

9 March 2022

Tēnā koutou katoa,

It is now Week 6! The sun is still shining and our tamariki continue to be resilient, adaptable and amazing. We currently have three confirmed COVID cases and a number of students isolating. It can be a bit lonely on the field doing a lunchtime duty.

As we start to have more isolating students, we are delivering learning in a 'hybrid' way. This means we are developing and implementing lessons that can be worked on both at home and at school. Many students are accessing learning from home - well done. An important message from me is to do what you can, make sure you take some breaks and get outside into the sun.

We have managed to send devices home with many students and delivered a couple to those who were isolating. Please let me know if you need a device once you are in isolation and we will deliver one to your household. If you have any questions about learning, please email classroom teachers or me directly - principal@kapiti.school.nz.

| Dates | |
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| TERM 1 | |
| March | |
| 21 | BOT Meeting 6pm Staffroom |
| 25 | Teacher Only Day |
| April | |
| 14 | Last day of Term |
| 15 | Easter Friday |
| TERM 2 | |
| May | |
| 2 | School Starts |

Student Led Conferences

Student-led conferences will not be happening this term due to the current COVID outbreak. Our teachers are working with students to develop learning goals. These will be posted on the Seesaw app. Following this, students will post a video of how they are progressing towards their goal. Teachers will work with students (much like during student-led conferences) to support their sharing and you will be able to provide feedback via the app. We are hoping to have goals posted and evidence uploaded by the end of Term One, but this will depend on how the current COVID outbreak affects the school. If you need to talk to your child's class teacher about anything, please contact them as soon as possible.

Movin' March Update

Many students are bringing their wheels to school and enjoying riding around the school grounds. I was very excited to see some roller skates last week. I might have to dust mine off. Great job everyone!

How to work out your 10 days of self-isolation



| Find out what you need to do if: | you are positive for COVID-19 | you are a Household Contact (living with a positive case)* |
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| Day 0 | The day you test positive or start experiencing symptoms, whichever is earliest. | Your Day 0 is the same Day 0 as the first positive case in your household. |
| Day 3 | - | Get a Day 3 test today, or sooner if symptoms develop. If it's positive, start a new 10 days of self-isolation. |
| Day 10 | - | Get a Day 10 test today, or sooner if symptoms develop. If it's positive, start a new 10 days of self-isolation. |
| Day 11 | After 10 days, as long as you are free of COVID-19 symptoms, you will be free to leave self-isolation. | After 10 days, as long as you have a negative Day 10 test result and no COVID-19 symptoms, you will be free to leave self-isolation. |

start over if you test positive

Te Kāwanatanga o Aotearoa
New Zealand Government

Unite against COVID-19



School Sports

While we don't have any detailed confirmation yet, it is looking likely that both hockey and netball will be going ahead this year. There has also been a change to the mandating of school sports and all students who are interested will be



able to participate. So if your child is interested in playing hockey or netball, please look out for more information coming soon.

School Docs

This term, we are reviewing policies on Earthquakes, School Closures and Visitors. Please have a read and send any feedback to admin@kapiti.school.nz. I've attached a copy of the policies to this newsletter but you can also access it through our School Docs site. This will allow you to follow the links:

1. Go to www.schooldocs.co.nz
2. Click Search for your school.
3. Start typing the school's name and then select it from the dropdown list.
4. Enter the community username **kapiti** and password **team**

Staff Only Day

We have a staff only day planned for **Friday 25 March**. Students need to remain at home on this day. These days are important for us to continually build our capacity to deliver quality learning programmes to your tamariki. We thank you for all your support with this.

Whānau Hub



Jacinta is more than happy to help you prepare to isolate. Drop her a line at the email address provided if you need a bit of support: whanauwellbeing@kapiti.school.nz

Take care everyone.

Ngā mihi nui
Brent McDowell
Principal

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

You can request Board of Trustee minutes and information from Carol in our office:
admin@kapiti.school.nz



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COMMUNITY NEWS

HELD AT KAPITI PRIMARY SCHOOL:



sKids Kapiti specialises in delivering quality Before School, After School and Holiday Programmes. We strive to create a fun and safe environment that our kids just love! MSD approved, WINZ subsidies for eligible families and sibling discounts are available. We are now taking bookings for Term 1. For more information please call Jools Da Silva

