



# The KPS Weekly

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11 November 2020

Tēnā koutou katoa

Welcome to Week 5. Over the past few weeks, it has been exciting to see such engaged students. Our Year 1 and 2s are building their oral language through our 'learning through play' spaces and hearing the language, depth of thinking and collaborative conversations taking place is brilliant. Throughout the rest of the school, our tamariki are participating in some excellent learning opportunities where students are excitedly learning through their passions and getting stuck into hands-on activities. It is always good to ask your tamariki what they are learning about and what is exciting them at school.

## Sharing Learning

Teachers are currently writing reports that will be sent home at the end of the term. This is the only written report that you will receive this year due to our COVID disruptions. However, we have been building our capacity to share learning with you using our online tool - Seesaw. This is an incredible tool that allows us to share powerful experiences with you more frequently and in real time. If you haven't signed up yet, please talk to your tamariki's teacher. They are more than happy to help you. Currently, teachers are supporting students to upload evidence against their TEAM goal. Keep an eye out for it.

## Note to Year 8 Parents

If you haven't done so already, would you please email a photo of your Year 8 child as either a new entrant/toddler/baby for the year book to [tina.ainslie@kapiti.school.nz](mailto:tina.ainslie@kapiti.school.nz). Many thanks if you have already done this:)

## Bee Healthy Dental Van

The van will be visiting our school Monday 23 November and will be here for nearly 3 weeks.

## School Survey

The Board of Trustees (BOT) would like to hear from you and will soon be sending out a short survey. The BOT are seeking feedback about our outside learning spaces and developing a new logo. We will be having two draws for those who respond - \$150 Pak 'n Save food vouchers, just in time for Christmas.

## School Christmas Raffle

The Christmas Hamper is looking amazing as usual. Thank you for your contributions, we have vouchers - Warehouse, Family movie passes and Paper Plus all donated by our parents. There are also some amazing books, toys and Christmas yummy treats. It will be a great hamper to win. Thank you for selling the tickets - they are slowly starting to come in already. If you are able to sell more tickets please let us know and we will send them home. We appreciate your help with this. Thank you:)



**Nga mihi nui,**  
**Brent McDowell**  
**Principal**

## Dates

### TERM 4

### November

- 17 Senior Athletics
- 20 Assembly 9.10am
- 23 Dental Van
- 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

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](http://www.facebook.com/SeidoKarateKapiti) First three classes free.

### OTHER COMMUNITY NOTICES:

## BIGAIR CHEER 2021

**JOIN ONE OF NEW ZEALANDS TOP  
CHEERLEADING PROGRAMMES**

**NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY**

**WE HAVE GYMS IN OWHIRO BAY,  
TAWA AND KAPITI**

**TO FIND OUT MORE INFORMATION EMAIL  
[william@bigairgym.co.nz](mailto:william@bigairgym.co.nz)**

*I just wanted to thank you and all your coaches for such amazing dedication and hard work with all the cheer teams. There is such a huge sense of pride and belonging at Bigair. The results today were amazing and a tribute to the commitment you all have to the children. They all know you believe in their capabilities, and their ability to be successful and have their cheer dreams come true! It is so joyous to watch the togetherness, care, connection, praise, genuine concern, love, and support between the girls. Not to mention the sheer fun, excitement, and delight I see on their faces! I love what cheer does for their self esteem, confidence and personal growth. You are all helping to grow amazing children and I am so grateful that this opportunity is afforded to my daughter.*



**GOOD  
FRIENDS  
GOOD  
TIMES  
GOOD  
FOOD**



**Kapiti  
FOOD  
FAIR**

**MAZENGARB RESERVE  
PARAPARAUMU  
KĀPITI COAST**

**RAIN OR SHINE**

**SATURDAY  
5 DECEMBER  
2020  
10AM-4PM**

Free up to 16yrs | \$10 adult  
OR \$12 adult + jute bag  
½ price Gold Card + Student ID  
(cash/efpos at gate or Eventbrite online)  
ATM cash on site (50c per transaction)

**PARKING:** Gold coin

**GETTING THERE:** Walk, bike, drive  
FREE bus from Paraparaumu Railway Station

Crowd friendly dogs on lead welcome

LICENCED  
**TUATARA BAR**

**FREE KIDS ZONE**  
FACE PAINTING, BUSKERS,  
CHRISTMAS MAGIC

**LIQUOR ZONE**

**Up to 250 VENDORS  
22,000 + VISITORS  
ZEAL & COASTELLA  
STAGES**

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