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2nd June 2023

Week 6

Principal Report

We are officially in winter but who could tell?! We have just finished Week 6 of Term 2 and have four weeks to go, wow! A great week again with our Cluster Cross Country, sports and topic studies. Friday means we will be doing our Passion Projects so the children will be Movie Making, Coding, Gaming and Cooking up a storm. Have a fabulous long weekend. See you all next Tuesday!

Hillary Outdoors

Each year a number of children throughout our cluster are selected to attend the Hillary Outdoors camp. This year we have: Holly Rogers, Zoey Mclean, Connor McMillan, Bryce Davey and Esther Sterkenburg attending with 15 other children from our Cluster. Good luck and have fun, I know it will be a blast!! We look forward to hearing of your adventures. A huge **thank you** to our PTA, Reporoa Lions and the Hillary Steps Scholarship for enabling this event to be of no cost to our families.

School Cell phone

Please delete the school cell phone number as a point of contact. We are not consistently receiving texts from parents, therefore please advise us as below;

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- Sign permission forms
- Book interviews and more!

Simple free download:
In Google play & App Store search 'Skool Loop' & choose our school once installed.

Cluster Cross Country

Congratulations to all competitors! We had a very successful day yesterday with the Cluster Cross Country. Our children made our school proud.

All students who qualified for the BOP event will automatically be entered and will receive notices with information on the event next week.

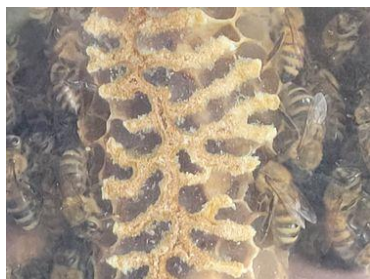


Thank you to all of the parents that supported the day and those that were out on checkpoints, guiding and encouraging the runners. Also **thank you** to our PTA who once again produced yummy hot soup, cakes and a sausage sizzle.

Top 10 Cluster Cross Country results

5 year olds	Girls	1st Caoimhe	4th Lucy Page	
	Boys	5th Riley	6th Charlie W	7th Renata
6 year olds	Girls	7th Evelyn		
	Boys	6th Deisel	7th Liam	9th Te Ngahere
7 year olds	Girls	8th Stella	9th Eva-Rose	10th Johannah
	Boys	1st Charlie S	2nd Taituha	8th DC
8 year olds	Girls	6th Addison	7th Paige	
	Boys	3rd Jonty	9th Ryan	
9 year olds	Girls	6th Rebecca	9th Dakota	
	Boys	2nd Hemi	8th Chase	
10 year olds	Girls	4th Holly	9th Riki-Lee	
	Boys	10th Keelan		
11 year olds	Girls		5th Esther	6th Salem
	Boys	4th Cypress		
12+ years	Boys		4th Ezekiel	5th Connor

Arataki Honey Trip



What an amazing trip we had to Arataki Honey farm last Friday. Thank you to the wonderful Mr and Mrs Berry for showing us around and sharing their passion, we all learnt so much about bees and honey production.



TRYathlon - Wednesday 21st June

Our school will be hosting our very own TRYathlon on Wednesday 21st June.

We still need parent helpers for this event. Please let us know if you can help on this day. Briefing will be held at 9.15am.

Fuel for Schools

We had the amazing Glenn Ward from fern drop us off our Acoustic Guitar package on Tuesday. 5 Youth guitars, a ukulele and a metronome / tuner. How lucky are we! We are looking forward to making some beautiful music in the near future 🎵🎵



We would like to take the time to mention who those members of the community are that have contributed to our school, they are listed as follows:

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Lake Rerewhakaaitu School PTA presents...

The AMAZING RACE

\$40 per team

Join the adventure!

When?

17th June 2023

Starts at the Domain at 1pm

Spot prizes for the best dressed team.

\$40 per team (max 6ppl) and under 5s free.

How?

Clues will be hidden around the Rerewhakaaitu area.

Collect the clues at each location and return to solve the final clue at the Domain.

Why?

Lake Rerewhakaaitu PTA are fundraising to revamp the school playground.

Followed by the Rerewhakaaitu Welcome in dinner at 5pm

Pre order food;
Please fill out the below order form and return to
Sammie hillbilliesgurl@hotmail.com
Or return to the school office.

Please put your hands together 🙌🙌🙌
Last week's certificates went to...



Renata Davey for excellent work in Mathematics.
Tennille Banfield for excellent and meticulous work in Writing.
Lucy Page and Cayden Allen for learning six new words.
Deisel Johnston for Completing Early Words One.
Natasha Kena for using lots of letter sounds in her writing this week.
Liam Henderson for making a focussed effort to complete his handwriting done in handwriting time.
Riki-Lee Banfield and Holly Rogers for consistently aiming high in your learning.

The Principal Certificate went to...Josh Roberts for showing great responsibility.



House Points

Each week we will be giving out a house cup to the house that's in the lead. Students can earn house points by following our school rules, being on task and even when they get caught being awesome.

Our house leaders are:

Tarawera - Connor McMillan & Josh Roberts

Kakaramea - Zoey Mclean & Holly Rogers
Congratulations to our house winner last

week.. Kakaramea



Dates to Remember

Mon 5 Jun	King's Birthday
5 - 9 Jun	Hillary Outdoor Camp
Tue 13 Jun	Board Meeting 7pm
Sat 17 Jun	PTA Amazing Race
Wed 21 Jun	LRS Weetbix TRYathlon
Fri 30 Jun	Term 2 Ends
Mon 17 Jul	Term 3 Starts

HAVE YOU GOT SOME PROUD MOMENTS TO

SHARE?

We would love to share your achievements and fun in our newsletter!

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😄 Caught Being Awesome of the week 😄

"Caught Being Awesome" awards are given out to students of Lake Rerewhakaaitu School at playtime. Students can earn them by following our school values, being a good friend and following the school rules. These awards then go into either the senior or junior bucket, then at Fridays assemblies all get read out and one from each drawn out as our super star recipient.

Last week our Caught Being Awesome recipients were...



Junior – Ryan Schutt

Senior – Salem O'Brien

RAKAU

Why did the old man fall in the well?

Because he couldn't see that well!

Rakau has had another fantastic week of learning! We would like to take this opportunity to thank the school and wider community for supporting our Whittakers Chocolate fundraiser for our upcoming camp at the end of the year. With your amazing support we have sold all 60 boxes in a week! We are currently taking orders for more boxes, if you would like one please let Miss Gow or the office know. Once we have pre-sold 20 boxes, we will place another order! \$72 a box of 36 mix flavours. Thank you for supporting us in our fundraising!

Ng ā mihi,
Rakau class



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TERRIFIC TUPU

We use Casey the Caterpillar in Tupu to help us learn how to form our letters and where they sit on the line. Casey the Caterpillar is a story about a butterfly that lays an egg on a branch, from that egg Casey the



Caterpillar emerges. As she journeys along the branch she encounters many other creatures such as a ladybird and a possum. Each part of the adventure teaches us how to form letters



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