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## December 2017

*Kia orana, Greetings, Talofa lava, Malo e lelei, Tēnā koutou, Bula Vinaka*

How quickly a year passes! We have had a fantastic year at Orere Primary School. The teachers have worked hard to accelerate the children's learning in Reading, Writing and Maths while providing interesting and varied opportunities to learn across the curriculum. We hope you will join us in the hall at 6:30pm for the end of year Prizegiving where the children will share their year of learning. Have a safe and happy Christmas.

Kerry Forse

## **YEAR 8s**

It is with sadness (to lose them) and with pride (as we know they are ready to go) that we farewell our Year 8 learners.

Jese, Ashley, Toni and Jarvis we wish you all the best at Hauraki College, we know you will do yourselves proud. You have been valued members of our school and we look forward to hearing about your future successes.

Good luck and arohanui

## **Duffy- Books in Homes**

We were very privileged to have the Duffy Books in Homes; Board of Trustees choose our school last month to hold their board meeting. They had been told by our Duffy representative Henry, that we were a fantastic school, so they decided to come and see for themselves.



## THANK YOU!

Thank you to everyone in the community who have helped over the year. For helping with transport, coming to meetings and event days, helping with fundraising and buying school lunches. These things contribute to helping us to provide the children with an exciting year filled with many opportunities to learn.

## Sir Peter Blake Young Leader Award

Congratulations to Jese Somerville for winning the Leadership award for 2017. You have been an inspirational leader in the school and a fantastic role model for the other children.



## Tryathlon Win

Congratulations to all the children who competed in the Weetbix Tryathlon. What a fantastic achievement. Thank you to Mrs Parker and Mr P for organising and going along to support our school.

*We also won a \$500 voucher for Warehouse Stationery- which the children will have a fantastic time spending.*

## Orere Point Big Day Out

**Where:** Orere Point Beach

**When:** Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2018 10am-3pm

*This is a community event run by the Fire Brigade. Orere Primary will have a stall of food (to be confirmed) and face painting. If you can help with this day, please let us know.*

## School Calendar - Key Dates to Remember

- 13 December**  
Prize Giving 6:30 pm in the Hall
- 14 December**  
Beach Day- Orere Point- 9am- 2:30pm
- 15 December**  
Last Day of School
- 31 January**  
First Day of Term 1 2018

