



Authors of our own learning in collaborative and supportive community that lets play, passion and purpose grow.

ENROLMENT SCHEME

Thank you to those parents who have sent their feedback to the office. The BOT is very aware of the concerns some have raised and these concerns will be fully discussed at the **community meeting**, to be held in the staffroom at 5 p.m. on Thursday, 24 May 2018.

ROLL GROWTH & ADDITIONAL STAFFING

With the continued roll growth, the MOE will not give us any additional teaching space, but will allocate additional staffing. It is expected that the BOT will be in the position to appoint a 14th teacher latter half of the year.

Currently we have housed parts of our current library in the learning spaces of Whenua, Whetu and Marama, with the larger part being in Whenua. However, with the appointment of a 14th teacher, we will no longer be able to continue using part of Whenua as a library and have very limited options available to us.

PROPERTY

Painting: The school and school flats were painted over the April school break. With a few touch ups left to be done, we are pleased with the condition of the school currently.

5 Year Property Plan: The current 5 Yr Property Plan comes to an end in June this year. The BOT is currently undertaking a 10 Year Property Review, from which the next 5 Year Property Plan will emerge with UPOS employed as our consultants.

Playground Drainage: Underground drainage has been installed over the April break at parts of the school playground to make the area more usable throughout the year.

KIDS FIRST JUNIOR DISCO Year 1-4 ONLY

Friday, 18 May 2018

5:30 – 7:00 p.m.

Hauraki Events Centre

KIDS FIRST SENIOR DISCO Year 5-8

Friday, 18 May 2018

Cancelled due to lack of supervision help

IT SUPPORT



NEED IT TECHNICAL SUPPORT?

We can help you with...

Computers

Printers

Networking

Software

Hardware, etc

**Call in at the school office, or
Phone Hardeep (07 8677305)**

HARAKEKE EDUCATION TRUST

The Harakeke Education Trust was established in 2012 and gives parents, students and the school invaluable support. The Trust not only supports families with the purchasing of digital devices, but also helps to make some key strategic decisions in devices being purchased. The HET meets 4 times a year to ensure all administrative needs are met and liaises very closely with the schools IT technician, principal and BOT.

The Trust invites anyone interested in finding out more about how the Trust operates to the next meeting (6:30 p.m. on Monday, 6 August 2018), or to contact any of the current Trustees. It is important to note that such a role does not come with a huge workload as most of the administrative work is undertaken by school staff. However, it is so important to have the parent/community voice in the strategic making process.

- Karl Davis (Chairperson)
- Donna Mischefski (Treasurer)
- Hayley Green (Legal)
- Tracey van Hoovel
- John Garrett

We welcome any interest at the next meeting; you will not be given any roles. Come and find out what it's about first.

HARAKEKE EDUCATION TRUST

Where you have a voice in key strategic decisions



Next Meeting:
6:30 p.m.
Monday, 6 August 2018

MUSIC TUITION AT NPS

<p style="text-align: center;">JAZZ BAND: FREE Fleur Wolstencroft</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Tuesdays - at HPC• Years 5,6,7 & 8• Saxophone Trumpet Trombone• Hire/Buy instruments: www.kbbmusic.co.nz• stug@haurakiplains.school.nz	<p style="text-align: center;">PIANO / KEYBOARD Sally Berg</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Wednesdays - at NPS• A term fee will apply.• allegrolearning@gmail.com	<p style="text-align: center;">NZMSM GUITAR / UKULELE Sue Speedy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Fridays - at NPS• Individual or in pairs depending on numbers• A term fee will apply• 0276976109 or• speedy@kinect.co.nz
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**Kids First
Whittaker's Chocolate Fundraiser 2018**



Hi everyone, this was such a successful fundraiser for our committee last year we are super keen to do it again (and we all like chocolate!)

Again, we are asking that every family sell at least one box of chocolates (36 bars at \$2 each - \$72). We will be offering prizes for the most chocolate sold and are including some spot prizes for lucky sellers!

The chocolate was sent home with the eldest child at school on Friday 11 May and the money will need to be back by Friday 1 June.

This year we have only sent home mixed boxes of chocolate as they were so popular last year.

We do ask that every family participate in this fundraiser but if you are unable to, please let us know. Also, if you know that you would like to receive more boxes, please let Christine know.

Email Christine kf.treasurer@ngatea.school.nz or call 0274 99 88 92.



An order form has been sent home with each family. Orders and payment need to be in by 14th June 2018 for delivery on the 28th June. The pies will need to be collected from the staffroom available from 1pm.

Upcoming DATES:

- Week 3: Friday 18 May - Kids First Junior Disco - 5.30 pm
- Week 4: Monday 21 May - BOT Meeting - 7.30 pm
Thursday 24 May - School Zone Community Meeting - 5.00 pm
- Week 5: Student Led Conferences (Days to be confirmed)
- Week 6: Monday 4 June - Queen's Birthday
Wednesday 6 June - Kids First Meeting - 7.00 pm
- Week 8: Monday 18 June - BOT Meeting - 7.30 pm
- Week 9: Moana Parent Interviews
- Week 10: Tuesday 3 July and Wednesday 4 July - Learning in the Making Conference
Friday 6 July - Grandparents Day
Friday 6 July - Last Day of Term 2