

13 October 2023

Tēnā koutou katoa,

Welcome back to Term Four, I hope you have all had a good week. This term, the big idea around our learning is “How we organise ourselves.” We will be looking at this from a Health Perspective as we will be teaching the Keeping Ourselves Safe unit. As part of this unit, we invite you to a hui next **Thursday 19 October** which will be held at 3:30pm in Ranginui (our Montessori spaces). This will give you an opportunity to find out about the details of the units and ask any questions you may have.

Looking back on Term Three, I am really proud of the work that our teachers did and the growth we saw in our tamariki. We made several changes to address some of the challenges we have prior and we are seeing positive results. We look forward to continuing this work throughout the term.

Create and Relate

One of our successes from Term 3 was the implementation of our Create and Relate programme. Our three mentors Sean, Patricia and An-Charline have really enjoyed working with KPS students to support positive behaviour and relationships. We have seen a positive change with our students who are becoming more confident and

Dates	
TERM 4	
Oct	
9	Term 4 Begins
19	Whanau meeting KOS
23	Labour Day
25	Tennis have a go day
30	Year 8 Immunisations
30	Aihe to visit Mahi o te Taiao
31	Ranginui to visit Mahi o te Taiao
Nov	
1	KPS athletics
6	Ika Nui ti visit Mahi o te Taia
13	Staff Only Day
Dec	
7	Waikanae Pool Visit
11	Year 8 Graduation Dinner
14	Year 8 Graduation assembly
14	Term 4 Ends



Our students enjoying playing with our create and relate mentors.

Teacher Only Day:

This term the Ministry of Education has put in place a staff only day for schools to implement curriculum. The date is Monday 13 November. We ask that you please keep your children at home on this day.

Hats

You will notice our shade sales have been put back up for Term Four. Please ensure that all students come to school with a full-brimmed hat. All students need to be wearing one and we appreciate your support with this.

Student Corner

No Ordinary Girl by Jamie Deihl

There was once a girl called Nikki but she was no ordinary girl. She had powers. When she was born she had green skin, one red eye and one gold eye. So scientists wanted to experiment on her and THAT'S how she got her powers!

The scientist couldn't figure out how she got this strange coloured skin and different coloured eyes. This was a little while ago though, this was in ninety ninety-nine so don't you worry they eventually did find a cure for her. It was called Echolumis.

Nikki's house is still standing. Some people believe that this specific house is what gave her these special powers. The house is haunted. Rumor has it some have gone in and never come back to live to tell the tale.

School Immunisation for Year 7 and 8

The public health nurses are coming to our school in the week starting 30 October to provide immunisation for Y7 and Y8 tamariki, **including catch-ups for any tamariki who have previously missed their vaccine.**

If you have changed your mind or your situation has changed please contact us at res-immunisation@huttvalleydhb.org.nz, or call us on 04 587 2949

If you have not yet consented, but want to, please collect a consent form from the school office or contact us on 04 587 2949

If you have any questions or concerns please contact us at

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Property Work

Our busy builders have just about finished their work on the hall watertightness project. Once the hall has been completed, you will notice new access to the field which will be great for both the school and community groups alike. Renovation work has started on our juniors classrooms and we are looking forward to having fit for purpose junior spaces that will support our learning through play philosophy.



Term Four Learning

How We Organise Ourselves

Key curriculum areas: <i>Health English</i>	Possible Contexts for Learning <i>Keeping Ourselves Safe</i>	Curriculum Drivers <i>Collaborative Communication</i>
Concepts for development	<i>Safety Systems</i>	<i>Advocacy</i>
The Arts	Visual Arts Focus : New Zealand artists - Style and technique Medium : Mixed media	
Integration of Writing	Text types to explore : Letters Recounts <i>Writing purposes - to describe, to explain, to recount, to narrate, and to persuade</i>	
Te Ao Maori	Te Mahi o te Taiao	
Maths	Strand - Measurement : Length and Area Number is integrated through strand and based on student need.	
PE focus	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Personal Health and Physical Development: <i>Regular physical activity</i> • Healthy Communities and the Environment: <i>People and the environment</i> 	
Integration of Design Technology	Computational thinking for digital outcomes Or Design and develop digital outcomes	

This term, we will be unpacking our collaborative communication learner pathway. Keep an eye out for a Seesaw post that will show your child's self-assessment.

