



The KPS Weekly

T.E.A.M
Together Everyone Achieves More



14 October 2020

Tēnā koutou katoa

We are looking forward to having a fantastic term to end what has been a very strange year. The impact of COVID-19 cannot be taken lightly and I encourage you all to take stock of what is important. For us at school, that is our tamariki. It has been great to see all the smiling faces back this week and they have got straight into their learning.

Athletics

As the weather warms, we will be outside learning about athletics, practising our throwing, jumping and running. Students have already enjoyed their first session, using some of our new equipment.



Fun Run

Next **Wednesday 21 November between 11:20 and 12:50**, we will be holding a school-wide TEAM event. Students will be participating in an obstacle course fun run similar to the one we had last year. It will be a great occasion and we would love you to come down and participate. There will be a sausage sizzle and the chance to spray your children with water pistols. How could you refuse? Students should bring a change of clothes if they want to get wet, a towel, have plenty of sunscreen on and make sure they bring a water bottle.

Hats for Term Four

Term Four is a hat wearing one. Your tamariki must wear a potai with a full brim. This is really important to protect young skin against sunburn and skin cancer later in life. We know you will support us with this.

Dates	
TERM 4	
October	
16	Assembly 9.10am
21	Fun Day 11.20-12.50
23	Assembly 9.10am
26	Labour Day
27	BOT Meeting 6.15 p.m. in school staffroom
November	
4	Junior Athletics
6	Assembly 9.10am
9	Immunisations Year 7&8s
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



Term Four Learning

Inquiry Learning

Science - Fizzing and Foaming, Physical and Chemical Reactions

Te Reo Māori - preparation for the kapa haka festival in December and weekly Te Reo sessions

Maths - Fractions, Geometry - Transformation

Writing - Scientific Procedures, Persuasion

Art - Visual Art

PE - Athletics

Mihi Whakatau

It is always a special time when we welcome new members to our KPS Whānau. Today was another great occasion and it is nice to hear comments from manuhiri that they feel welcomed to our school. During the Whaikōrero, I spoke about the success of our school not being linked to an individual but to the collective group and we can achieve great things by working together.

**Nga mihi nui,
Brent McDowell
Principal**

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

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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

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 NOTICES:



**Registrations
now open!**

Online through our website:
www.paraparaumuathletics.club

Or via our Facebook page:
<https://www.facebook.com/paraparaumu.athletics/>

'HAVE-A-GO' NIGHTS (all welcome)
Monday 5th and 12th October
First Club Night 19th October
6 years and under 5.15pm
7-15 years and seniors 5.30pm

Paraparaumu Domain, entrance on Aorangi Road.



Bigair Kapiti Rec Cheer & Tumbling

If you love doing handstands, cartwheels, walkovers, jumps and dance, then you will love Cheerleading and Tumbling! Have you heard that **BIGAIR GYM** has arrived to Kapiti?! We are currently open for Recreational Cheer and Tumbling classes for Term 4. At Bigair, we know and love cheerleading! We are industry experts - come and learn from the best!

Recreational Cheer: Our recreational cheerleading programme is designed for beginners. Our 60 minute classes focus on developing the athletes skill set including tumbling, jumping, stunting, dance, coordination, balance, flexibility, strength, teamwork, and confidence. **Tumbling:** Bigair offers amazing tumbling classes catered to athletes who are beginner through to advanced level tumblers. Athletes learn skills such as front and back handsprings, front and back tucks and layouts! Contact Bigair Gym today to learn more about what Bigair has to offer for your child! We would love to hear from you. Email leanne@bigairgym.co.nz



FREE HOME FIRE SAFETY VISITS

Fire and Emergency New Zealand offers these visits to help people make their homes fire safe for them and their families.

We are available to provide free information, can help install and test smoke alarms, or provide a free smoke alarm to those who are eligible.

Please let your networks know about this service.

For more information or to book a free visit, contact your local fire station or email:

FENZwellington@fireandemergency.nz

WWW.FIREANDEMERCENCY.NZ

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 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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