

KAPAKAPANUI SCHOOL

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Kia ora parents, children and whānau,

New Students

Yesterday we welcomed 4 new students to our school-Matthias, Kris, Oritta and Mohammad. Welcome guys, it's awesome to have you join us!



Fun times at School!

Last week was a fun first week back at school for us. In 5 short days we opened our junior block and had 2 awesome trips. Nga Kaitoro did a scavenger hunt around Waikanae, Room 5 visited Nairn Cottage and the Museum of City and Sea. Rangatahi Year 7 & 8 have started learning about the general election and had a guest speaker and we finished the week with whānau where the entire school gathered on the field for mass games and tug of war. What a fun and stimulating week!

Student Led Conferences (SLCs)

Our student led conferences are next **Thursday 6 August**. We will send out the information and online booking form tomorrow. The SLCs begin at 2pm and go through until 8pm. There will be up to 4 groups in each of the 30 minute sessions. During this time your child will present their learning to you and you will receive their mid-year report as well as having time to speak to the teacher. If you would like to have an individual meeting with your child's teacher please make time with them after the SLCs and this can be arranged.

School will close at 12.45 pm to give teachers time to have their lunch before the first SLC at 2pm. We are looking forward to the evening!

Navigating the Journey-Sexuality Education

Thank you to everyone who attended last week's information evening. We are looking forward to teaching this unit of work as a school starting in week 6. If you have any further questions please get in touch with your child's teacher.

Health Survey

Schools are required to consult with their communities every two years regarding health programmes. [Please click here](#) to read our overview for 2020 and 2021 and click on the survey link at the bottom. To broaden the information we receive we are asking questions about our Health, PE and EOTC (Education Outside the Classroom) programmes. We value your feedback and thoughts and look forward to your responses. Thank you in advance!

Social Media

Do you belong to our Kapakapanui School Facebook or Instagram pages? If not you are missing out – come and join us!

Mindfulness

Check out the following YouTube clip (14 minutes). Click [Bite-Sized Mindfulness: An Easy Way for Kids to be Happy and Healthy | KIRA WILLEY | TEDxLehighRiver](#)

Last thoughts....

- Jordie's boot did it again-awesome victory to the Canes over the old foe. I'm still annoyed Canterbury took the Shield off Wellington in 1982 so any win over 'them' is a good one!
- Ka pai TJ Perenara for speaking te reo in the post-match interviews-you're a legend!
- Liverpool-we've done it!!!!!!



Cross Country

What an awesome effort from our interschool team at today's Kapiti Schools' event. Results next week.

School Lunches

A reminder that ezlunch is available on MONDAY and FRIDAY. Go to www.ezlunch.co.nz and create an account if you don't already have one. Any questions contact support.mykindo.co.nz or call 09 475 5287.

Key dates

- Aug 3 and 4 – Y7 immunisation
- Aug 5 – BOT meeting
- Aug 10 – Teacher Only Day
- Aug 12 – Junior Winter Tournament
- Aug 19 – senior soccer v Waikanae at Kapakapanui
- Aug 26 – senior soccer v Waikanae at Waikanae
- Sep 2 - Science Show at Kapiti School

Community News

YOGA Waikanae

7:30pm Mondays and Wednesdays. Beginner and Intermediate.
Relieve Tension: Improve Muscle Tone: Relaxation
Phone/Text: 021 641 123 for more information.

ON SITE Before & After School Care @ Kapakapanui School – Fun Zone Enrolments are now open for 2020!

In the School Hall and open till 7pm! Our fun, safe and friendly 'on-site' After School Care Programme has casual and permanent spots available for Kapakapanui School students for 2020!

Now even easier to enrol and book ONLINE! Check us out online www.funzone.co.nz/after-school-care or contact our friendly Fun Zone Enrolment Team. Alternatively pop into the School Hall from 3pm for an enrolment form. *OSCAR Approved – Childcare Subsidies apply*

Horse Powered Reading Programme

Do you have a child that is struggling with reading? We run an 8 week programme that integrates a reading programme with Equine Assisted Therapy.

Equine Specialist: Kelly Henry

Mental Health Clinician: Anna Royal and our team of horses

Programme length: 1 hour session per week for 8 weeks

Price: \$320 (\$40 per session) to be paid in full before programme starts

Number of students: 4 students

Venue: Waikawa Beach. **Website:** <https://horsepoweredreading.com/about-horse-powered-reading>
Research worldwide

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/herdbyhorsesnzequineassistedtherapy/>

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