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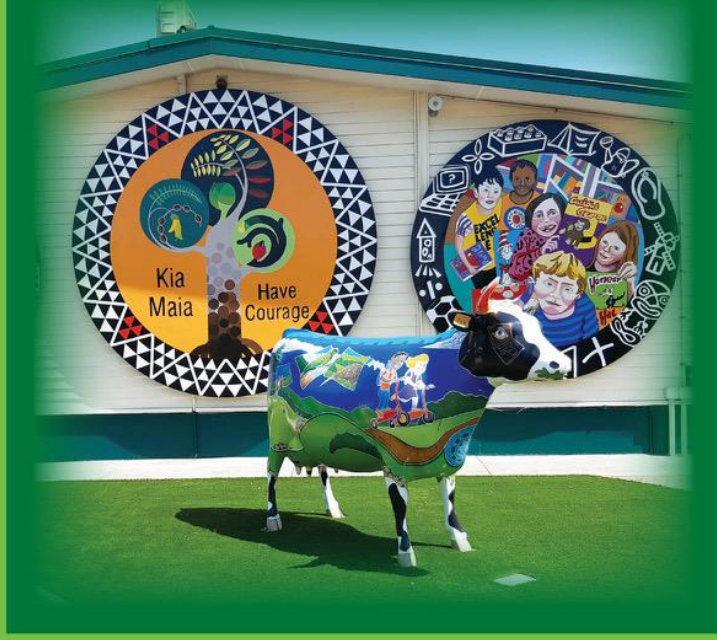
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Newsletter 10 December 2020

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A reminder that school closes at 12.30 pm on **Tuesday 15th December**. Buses will be running at the earlier time of 12.30pm.

The new school year commences on **Tuesday 2nd February 2021**

SCHOOL STAFF 2021

Principal: Brian Harrop

Deputy Principal: Rob Gunn

Deputy Principal: Michelle Fielding

Year 5-6 Team Leader: Chris Marks

Te Ao Marama Teachers:

Aimee McGall, Chris Gore, Chris Marks,
Jocelyn Mitchell, Nicola Soffe, Kayley Martin

Year 3- 4 Team Leader: Sarah Godsall

Room 7 Teacher: Owen Shanks

Room 8 Teacher: Sam Niven

Room 9 Teacher: Emma Moscrip

Room 10 Teacher: Sarah Godsall

Room 11 Teacher: Shay Teague

Room 12 Teacher: Caitlin Hazlehurst

Year 0-1-2 Team Leader: Jo Keogh

Room 13 Teacher: Emma Sheely/Janine Fiebig

Room 14 Teacher: Lisa Clark/Rebecca Bracey

Room 15 Teacher: Baylee Klenner

Room 16 Teacher: Deb Priest

Room 18 Teacher: Rochelle Taylor

Room 19 Teacher: Jo Keogh

Room 20 Teacher: Ashley Miller

Room 21 Teacher: Kate Baxter/Emily Reid

Release Teachers: Ange McWilliam, Julie Byers, Susan Garrud, Elysia Gunn, Suze Osborne, Brenda Te Wiata

Te Ao Māori – Brenda Te Wiata

Learning Support Leader / SENCO:

Sandy Harrop

Learning Assistants: Adele Alsemgeest, Wendy Borrie, Cathie Peddie, Deidre Hampton, Linley McMillan, Ang Martin, Paula Reid, Janelle Nicholls, Monica Ward, Tessa Steenhoven, Adri Venter

Office Staff: Carey Burne (Office Manager), Kirsten Woolridge, Janelle Nicholls, Marlene Foley

Librarian: Marlene Foley

Caretakers: John Muir & Rob Downing

Care for Kids Manager: Pia Doughty

As a staff we believe that we are privileged to be part of a highly supportive parents, whānau and community who are so willing to help us all achieve great things for our children. Thank you.

We wish to also acknowledge our committed and talented Board of Trustees, and also our hard-working Home and School for their support throughout the year.

Sadly, we are losing three of our outstanding teaching team next year.

Nikki McAskie, who has been relieving in Room 18, has won a permanent position at Te Ao Marama School in Hamilton. Prior to Nikki traveling overseas, she had taught in both the Kahikatea and Kauri teams.

Jacky Hutchings has been teaching in Room 6 this year, and prior to that, taught part time with us. Jacky is retiring to spend more time with her husband, her children, and grandchildren.

Weka Pene, our kapa haka, Reo and Tikanga teacher, will be studying full time completing his formal teaching qualifications next year. Weka is a naturally talented teacher who has instilled courage and success in and for our children. We look forward to his return in 2022.

