



# The KPS Weekly

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Together Everyone Achieves More



28 October 2020

Tēnā koutou katoa

We hope you had a restful long weekend and were able to put your feet up for a bit. In the next couple of weeks, we have a lot coming up that we are looking forward to. We have some of our Year 5-6 students attending the Junior Athletics event next Wednesday and the Year 7-8 event is on Tuesday 17 November. Next week, I am really looking forward to spending the day attending local sites of historical significance. This day has been a year in the planning and all principals from the local area will be attending. This is a great chance to find out more about the local area and strengthen ties with iwi.

## Year 7-8 Self Defence

Thanks very much to Karen who has been in over the last two days teaching our Year 7-8 females self-defence. Karen has been teaching this programme for many years at KPS and we always appreciate her working with our girls to help build confidence.

## Congratulations

It is with a huge sense of pride and also sadness to tell you that Rachell Leitch has won a principalship to start Term One 2021. She will be finishing up at the end of this year and moving to The Coromandel. Rachell has worked at Kapiti Primary School for 24 years and we will give her a proper send off in due course.

## Kapiti's Got Talent

It was fantastic to see so much talent on show at our Kapiti's Got Talent showcase last Friday. Voting is being collected as we speak but all students should be really proud of what they have achieved. We are looking forward to the next round.

## School Christmas Raffle

We hope you will get behind our annual fundraiser so that we can make it another great success. A note went home last week telling you about it. The first step is that we ask each family to please send along a donation to go in the hamper - it could be food, Christmas decorations/paper, treats (sweets and chocolates), a voucher, anything that would make it a great hamper to win.

Next week we will send home the green raffle cards and it is hoped that every family will sell one card (10 tickets) at a \$1 per ticket. You might like to sell them to your family and friends. If you are able to sell more tickets please let us know and we will send them home. Thank you:)

**Nga mihi nui,  
Brent McDowell  
Principal**

## Dates

### TERM 4

#### November

4	Junior Athletics
6	Assembly 9.10am
9	Immunisations Year 7&8s
17	Senior Athletics
20	Assembly 9.10am
30	BOT Meeting 6pm

#### December

2	Waikanae Pools whole school
3	Year 8 dinner
4	Assembly
4	Kapa Haka Festival
10	Volunteer thank you morning tea
11	Reports home
15	Prizegiving Assembly School ends for 2020 at 1pm

# Ngahina Kindergarten



## At Ngahina kindergarten we:

- Cater to children aged 2—6 years old
- Offer 20 hours free ECE for all aged children
- Are a team of 100% qualified teachers
- We make sure learning is fun!
- Have a spacious, natural environment
- Have a dedicated sensory space

## Join us at Ngahina Kindergarten!

Some of our children are getting ready to start school and we are looking for some new friends to join us.

Feel free to pop in for a visit, we are open from 8:30am — 2:30pm, we'd love to meet you!

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Have a look at our website: [www.kapiti.school.nz](http://www.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, sibling discounts, drop-offs to after school activities (no extra cost!). For more information please call Jools Da Silva on 021 0254 3249 or email [jools@skids.co.nz](mailto: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](https://www.facebook.com/SeidoKarateKapiti) First three classes free.

## OTHER COMMUNITY NOTICES:

### Tricks of the Trade, a sewing class in Paekakariki

Kimba Lawrence is offering an eight week sewing class teaching the principles of sewing skills. Kimba is a clothing designer and pattern maker with loads of teaching experience. You'll gain new skills and confidence and enjoy your sewing and creative potential. If you can sew a straight line, turn a corner and sew in a curve Kimba can take you from basic to brilliant. Suits beginners to intermediate sewers. You must have your own sewing machine and know how to run it, for instance to thread your own bobbin. Kimba will bring her overlocker for your use too and teach us all the tricks of the trade to make our sewing fun and rewarding.

WHEN: Starts on Thursday 22nd October. 6:30-8:30pm for eight weeks. St James Church Hall Ocean Rd, Paekakariki. \$160 or \$20 a week. You'll need to bring a machine for your own use. Kimba will provide an overlocker and we will work on our own projects as the weeks proceed.

Booking is essential and this course is limited to 12 participants. If you're interested I'd love to hear from you. Kindly Rachel Benefield 0212340949 [artfulkidsnz@gmail.com](mailto:artfulkidsnz@gmail.com)



### Creative Kids Art Lab: Term 4 (7 week classes, starting week 2)

The Art Lab has Term 4 art classes start again on October 20th from 3.30pm - 5pm, Tues, Wed, & Thur (+ early arrival & late stay options). The classes are great for children aged 5 to 13 who like to get creative and make things. We focus on everything from drawing to printmaking, and fabric art to construction. Helen has been a primary school teacher with many years' experience. The classes are at her large home/art studio at 6 Rainbow Court, Raumati South. Visit [www.creativekids.co.nz](http://www.creativekids.co.nz) for more details, or phone Helen on 022-505-4058.

Kiaora all! :) Experienced singing/performance teacher avail for individual lessons. 35min \$35 60min \$50. Casual for fun or competitive training, great for confidence/self esteem/personality development. Based in Te Aro in a lovely comfortable space. Weekdays or Weekend slots avail. Jazz/pop/musical theatre. All ages but specialises in youth. Check out vocal and performance lessons with Jacquie Fee on Facebook for further info and videos! Free consultation - Whānau welcome to observe :) Open to have a korero about payment options.

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