



# Whakarewarewa School

Panui 2

Friday 10  
February 2017

Roll 70

Tena koutou nga matua me nga kaitiaki o nga tamariki ataahua nei.

Kia mohio ai koutou..... Whaea Hariata is on leave for the next four weeks and we are organising another teacher for Ngararatuatara and an acting Principal for the school.

## Communication

We want you to know! Our main and strongest reach out medium is this Panui! Please ask your chn where each panui is then read it and .... put it on the fridge. Staff have been inundated with texts so kare ma, do read the panui. Panui 1 went out last Friday. It shared the shout out inviting you and your tamariki to attend our Back to School Hui on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> February from 5-6pm.



Welcome to Hiria Ngatai, a 3<sup>rd</sup> year teacher trainee, from Te Wananga o Aotearoa. Hiria is from Hinemoa Point and will work with Whaea Yvonne in Parekohuru for the next 4 weeks. All the best Hiria and a warm welcome into the Whakarewarewa School whanau.

## Transport

We are debugging the runs so thank you for your patience and tolerance with the pick ups and drop offs. Children are slowly getting back into the routines of getting up and out to the vans on time.

Drivers are sorting the order and timings.

Whaea Aroha drives the East side, Ngapuna and Wrigley Road runs.

Whaea Iti drives Koutu and Western Heights.

It is respectful, courteous, responsible and kind that you text if your tamaiti is not to be collected in the morning.

A seat on the van is still only \$5 per week.



We



the  
support  
staff.

In a  
school,  
the  
support  
staff  
make

sure that everything else in the school runs smoothly. This means the office, the grounds, the buildings and any other programmes that the teachers need help with. We are lucky that Iti also does the Friday lunches.



Mere Panapa – teacher  
aide to Korotiotio. He uri  
o Tuhourangi ara Te  
Arawa, Ngati Awa, Ngati  
Pukeko

Colin Pedersen –  
caretaker, cleaner and  
groundsman  
extrodinaire, lives in  
Ngapuna with his lovely  
wife Hawa aka Makuini.  
He is Ngati Pakeha.

Iti Pou – driver and  
teacher aide to Parekohuru . He uri tenei o Ngati Kea, Ngati Tuara, Te Arawa, Ngapuhi

Pam Takiwa – office manager who lives in Rotoma. He uri tenei o Ngati Awa, Ngati  
Pikiao, Tuhoe, Tuwharetoa and Ngati Makino.

Aroha Rapana – driver. No Ngati Pikiao...

(No picture)

Taiha – driver (No picture)





## Back to School Hui



This is a huge mihi to the many parents and children who made it, who listened, who participated and who enjoyed the whakawhanaungatanga and information gathering. Whanau ma, you have a brilliant staff who are committed and genuinely care holistically about your children. The success of Back to School Hui lies with Yvonne, Lisa and Jade.



Lyn Walmsley, nanny representative on the Board, signalled the importance of

communication and your part in sharing a vision for the school via the Charter. We were very happy to see a large number of ex pupils: Tai, Paora, Christine, Te Aurere, Shayde, Dana (who is a senior at RGHS),



Whaea Lyn, Nanny Shona.....





Kia ora Korotiotio whanau,

Wow what a great two weeks to start 2017

We have been lucky enough to have five new tamariki join our Korotiotio whanau. I am pleased to say they are settled. It's like they have always been at Whakarewarewa School ☺.

**The beautiful Manaia Maranui is 5 years old and has a big sister Rose in Parekohuru. When she grows up she wants to be a builder ☺ (For now)**



The dashing Ryzell O'Reilly is 6 years old. When he grows up he would like to be Robot Engineer.



The lovely Azaliah O'Reilly is 5 years old. She is Ryzell's younger sister and has 3 more siblings at Whakarewarewa School. When she grows up she would like to be a Teacher.



Whakanomics 2017.....

It is that time of year again!!!

Korotiotio have taken out two years in a row by making the most profit out of the all companies. We do stay as one company and have the the industrious Nanny Mere as a 'consultant'. This year, Whakanomics is based around Tane Mahuta. We do Whakanomics each Friday. Feel free to



Jade Flood & Mere Panapa

The stunning Reika Campbell is 5 years old. When she grows up she would like to work in the bush.



The gorgeous Munro Waerea is 5 years old and has come from the kohunga next door. When he

Water, Water Water .....

Please could your tamati bring a water bottle that can be left at school each day. It has been very hot and they need to be able to access it throughout the day. Thank-you

It is an open door policy in Korotiotio so you are welcome to come hang out or help with whakanomics ☺ Thank you to all the whanau who have brought stationary so far.

Home Mahi

Their book bag comes home each night, they will get books for 2-3 days depending on how hard it is. The book is for any communication, feel free to write anything you may want to know. Whaea Jade and Nanny Mere 0226538516



Parekohuru 2017

KIA ORA – NGA MIHI – TENA KOUTOU

WELCOME BACK  
TO SCHOOL



#### How did you spend your summer holidays?

- I went with my family to visit my Nana in Gisborne.
- I went camping at Lake Tarawera with my whanau.
- I had fun shopping with my sister and my Mum.
- I went swimming with my cousins at the Blue Lake.
- I went speeding across Lake Rotorua to Mokoia Island on a jet boat.
- I went to gather pipis at Maketu with my family.





# Ngā Mihi o te Tau Hōu no Ruma Pōhutu



The following is a brief expl

As a class we collaboratively decided to share an experience from last weeks Hara Kura Friday gone.

Therefore as tribute we wish to celebrate our four awesome rūmaki students who stood for the student council: Te Ihooterangi, Rangianiwaniwa, Samantha and Aria-Moana.

They started strong by choosing a proverb that encapsulates collaborative thinking and working for a common goal or cause. Next they introduced themselves, followed by what they personally envision were they to be successful in their endeavours to become apart of our 2017 Student Council.

Te Ihooterangi envisions an environmentally friendly school where a roster is set up to help Matua Colin maintain our school gardens behind our classrooms.

Rangianiwaniwa envisions the student council organise the end of year trip because they after all represent the student branch and voice.

Samantha envisions all our tamariki in piupiu from juniors to seniors, both boys and girls during Kapahaka festival, something she feels strongly about and urges those successful to follow through on.

Aria-Moana envisions coaches and managers for all sports teams. If successful she will urge her fellow student councillors to persuade sports groups to come on board and support our school.

Kia ngā mihi, We appreciate you reading our page within our whole school newsletter.

ia uaua ki te tuhi  
kōrero engari i  
mahi kē au!

Tino matakau au ki te tū  
engari ka tū pakari au!

He ngawari ki te tū hei  
whaikōrero nātemea i  
tuhi au ki runga kāri!

ngawari ki te mahi i  
whaikōrero!



**PŌTIHIA I TE KAUNIHERA ĀKONGA  
KI WHAKAREWAREWA 2017**

