

Whakamana me Whanau Whanui

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Term 2, Week 4, 2022

Welcome

Kia ora whānau, Welcome back to term 2. I hope you had an enjoyable and restful Easter & School holidays.

It was lovely that most of you were able to join us onsite last term to welcome Lara and farewell Dave. Thanks to those that bought and sold Easter raffle tickets. The 3 hampers raised us \$1,015 and the recent Oxford Pie sales raised \$195. Thank you for your support we really appreciate and need it! Our next fundraiser will be a ladies themed raffle and will be drawn to coincide with Queens Birthday weekend.

Thanks for continuing to be vigilant and keep your children home if sick. Remember, we have lots of RAT's at school that we can provide you should you need them.

Board News

Hello and welcome to another exciting Orere School newsletter!

The board are excited to finally welcome Lara to the school. We know she's settled in really well and is enjoying getting to know everyone. We can't wait to see what this year holds for the senior class.

This term we've changed our lunch supplier. Sam Moody is now cooking and I know the kids are loving the food. Thank you Sam!

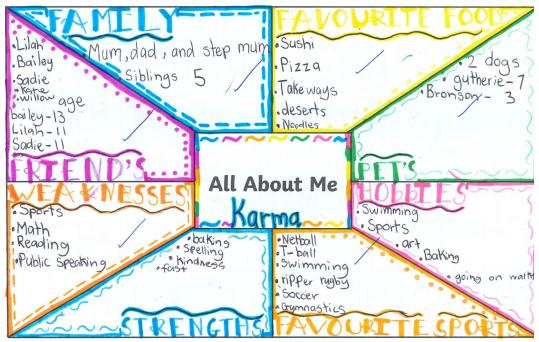
We're also happy to be able to have parents, caregivers and visitors back on school grounds. We know its been a long time and we thank you for being so patient and understanding. We're looking forward to seeing you back onsite. Please come and checkout the renovations that have occurred. The children's toilets are now in action and the kids are loving them. They are so much brighter and fresher.

Board elections are just around the corner. If you're interested in joining the board please get in contact with me at bbctossell@gmail.com. You're welcome to attend a board meeting to see what we do behind the scenes. Look forward to seeing you all soon.

Rebekah Tossell—Presiding Member

Social Worker in Schools (SWIS)

Kia ora e te whānau, Friendship club will be held during lunchtime on Wednesdays at the hall. It is a positive and safe space for your child/ren to engage in some fun activities like playing games, board games, drawing/colouring in with Whaea Gina our SWIS worker.



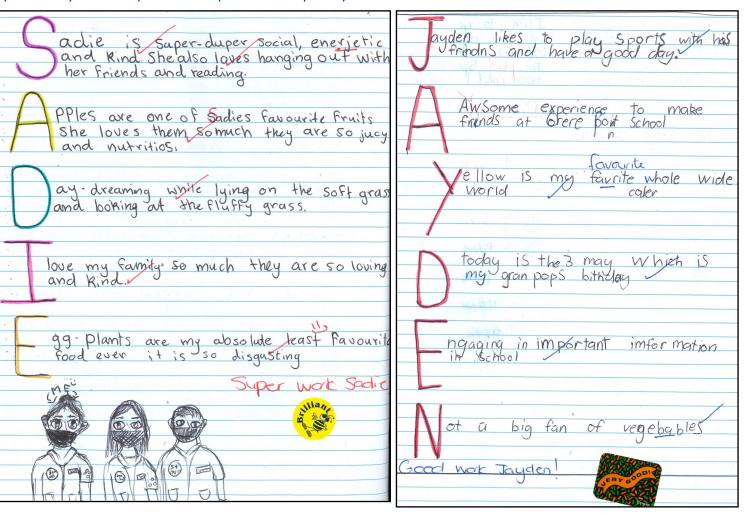
SchoolDocs

Our school uses SchoolDocs to maintain, update and review our policies. These policies are very comprehensive and follow the Ministry of Education National Administration Guidelines. The policies and procedures are tailored to our school. SchoolDocs updates policies in response to changes in legislation or Ministry guidelines, significant events, reviews/requests from schools, and regular reviewing from the SchoolDocs team. Our board has the opportunity to view changes/additions and comment on them before they are implemented. Each term there are policies to be reviewed by parents, board members & staff. This term the 2 policies that need reviewing are **Healthcare** & **Behaviour Management**.

Please follow these instructions to review the policies:

- 1. Visit the website https://orere.schooldocs.co.nz/1893.htm
- 2. Enter the username (orere) and password (orerepoint)
- 3. Follow the link to the relevant policy as listed
- 4. Read the policy
- 5. Click the Policy Review button at the top right-hand corner of the page.
- 6. Select the reviewer type
- 7. Enter your name (optional)
- 8. Submit your ratings and comments.

If you wish to review the policies but don't have internet access at home, ask Emma and she'll provide you with printed copies of the policy and a review form.





Reminders

With this cold, rainy weather we're now experiencing, all children should bring a jacket or sweatshirt to school each day. A change of clothes in their schoolbags would be a good idea too in case they get wet while playing.



Please continue to collect yummy stickers & bag cut-out labels. They enable us to purchase new sports equipment.



3D Printed Car

Last term the year 7 and 8 kids were doing 3D printing for Technology and I decided to go online and find something cool to print. I then came up with the idea to go on a 3D printing website and loaded it into 3D object and then into XYZWare to print it. The first time we printed there was a wall on the side and we did not know why so we just ignored it but then it fell onto the car and ruined the whole vehicle. I did not find out about it until the next day because it was still printing after school. The next day we had a few problems with the printer at the start of the day but I managed to get it working and started printing it. We managed to get the whole thing printed without anything going wrong and the wall did not get printed that time. I was so excited and tested it out. The wheels were moving perfectly and the boot would open and shut. That was how I printed the moving car.





May

Tuesday 24th: School finishes early 12:30pm & Goal Setting Meetings 12:45—7pm

Thursday 26th: Y7&8 Tech

Monday 30th: Teacher Only Day (no school) & Board Meeting 4:30pm

Tuesday 31st: Y7&8 Tech

June

Monday 6th: Queen's Birthday Public Holiday (no school)

Wednesday 8th: Chess Competition

@ Maraetai Beach School

Thursday 9th: Y7&8 Tech

Thursday 16th: Y7&8 Tech

Tuesday 21st: Tree Planting

@ Tāpapakanga

Thursday 23rd: Matariki breakfast

Friday 24th: Matariki Public Holiday

(no school)

Thursday 30th: Y7&8 Tech

July

Monday 4th: Board Meeting 4:30pm

Thursday 7th: Y7&8 Tech

Friday 8th: Last day of Term 2

Monday 25th: First day of Term 3

Terms 2022

Term 2

Monday 2nd May to Friday 8th July

(10 weeks)

Term 3

Monday 25th July to Friday 30th September

(10 weeks)

Term 4

Monday 17th October to Thursday 15th

December

(9 weeks)











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