an item, followed by a BBQ (\$2 a sausage) lunch with your child/ children. Then do a special activity in the classes followed by afternoon tea with your child. I do hope you can make it. Please RSVP to the office for catering.

Have a wonderful weekend. It's a historical moment with the King's coronation tomorrow. Stay safe.

*Maria and the wonderful staff at KPS*



## TERM 2 MAY

### Week 3

**Thurs 11/5- Mufti day- gold coin for PTA**

**Space 9 and 12 to the Buried Village- 9am**

**Fri 12/5 - Special Wahine in our lives-Mums, Aunts, Grandmas afternoon tea (in lieu of Mothers day) 1.30pm**

**Assembly Space 8 12pm**

**Sausage sizzle \$2**

### Week 4

**Tues 16/5- Young Leaders Day in Hamilton - YR 6 Leaders**

**CBOP Rugby League**

**BOT HUI 6pm**

**Wed 17/5 Space 10 and 14 to Buried Village 12pm**

**Wed 17/5 Space 15 and 16 to Buried Village 9am**

**Thurs 18/5 Space 5 and 6 To Buried Village 9am**

**Fri-19/5- Pink Shirt Day**

**Fri 19/05- School Assembly lead by Space 9.**

### Week 5

**Wed 24th School Cross Country 12pm start/ BBQ**

**Thurs 25th May-Space 3 and 4 to the Buried Village 9am**

**Thurs 25th Space 7 and 8 to the Buried Village- 12pm**

**Fri 26th Movie Night 5.30-7pm**



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# MRS H HIGHLIGHTS

FROM JENNY HERMANSSON OUR DP

## Medicines at school

If your child requires to have medicine here at school- please see Kiri or Deb in the office to go through the instructions and to sign permission form for us to give your child the medicine.

## Pre school Buddies

We have our **Pre school Buddies programme starting in week 4-** on a **Tuesday afternoon from 1.30pm**. If you have a preschooler and are wishing to start them at our school- or even interested in having a look around- come along and see what we have to offer.

## Traffic and the Side Gate by Space 6

We have noticed the traffic backing up down the road some days for after school pickup- we realised that the side gate by space 6 wasn't being opened- we have rectified this now- so this should reduce congestion around the front and the drop off zone. Maybe you could pick your child up around here- saving you time in the line waiting. Make sure you stay safe by parking on the school side of the road.

# HOUSE COMPETITION



**HOUSE EVENTS TERM 2**

- Pink Shirt day- 19th May
- School Cross Country - 24th May
- House Bake Off - 25th and 26th May
- Mad Week - last week of school



# SPORTS ROUND UP

## Sports Draws:

### Miniball:

**Monday 8th May**

KPS Nuggets v Owhata Midgets

4pm

Court 3



**Friday 5th May**

KPS Warriors vs RPS Mokoia

8.30pm Court 2

Kia Kaha KPS!!

### Hockey:

**Saturday 6th May**

KPS Warriors we have 3 grading games!!!

Vs Ngongotaha

10.30am - Turf 2A

Vs Valley Strikers

11.30am - Turf 1A

Vs Westbrook Kiwis

12am - Turf 1C



**KIA KAHA KPS!!!**

# JUMP JAMI!

**Our taura had an absolute ball!**



**OUR VISION**  
 At St Mary's we aim to be Christ-like through playful hearts and willing hands. With relative and creative minds we challenge ourselves to be the difference.



**Savannah - Space 5**



**Kaiden - Space 3**



**Tipene - Space 9**



**Maiya - Space 9**



**Kyla - Space 3**

# Welcome to KPS!



**Maya - Space 15**



**Te Rohotu - Space 12**



**Supreme - Space 9**