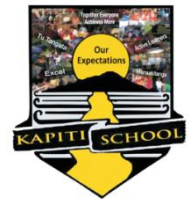




The KPS Weekly

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Together Everyone Achieves More



16 August 2018

Kia ora friends and whanau.

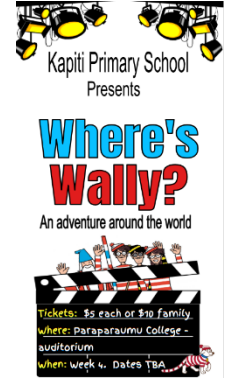
Welcome to week 4.

School Production News

The whole school rehearsal day at Paraparaumu College was very successful. Our tamariki enjoyed the opportunity of practising and performing on a “real” stage with lighting and sound. Pupils said to me that they were not scared anymore and were excited to do the show for real on Thursday. It was a huge day for everyone and I hope you all got a good sleep Tuesday night.

We are all set to catch buses back to the college today for our 12:00 matinee show and will then be back at school by 3:00. Tonight pupils need to be back to the college for the final show. Please drop off your tamariki at 5:30. The show starts at 6:00 and is a full house!

This has been a huge opportunity for learning with our classes discovering skills many did not know they had. Teamwork has been the fundamental skill valued in our learning.



Tickets:

There are tickets still available for the 12:00 matinee show. Door sales will be available. The 6:00 show is a full house with NO DOOR SALES- sorry ☺

6:00 Show Cake Stall:

Thank you for baking for us so that we can fund the hiring of the college hall. A big thanks to: Emma Orchard, Matalena Vaeluaga and Genaya Naisbett for helping out- You guys are the “A Team”.

NZEI : Strike Action

Thank you for supporting the closure of the school yesterday so that the staff could attend strike action and stand up for our kids. Staff attended the rally in Wellington and marched to parliament. It is time to address important needs in our schools and we need to start now. It Is Time.



Coming Up this term:

- Crazy Hair Day -Friday 24 August. Start thinking about a weird and whacky hair style or wig to wear on this day to support Kids Can and the great work they do in New Zealand schools. Gold coin donation, Best Hairdo Competition and photo shoot on the day!

- Family Movie night is all go for Friday 31 August. The Student Council are discussing suitable movie options with our classes. A big thank you in advance to Kris Bolton and her Dream Team: Emma Orchard, Matalena Vaeluaga and Sala Eastwood, for all

Wow! This has been a really busy week!

Nga Mihi,
Rachell Leitch
 Acting Principal

SCHOOL NEWS

Don't forget to keep an eye on the website daily notices to see what is coming up www.kapiti.school.nz

2018 TERM DATES:

Term 3	23 July to 28 September
Term 4	15 October to 12 December (22 October Labour Day)

TERM 3

Here is a quick overview:

August

16	School Production at Paraparaumu College
16-31	Dental Mobile Van visiting
24	Crazy Hair Day – fundraising for Kids Can
31	Family Movie Night
31	Assembly – 2 p.m. in the school hall. Parents and caregivers welcome

September

10	BOT Meeting 6 p.m. in the school staffroom – all welcome
12	Years 7/8 Winter Tournament 10 a.m. – 2.00 p.m.
14	Assembly – 2 p.m. in the school hall. Parents and caregivers welcome
18	Art Splash – Wearable Arts 3.30 – 7.00 p.m.
20	Dance Splash – 5.00 to 7.00 p.m.
26	Kiwi As Open Day
28	Assembly – 2 p.m. Parents and caregivers welcome

Sports photos: Are up in admin. Please come and have a look. You or your child can get envelopes to order and pay from Carol. They are either \$15 for the standard size or \$17 to upsize. Please remember the money needs to be paid directly to the photographer so don't put it into the school account.

Congratulations : Last weekend Luke Edwards competed in the Karate Regionals Round 2 and won 3 silver medals, one each in Kata, Kumate & team. He also went to a grading and graded up to Brown Belt 3rd Kyu. Well done Luke.

OUR SCHOOL'S BANK DETAILS

If you would like to pay for anything through the internet the school bank details are:

Account Name: Kapiti Primary School Board of Trustees

Bank: ASB Paraparaumu

Account No: 12 3157 0225260 00

Just put your child's name as a reference.



Have a look at our website: www.kapiti.school.nz

COMMUNITY NEWS

Kapiti Primary School takes no responsibility for any notices which appear under the following sections

HELD AT KAPITI PRIMARY SCHOOL:



sKIDS Kapiti specialises in delivering quality and affordable before school care,

after school care and holiday programmes that kids just love! Our aim is to create a fun and safe environment for all primary school children. Limited spaces are available during term 3, and we are now taking bookings for term 4. For more information please call Jools Da Silva on 021 0254 3249 or email jools@skids.co.nz

Seido Karate Kapiti Kids Class 7-12 years Thursday 4.45 - 5.30 Beginners
Class 12 years - adult Thursday 6pm - 7pm
Kapiti Primary School Hall All welcome, any level of fitness or ability. A great family activity. Karate is a great way to challenge yourself both physically and mentally
Call/text Karen: 021 1141958
www.facebook.com/SeidoKarateKapiti First three classes free.



FREE Dental Checks! (Kapiti School)

The Bee Healthy Dental Mobile will be parked at your school this term (16 August to 31 August 2018). Once seen, your child will be given a letter that will inform you of what happens next. This will be either:

- Your child requires no further appointments this year
- Your child needs an appointment at your local Dental Hub Clinic for further care.
- Please contact us to change this appointment if required.
- Please search your child's school bag!

Your local Hub clinic is: **Paraparaumu Dental Clinic**
Ruapehu Street
Paraparaumu
Kapiti

If you have pre-school aged children please call us to arrange an appointment for their annual dental checkup at the Dental Hub Clinic. Family appointments are available so more than one family member can be seen at the same time.

To book or reschedule your appointment, or update your contact details, please call 0800 TALK TEETH (825 583)



Private Bag 31907 Lower Hutt
www.beehealthy.org.nz | 0800 TALK TEETH (825 583)

OTHER COMMUNITY NEWS

Massey University – Child Asthma Study

Massey University is conducting an important research study looking at the different types of **asthma in children** aged **8-18**. The aim of the study is to improve understanding of childhood asthma and develop better treatment options for all asthmatics.

The study involves a lung function test and a short questionnaire.

If your **child has asthma**, the researchers would be very grateful if you would consider being part of this study. They would also love to hear from you if your child doesn't have asthma and is interested in the study.

Please contact:

Jean Feary McKenzie

0800 080 078 or **asthma@massey.ac.nz**

Rail Safety Week (13-19 August, 2018)

To mark Rail Safety Week we wanted to remind students and whanau of the importance of always looking for trains when crossing railway tracks, and particularly taking care to look for the second train.

The message this Rail Safety Week is back to basics - 'Look right, look left for trains'.

It's also really important to always wait until the bells and lights have stopped operating before crossing.

This link to a Drax Project music video is an excellent way to show how we can all stop, look and think when getting across a level crossing, and particularly how important it is to not use headphones around railway tracks. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ge_TTLAK0k.

For younger children, as well as looking and listening before crossing, please make it clear to them that if bells and lights are going, it's because a second train could be coming and it's not safe to cross.

Thank you for your support in spreading these safety messages.

For more information about safe behaviour around tracks and trains, see Tracksafe.co.nz.

Ngā mihi