Te Kākano (seeds)	Te Pihinga (Seedlings)	Te Kaho (Saplings)	Te Rākau (Trees)
Collaborative Communication			
I am beginning to listen by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Looking at the speaker - Staying focused on the speaker 	I am actively listening by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Asking the speaker for more information (to explain or make clear) - Building on the speaker's ideas 	I am confidently communicating by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Making clear, adapting and building on what I say - Asking for and offering feedback - Respectfully challenging the thinking of others, to deepen my understanding 	I am competently communicating by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Exploring, making sense of and generating new ideas in a range of situations - Using my collaborative communication skills to plan and carry out new learning
I am beginning to respond by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Making comments - Asking questions - Showing respect 	I am actively responding by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Giving feedback to the speaker - Stating my own ideas clearly - Showing agreement or disagreement with respect 		

I am beginning to contribute by:

- Joining groups
- Sharing my ideas
- Agreeing to help complete tasks

I am actively contributing by:

- Offering and using my skills to work towards a shared goal

I am confidently contributing by:

- Using my strengths to work towards meeting a shared goal

I am competently contributing by:

- Engaging in and consistently taking responsibility for my role in achieving a shared goal

Ngā mihi nui
Brent McDowell
Principal



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

HELD AT KAPITI PRIMARY SCHOOL:

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.

OTHER COMMUNITY NEWS:



Due to the impact of COVID and staff shortages, unfortunately sKids Kapiti after school care will be closed for the foreseeable future. However, we continue to run a pick-up service from Kapiti School and take the children to sKids Kenakena, John Roger Hall, Te Kupe Road, Paraparaumu Beach. The sKids Kapiti Holiday Programme will continue to run from Kapiti School Hall. We are now taking bookings for Term 4 2023 from sKids Kenakena. **For more info, please call Jools Da Silva on 021 0254 3249 or email jools@skids.co.nz**

More families qualify for subsidised out of school programmes.

*Find out if your family is now eligible,
skids.co.nz/OSCAR*

Programme Assistant

A position has become available at sKids Kenakena for an energetic person to join a team of dedicated programme Managers and Programme Assistants, Applicants must have a passion for growing awesome Kiwi kids. This is a permanent part time position.

Hours of work : 7.00am – 8.45am (2 mornings a week),
2.30pm-5.00pm (4 afternoons a week)

with additional hours available during the school holidays.

Immediate start for the right person. Full drivers licence essential. Training will be given. The successful applicant will be police vetted. Job Description available upon request.

Please send CVs to jools@skids.co.nz.

ANZ FutureFERNs YEAR 1 AND 2

Term 4

Wednesday 1st November to 29th November 2023

Star Helpers will be required so please have a think if you can volunteer an hour of your time to help us out with this programme.

The programme will run as follows:

4.00pm Start

(first week will be 4.00pm to 5.00pm, as have introductions and full roll call).

Warm Up

Skills Session

Netball Game

Cool down

Finish at 4.45pm

Registrations are open: <https://www.sporty.co.nz/viewform/253283>

Closes Wednesday 25th October. Carmel / Netball Kapiti



If your child loves doing cartwheels, handstands, trampolining, flips, dancing, or parkour, then they will thrive at Bigair Gym!

Bigair Gym classes are excellent for fun, focus and fitness! Children learn new skills and develop personal confidence and self-achievement! Strong focus is given to safety and technique, ranging from fundamentals to advanced skills. The structured classes follow a Bigair Badge Programme, which creates focused learning, and allows children to achieve and feel personal progression! Bigair classes include **GYMNASTICS, TRAMPOLINING, TUMBLING, FREE RUNNING** (thats parkour with flips) & **CHEERLEADING!** Inquire about Bigair **BIRTHDAY PARTIES** too! Booking online is easy at www.bigairgym.co.nz.

