

Persuasive Writing by Room 6



Vegetables

I think all children should eat vegetables every day. Firstly they are really healthy for you and you can get stronger every time you eat vegetables. Secondly we can grow muscles. Lastly they are super yummy. That's why I think vegetables should be eaten every day.

By Mihi-Rangi

Vegetables

All kids should eat veges every day. Firstly veges are yummy. Secondly if you eat too much meat you will turn fat!!! Lastly if you don't eat veges your skin will get scarred badly. NZ shouldn't be vege free.

By Te Rehua



Should pets be allowed at school?

I think pets should NOT be allowed at school.

Firstly, they might get in a fight by the owners talking and also do their business. Secondly they have to get immunised so they can go on the grass, and meet other pets or they will get sick. Who would want their pet sick?

Lastly, they could disturb you when you are learning in class

And that is why I think pets should NOT be allowed at school.

By Poppy



Pets should be allowed at school. I agree with this statement.

Firstly if all your friends are playing and you don't want to play you can play with your pet.

Secondly who wouldn't want to snuggle up to a furry animal?

Lastly when you cuddle up to them you won't have time to talk. This is why I think pets should be allowed at school.

By Anika



Thursday 1st September, 2016

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Dear Parents/Caregivers, Tena Koutou Katoa

1) Joint NZEI-PPTA - Paid Union Meetings

As you may have heard in the media, the NZEI (primary and early childhood union) and PPTA (post primary union) have asked that all union members attend paid union meetings. Our local area meeting is on **Wednesday 7th September at 9.00am**. They have asked that all principals, teachers and support staff attend. This means our school is closed between 8.45am and 11.30am so that these staff may attend. **We will be open as usual for instruction at 11.30am**. This meeting will be held to discuss the governments review of funding.

2) Western Zone Cross Country

Well done to all those children who took part in yesterdays Western Zone Cross Country. Children who finished in the top 10 are eligible to compete in the **Far North Cross Country** in **Peria School** on **Friday 9th September**. Congratulations to all.

8 Year Old Girls	9 Year Old Girls	10 Year Old Girls	11 Year Old Girls	12+ Year Old Girls
2nd Skyla Andrew 3rd Garnet Berghan 9th Isabella Cutler 10th Pyper Beran	1st= Jessica McCarthy 3rd Kiara Kemp 6th Ella Hammond	2nd Jessie Lee Beatson 3rd Waimitikia Perene 4th Miriana Wharewaka-Cassidy	1st Liana Brown 3rd Pipi Jobe 4th Jahzara Takimoana 6th Billie Williams 7th Lana Harrison 8th Olivia Oughton 9th Summer Hoani	1st Amelia Cutler 2nd Danyelle Mealings
8 Year Old Boys	9 Year Old Boys	10 Year Old Boys	11 Year Old Boys	12+ Year Old Boys
1st Cypress Lewis 2nd Taine Phillips 3rd Nehemaia Brown 5th Jayden Mealings 6th Brodie Takimoana 7th Maddex Van Hilton 8th Chase Jones 9th Tihei Puhipi	2nd Bayden Takimoana 3rd Kayleb Andrew 8th Cohen Harrison 9th Rapata Wharewaka-Cassidy	1st Rico Margison 3rd Cyrus Wiremu 4th Jonathon Cutler 9th Jayvian Makasale	1st Robbie Dawson 3rd Dontae Selwyn 5th Nate Rika	1st Ben McCarthy 2nd Bryn Julian

3) Junior Cross Country

The Junior Cross Country will be held at Pukepoto School on **Tuesday 6th September, 10am (Year 0 - 3)**. This will involve all students from Rooms 1, 2, 7, 9 and 10. If you do not wish your child to participate please inform the class teacher or the office. There will be a sausage sizzle (\$2) available on the day. They will be assembling on the field at 10.00am and will then be walking the course.

Children will be running in 'Ages at 1st January.'

Runs and times are as follows.

5 year old boys	10.30 am
5 year old girls	10.40 am
6 year old boys	11.00 am
6 year old girls	11.10 am
7 year old boys	11.20 am
7 year old girls	11.30 am

4) School Speech Finals

The junior syndicate finals are being finalised tomorrow and the top speech makers from each level will be selected to deliver their speech at the school finals which will be held in the **Rarawa Rugby Clubrooms on Thursday 8th September** starting at **10:30** for **Years 1 - 4**. **Years 5 - 8** will begin at **12:30**. The winners of the Year 5 - 8 will have the opportunity to compete in the Far North Speech Festival at **Far North Reap on Wednesday 14th September**. A quick reminder to all those pupils who received trophies last year, please ensure these are returned as soon as possible.

Year 4	Garnet Berghan	Nehemaia Brown	Jayden Mealings
Year 5	Bella Huntley	Ella Hammond	Maia Harris
Year 6	Shyanne Cummings	Cohen Harrison	James Merlo
Year 7	Rylee Brown	Jahzara Takimoana	Robbie Dawson
Year 8	Bryn Julian	Nyah Toia	Danyelle Mealings

5) Agriculture and Pet Day

Our annual Agricultural and Pet day takes place on the **Tuesday 20th September**, so keep this date free for this fun event. Watch for classroom newsletters to see how you can help at home and details in this newsletter next

week.

6) Books in Homes - Caught Being a Good Dad

The 'Caught Being a Good Dad' award celebrates male caregivers, be they dads, step dads, uncles, grandfathers, etc. We encourage all pupils to nominate their special male person who will go in the draw to win a copy of **"What if?"** by **Randall Munroe**. Please fill in the form at the end of this newsletter and hand it into the school office. The official draw will be held at tomorrow's assembly. Good luck to all!!!

Kia Ora

Jackie Osborne

Tumuaki/Principal



Te Rarawa
JMB HANGI FUNDRAISER
Te Rarawa JMB will be having its annual hangi fundraiser.
Saturday, 3rd September
Pick up 1pm
Cost only \$10
The hangi will be delicious with pork, mutton, chicken, kumara, potato, pumpkin cabbage, stuffing and fried bread.
Orders to Jaki Brown
0211170992 or 4094636 or
PM Lesley Wallace.
We sold out last year, so get your orders in quick.
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Caught Being A Good Dad

I nominate _____ because
he _____

Person Nominating _____ Room _____