

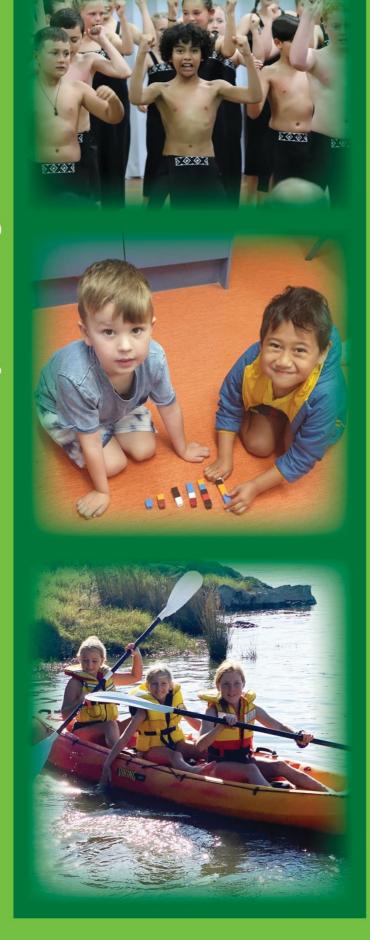
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A Big welcome to Addi, Wolfgang, Arnika, Dayton and Savanna who have joined us at David Street School.

Nau mai, haere mai ki te Kura o Rawiri.

### Administration Block Opening - Wednesday 31 August.

After more than 18 years of making do with an administration building that has been hopelessly inadequate as we have grown 3 fold as have administration demands.

As you are all aware, Stage 1 is now almost ready with features such as separate reception area for children (including what will be a well-equipped sickbay, and full bathroom facilities), and another reception area for visitors and parents.

We now have a small whānau room for visiting parents and families which has been resourced by our Home and School. We have a three station reception space, a separate office managers space, a large storeroom, principal's office and a large meeting and professional learning space for up to 18 people. Come and see for yourself....

### Opening Day: Next Wednesday 31 August.

- **8am: Blessing** by Ngāti Hauā kaumātua, staff, Board, Home and School and families who wish to joins us. Concludes with a cuppa in the staffroom.
- 9.30: Opening involving whole school, whanau and guests.

The opening will begin with all seated between the old and new admin buildings. This will include a few short speeches, and a walkthrough of our new building for visitors and whānau, including viewing of individual pieces of art made by every student, staff, board, home and school and kaumātua. The opening concludes with a morning tea for all guests and whānau, and a treat for children.

Please come and see for yourself... Next Wednesday morning. At 8am or 9.30am.

### **Dropping Children at School and Parking**

Please Note: For safety reasons, the David Street roundabout gate will be closed to traffic next Wednesday morning from 7.30am.

PLEASE DO NOT ENTER DAVID STREET. THERE WILL BE NOWHERE TO TURN AROUND. It is not a big walk for children from Coronation Road or through either of the other school entrances.

Thank you for your understanding.

### Class & Individual Photos - Thurs 1 Sept Team Photos - Thurs 15 Sept



Information and Sibling order forms (on the back of the information sheet) are coming home with all children today. If you are having a sibling photo taken, please get the orders back to the office before Thursday 1st September in time for the photos.

### **Online Ordering**

Photolife will be emailing the Access Key out to our school families as they did last year.

Access Keys are individual codes you can use to order your child's photos online.

As this requires us to share information with Photolife, can you please let us know by Thursday 1

**September** *if you are not happy* for us to share your email address with Photolife. *Photolife have stated that they will only use it to send out the Access Key and one email reminder to place an order. After that they will delete your email address.* 

### Read-A-Thon



### The Read-A-Thon finishes this week.

Please return all booklets and sponsorship money to your child's classroom teacher tomorrow, Friday.

Thank you for supporting your children with their reading goals and our fundraiser which is raising money for outdoor playground spaces.

### **Dates for Term 3**

### Friday 26 August

**Gymsport Festival** 

### Wednesday 31 August

Admin Block Blessing and Opening

### Thursday 1 September

Photolife Class and Individual photos

### Thursday 15 September

**Photolife Team Photos** 

### <u>Thursday 22 September</u> Sausage Sizzle

Friday 30 September Last Day Term 3

Term 4 begins: 17 October

### Wednesday 19 October

Livestock Day held at Morrinsville School

### **Thursday 27 October**

Livestock Group Day



We have a large amount of lost property from this term.

This was put out for classrooms/families to view and retrieve yesterday and is now back in our storage container.

A video of items can be found on our schools facebook page. Parents are able to come down and have a look anytime.

Please come down if you think any of it belongs to your family. Unfortunately we are unable to store lost clothing

indefinitely.

Any unclaimed items will be donated to charity at the end of next week.

### **Junior Poetry Festival**

Our Junior Poetry Festival was held last week. It was a difficult decision for our judges from Morrinsville Intermediate School,

Ayla Byers, Mrs Andrea Devane, and Charlie Atkinson.

Congratulations to the place getters from each junior year, and to all of our poet finalists who presented poems. You were all amazing. Below and over the page are a few pictures of our poets.



Year 1 1st August Foster 2<sup>nd</sup> Harry Pickett 3<sup>rd</sup> Emilee MacDonald Year 2

1st Ayla Clark (Junior Poetry Cup Winner)

2<sup>nd</sup> Ryan Garrud

3<sup>rd</sup> Rose Jackson



































### **Junior Poetry Festival**





























Do we have your up-to-date contact phone numbers, home address and email addresses or any other information we need to know?

Please let the school know by phoning 07 8897780

or email office@davidst.school.nz





## Baking Equipment

The Kauri Team are looking to support our maths and literacy learning through baking. We would appreciate donations of the following items in good condition if you have anything sitting at home. Please deliver to your child's classroom teacher!

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Analogue)
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The YUMMY Apple School Promo finishes at the end of September.

Please keep collecting your stickers and bring them to the school office. Last year we received \$909 of sport equipment through this Promo.

### Purchase Your Entertainment Membership from David Street School.

**Great for the school holidays!** Your purchase of an Entertainment Membership contributes to our outdoor education space. Help us achieve our goal by sharing the link below with your friends and family. Thanks for your support! https://subscribe.entertainmentnz.com/fundraiser/158v329

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### Make it Monday in the Senior School

Some of our senior students using Make it Monday to get creative and learn some new skills with sewing.

Make it Mondays are always popular. It is a great opportunity for students to learn some new skills.









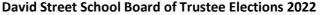




### **Hockey Draw 26 August**

Friday 26 August	Team One	Team Two	Comp
Turf One College			
4:00	DSS Lions	DSS Tigers	Yr 3/4
4:30	Tahuna Super Stars	<b>DSS Panthers</b>	Yr 3/4
5:00	DSS Leopards	Tauhei	Yr 5/6
Turf Two College			
4:30	DSS Wolves	<b>DSS Jaguars</b>	Yr 5/6





Reminder: Voting is open for school Board Elections and voting papers have been sent out to all eligible voters.



We have received the following nominations for the five Parent Representative positions:

- Deborah Galloway-Riwhi
- Michael Garrud
- Katie Horne
- Carla McKenzie
- Rachel Robb
- Jason Stevenson
- Adam Ward

### **Returning Voting Papers**

If posting or hand delivering your voting paper, post/deliver it to:

Returning Officer David Street School 45 David Street **Morrinsville 3300** 

If posting your voting paper, it must be posted on or before 7<sup>th</sup> September and received by the returning officer no later than 5 days after the election date.

Voting closes on *Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> September 2022* at 4pm. Late votes cannot be counted.





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