We will miss each of these warm and talented friends and teachers and thank them for the dedication and empowering work they have shared amongst us. We wish them well in their future endeavours.

***We wish you all a happy and safe festive season!
School finishes next week on Tuesday 15 December at 12.30pm.
If your child will not be attending school that day, please let the office know.***

Whānau Homework Survey

Thank you to our families who completed their 'Whānau Homework'.

You have provided us with huge encouragement and inciteful suggestions as we plan for the next 3 years.

Congratulations to Kathleen Hirama who was the winner of the \$50 draw.

Summer Office Hours

The School Office will be closed from Tuesday 15th December at 12.30 pm.

We will be open again on Monday 18th January 2021 from 9.00 am to 12.00 pm.

Stationery Lists & Classes for 2021

Coming home today with every child is their stationery list and classroom for 2021.

The classroom numbers are changing from 2020 so we have included with this newsletter an updated map with the new classroom numbers for 2021.



IT'S TIME TO RETURN THE LIBRARY BOOKS.

Library Books

We still have some library books to come in. As a reminder to have a look for them, children with books still outstanding will receive a notice tomorrow. Can you please help them have a look at home. Thank you

Classroom Readers

Please also check for classroom readers. We seem to have a few still missing and would like these returned by the end of next week. These can be dropped off to the classroom or school office.

Music Tuition 2021

Guitar Lessons

Spaces available for Year 4 -6. Held on Fridays at school.

Contact Jane Fergusson ATCL, 0276584243 or russell.jane@xtra.co.nz

Piano

Edith Crispe LTCL Registered Music Teacher has vacancies for piano students at her home.

Contact 0 7889 5620 or 021 1697253 or email: vecrispe@gmail.com

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READING WITH ROTARY AWARDS

Morrinsville Rotary Club and Paper Plus Morrinsville are kindly sponsoring prizes to promote reading in our school and other local schools. Each term a student from the junior, middle and senior school will be awarded a prize for significant reading progress.



The winners for making significant progress in reading were:

Kya Pratt, Cameron Hart, Angel Benson-van den Bosch, Karthik Khanna, Archie Buttimore and Lexi Sinclair

Each of these students received a voucher to buy a book at Paper Plus and a certificate.

Altrusa Awards

On Monday night the Altrusa Awards were held. The following students from David Street School received awards:

Jesse Rogers - for showing great improvement in reading.

Anessa Ginever - demonstrating potential in writing for Year 5/6.



Congratulations Miss Klenner

On Wednesday Baylee Klenner received her Graduation Certificate at the Claudelands Event Centre Graduation Awards. Baylee is an ex DSS student and now teacher at DSS. Congratulations Baylee!

Room 12 and Room 6 celebrated their last reading spot together by exchanging gifts. Room 12 children gave the children of Room 6 some very useful bookmarks while Room 6 children actually wrote a short story and put it into a book for their reading buddy. Everybody has loved getting together every week throughout the year. We all agreed, the more you read, the more you grow!



Prizegiving 2020



Prizegiving Cups & Highly Commended 2020

Commerce Cup *for excellence in concept learning, with a broad general knowledge.*

Awarded to **Emily Fiebig**

Highly Commended: Seth Duncan, Alex Hagoort, Anessa Ginever, Cameron Jeffrey, Megan Mitchell, Thomas Bowler, Esme Smith, Ari Watson, Emma Marshall, Amelia Stevens, Keo David

Blyth Cup *for excellence in mathematics.* Awarded to **Alex Hagoort**

Highly Commended: Thomas Bowler, Ashlee Gallagher, Anita Lim, Emma Marshall, Cameron Jeffrey, Esme Smith, Emily Fiebig, Kfir Rayhin

Literacies Cup *for showing excellence in Literacy across the curriculum.* Awarded to **Emily Fiebig**

Highly Commended: Esme Smith, Amy Bryant, Riley Neeld, Emma Marshall, Anessa Ginever, Ashlee Gallagher, Seth Duncan, Kfir Rayhin, Alex Hagoort, Amelia Stevens

The Creative Arts Cup *for displaying all round excellence in The Creative Arts.*

Awarded to **Amy Bryant and Anessa Ginever**

Highly Commended: Kfir Rayhin, Archer Herbert, Alex Hagoort

The Visual Arts Cup *for demonstrating excellence in visual art.* Awarded to **Cairo Hapi**

Highly Commended: Urban Weatherley, Anita Lim, Swayze Smith, Emily Fiebig, Briley Cross, Axton Bell, Riley Neeld, Hannah Moerenhout, Zoe Bryant