Bigair Gymsports Kapiti ph. 297 0400 e. kapiti@bigairgym.co.nz

Hoop Club Kapiti - Term 4 Starts Back this Sunday 15 October



**Hoop Club Kapiti
Junior Basketball Coaching Programme**
Term 4 2023
Sunday 15 October to Sunday 10 December
5 – 7 year olds 9.30 – 10.30am
8 – 10 year olds 10.30 – 11.30am
11 – 17 year olds 11.30 – 12.30pm

Paraparaumu College Community Sportshall
Mazengarb Road, Paraparaumu

ALL NEW PLAYERS MOST WELCOME
Contact Coach Angelo Robinson 04 9040142
contact@hoopclubkapiti.nz

 **HOOP CLUB KAPITI
CELEBRATING 25 YEARS** 
ANNIVERSARY

www.hoopclubkapiti.nz

Hoop Club Kapiti - Junior Basketball
Coaching Programme - Term 4 2023

Sunday 15 October to Sunday 10
December

Paraparaumu College Community
Sportshall, Mazengarb Road,
Paraparaumu

9.30 to 10.30am 5 to 7 year olds

10.30 to 11.30am 8 to 10 year olds

11.30 to 12.30pm 11 to 17 year olds

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Contact - Angelo Robinson
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Cell 021 1651819

Hoop Club Kapiti's Adult Scrimmages - Sunday 3.15 to 5.15pm



Adult Open Run Scrimmages

Sundays - 3.15-5.15pm

Paraparaumu College Community Gym
Men & women of all skill levels welcome

\$5 Entry
Contact Lindsay on 0276194636
for more info

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Hoop Club Kapiti - Adult Open
Run Basketball Scrimmages

Open Run Adult Basketball
Scrimmages - Age 16+

Held on Sundays 3.15 - 5.15pm

Paraparaumu College Community
Sportshall, Mazengarb Road

Men & Women of all skill levels
WELCOME

Come and have a GO!

Contact - Lindsay 0276194636 or
contact@hoopclubkapiti.nz

for more information



Kāpiti FOOD FAIR

EARLY BIRD TICKETS OPEN!

SATURDAY 2 DEC 2023
10AM-4PM

MAZENGARB RESERVE
PARAPARAUMU, KĀPITI COAST

LICENCED TUATARA BAR & STAGE
WE LOVE LOCAL KĀPITI KITCHEN STAGE
ZEAL ZONE BUSKERS | FREE KIDS ZONE
10,000+ VISITORS | 220+ VENDORS

OUTDOORS EVENT RAIN OR SHINE

TWO GIGS - ONE DAY

KĀPITI FOOD FAIR
EARLY BIRD up to 8 Nov
Free up to 16yrs | \$10 Adult
\$5 Gold Card + Student ID

STANDARD from 9 Nov
Free up to 16yrs | \$12 Adult
\$10 Gold Card + Student ID

GETTING THERE: Walk, bike, drive or
Free Bus from Paraparaumu Railway Station
Crowd friendly dogs on lead welcome

NIGHT GIG - TAMI NEILSON
EARLY BIRD up to 8 Nov
\$16 Adult
\$195 Family (2 Adults & 2 Rangatahi up to 17)

17-19 Nov from 9 Nov
\$75 Adult
\$315 Family (2 Adults & 2 Rangatahi up to 17)
\$35 additional Rangatahi up to 17 anytime

PLATINUM SPONSOR:  MAZENGARB RESERVE

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BRONZE SPONSORS:  ANZ,  AVIL,  Hendricks,  Lowe,  Lowe

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GOOD TIMES
GOOD FOOD
GOOD MUSIC**

WIDE RANGE OF PACKAGED GOODS
UNITED NATIONS READY TO EAT FOODS



NEW

Kāpiti FOOD FAIR

Night to Gig

HEADLINING **TAMI NEILSON**

SATURDAY 2 DEC 2023
6.45PM-10.30PM


MAZENGARB RESERVE
PARAPARAUMU, KĀPITI COAST

TUATARA Bar Food Truck Alley

Helene Judge | Co-owner
Kāpiti Food Fair | 027 244 9585

info@kapitifoodfair.co.nz |
www.kapitifoodfair.co.nz

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Empowering Parents and Caregivers

Educational group for Parents and Caregivers aimed at supporting 13 to 24 year olds with alcohol and other drug challenges


3 sessions of:

- Open dialogue
- Supportive environment
- Harm reduction and Drug education
- Caring for self and family

Where: Kapiti Youth Support 15 Tutanekei Street
Paraparaumu- (left side building)

Mondays 6pm-7pm Monday 9th, 16th and 30th October 2023

If you are interested in attending please contact Jhial via email jhialmcgregor@kys.org.nz




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KAPITI YOUTH SUPPORT
TE ROOPU TRUTOKO TRIOHI O KĀPITI

KYS One Stop Shop Trust
15 Tutanekei Street, Paraparaumu 5032
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