on 021 0254 3249 or email jools@skids.co.nz

Seido Karate Kapiti

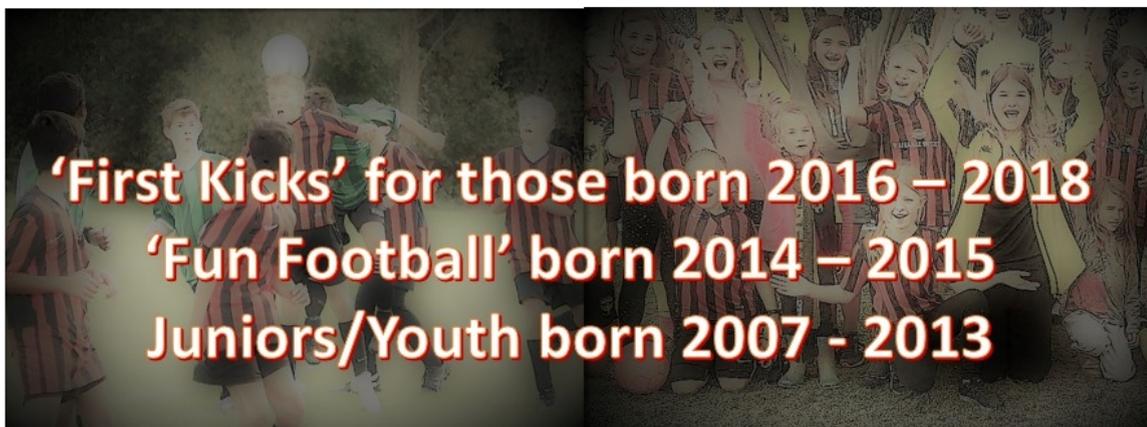
Kids Class 7- 12 years Thursday 4.45 - 5.30 Beginners Class 12 years - adult Thursday 6pm - 7pm Kapiti Primary School Hall All welcome, any level of fitness or ability. A great family activity. Karate is a great way to challenge yourself both physically and mentally Call/text Karen: 021 1141958 www.facebook.com/SeidoKarateKapiti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

NEXT CHAPTER PARENTING offering Individual, or group, PARENTING SESSIONS via Zoom. Ten one hourly sessions, weekly at a time convenient to you, available evenings. Topics covered include Communication, Empathy, Setting Limits, Quality Time, Consequences, Choices, Redirection, Pick your battles with your child, Problem Behaviour, Praise vs Acknowledgement, Time In vs Time Out, The Pause, Sibling Rivalry, Teenage Boundaries Erickson's Stages of Growth, Personality Types and how it affects your children. WINZ funding assistance where eligible www.nextchapterparenting.co.nz E: brigid@nextchapterparenting.co.nz M: 0221087214



Waikanae Football

Junior Registrations are open!
sporty.co.nz/viewform/193005



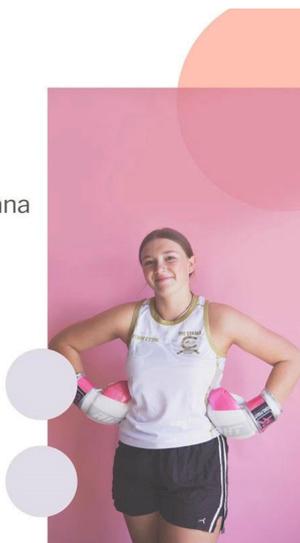
<https://www.sporty.co.nz/viewform/193005>

KIDS BOXFIT

Run by Shinae & Ariana

Wednesdays 4pm
33 Hinemoa Street
Paraparaumu
\$15

Ages 7-13years



The Web Genius
KAPITI
RUN FOR YOUTH

Event organised by
webgenius
Websites & Web Marketing

**CALLING ALL KAPITI COASTERS! JOIN US FOR A
FUN RUN ON OUR
BEAUTIFUL BEACH!**

Or just a WALK, if you like...

«««« Raise money for Kapiti Rangatahi Youth »»»»

**GONE
VIRTUAL**

Register online as an individual or group www.kapitirunforyouth.co.nz

All funds raised are split 70% to the official fundraising partner chosen by the participant at the time of registration. The other 30% is retained for running and promotion of the event.

Registration
8.45 - 10am

Event Start
10.15am

Event Sponsors

Start & Finish
MacLean Park
Paraparaumu Beach

SUNDAY 27 MARCH 2022

Choose from a
6k or 12k
Fun Run/Walk

Covid-19 **Red/Whero Vaccine Pass Event - JOIN US**

KAPI-MANA MUSIC FESTIVAL 2022

Queen's Birthday Weekend
Saturday 4 and Sunday 5 June

Performing Arts Centre
Pātaka Art + Museum, Porirua

Open to school students in the
greater Wellington region - all
instruments and voice at all levels

Enter online from 13 April 2022
Closing date: **15 May**

Full details at
www.kapimanamusic.org.nz