Robb Family Cup *all round champion in boys swimming.* Awarded to **Kfir Rayhin**

Rogers Cup *all round champion in girls swimming.* Awarded to **Rebecca Lamb**

Kilpatrick Cup *for all-round excellence in boys sport.* Awarded to **Kfir Rayhin and Tate Hayr**

Highly Commended: Ari Watson, Eli Vette

McFadyen Cup *for all-round excellence in girls sport.* Awarded to **Amy Bryant**

Highly Commended: Rebecca Lamb, Megan Mitchell, Amber Bowers-Pirrie, Dakota Sutton, Maddison Rankin

Brightwell Endeavour Cup *Year 6 student who has made outstanding progress through hard work.*

Awarded to **Ruby Skilton**

Highly Commended: Shylah Fletcher, Hannah Moerenhout

Compton Cup *for displaying general all-round excellence as a Year 5.* Awarded to **Kees Johnston**

Highly Commended: Ayla Byers, Amara Murti, Charlie Hadj-Blaha, Ilah Stevenson, Lola Sheehan, Tyler Klinac

Duncan Cup *for all-round leadership (as nominated by their year 6 peers).* Awarded to **Amy Bryant**

Whelan Cup *in recognition for outstanding service to the school.* Awarded to **Megan Mitchell and Riley Neeld**

Highly Commended: Archer Herbert, Amy Bryant, Brodie Wells, Camryn Bootten, Dakota Sutton, Emily Fiebig, Esme Smith, Peyton Mark, Madison Tierney

Te Whanau O Te Kura O Rawiri *For leadership and team work in all areas of school life, with the focus on all things Maori.*

Awarded to **Cairo Hapi**

Congratulations to all of our children for all of your successes this year.



Willis Cup – Amy Bryant



*Rogers Cup – Rebecca Lamb & Robb Family Cup – Kfir Rayhin
presented by past pupil Jordan Rogers*



Compton Cup – Kees Johnston



Commerce Cup & Literacies Cup – Emily Fiebig



Blyth Cup – Alex Hagoot



McFadyen Cup & Duncan Cup – Amy Bryant



Creative Arts Cup – Amy Bryant & Anessa Ginever



Brightwell Endeavour Cup – Ruby Skilton



Kilpatrick Cup -Kfir Rayhin & Tate Hayr



Whelan Cup – Megan Mitchel & Riley Need

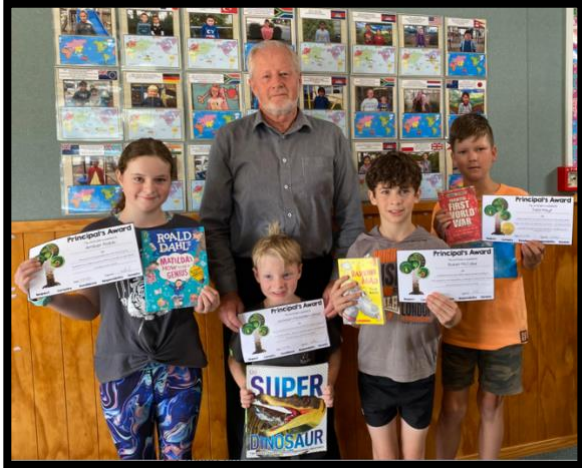


Visual Arts Cup & Te Whanau O Te Kura O Rawiri- Cair Hapi

Values Awards

David Street School celebrates children who have been showing our values in their behaviour and actions at school.

Recipients of the **Principals Awards** were:



Jackson Hazeldon-Small:

Jackson received his award for continually showing the DSS values and striving for excellence in all that he does. Jackson will often ask for challenges and will persevere until he is successful.

Baker McCabe:

Baker received his award for exceptional teamwork effort. He shows curiosity to ask questions and respectfully challenge his team to be inclusive and accepting of everyone's ideas.

Amber Robb:

Amber received her award for showing excellence in her learning by questioning, reflecting and making changes to get better.

Tate Hayr:

Tate received his award for being awesome!. He knows when to have fun and a good laugh and when it is time to knuckle down. He has pushed himself this year and has aimed for excellence!

Middle School – Amazing Race Fun Day

We had a fantastic day on Tuesday for our Amazing Race. Thank you to parents and whānau who came along, helped out and enjoyed the day with us.



The Lost Property will be put out on Friday for students and caregivers to view. Please check to see if any of the items belong to your family.

Unclaimed items will be bagged up, washed and donated to charity on Monday afternoon.

If anyone is able to help out and wash / donate any left over lost property to charity, please let the office know.



David Street School Map

