



YEAR 2013. Term 3 Weeks 6. 02.09.13 – 06.09.13.

Our VISION: **Te Manu Tu Ke** - *The bird that stands unique. Te Manu e kawea tonutia! Te Manu e whakaahurutia! Te Manu Tu Ke!*
The bird that Perseveres; that is Protected; that stands with Pride & Positivity

Kia ora tatou, nga matua, nga kaitiaki me nga whanau o te kura,
Illness is still affecting our students' and staff attendance. We thank those "gems of colleagues"
of our staff and our relievers Koka Tania Keelan and Koka Melody Crow for stepping into the gaps!

The Mke Cross Country!

We did still have absences or coughings etc on the day but join with us to
CONGRATULATE our 2013 Champions!

CONSERVATION WEEK

CALL-OUT to PLEASE DONATE:

A FRUIT TREE (may be self-sown) or a HERB for our
ORCHARD or GARDENS?
MOST APPRECIATED... Nga mihi nui.

Y0 B/G	1 st : Jiraiya Patuwai	2 nd : Puaiti Wylie	1 st : Maraeta Taitapanui	2 nd : Te Rerepuhitai Raroa-Devery
Y1B	1 st = Jack Maurirere & Rixon Skudder	3 rd Pheghan Wanoa,	4: Raymond Mulligan	5: TeAute Stewart
Y1G	1 st : Aaliyah Warmenhoven	2 = Saige Brown & Mary-Jane Coley	3: Heeni Kamaia Taare	4: Journey Tarawa
	1 st	2 nd	4 th	5 th
Y2B	Levi Hune	Repoma Te Rahui-Keenan	Kaea Stewart	Hector Wilson-McGhee
Y2G	Ishtar Mackey-Huriwai	Jamieson Tapsell	Rangimaitu Patuwai	Moana Jones
Y3B	Kallen Edwards	Ngaru Grayson	Te Tai Awarangi Ngere Ngere	4 th : Jordan Poihipi
Y3G	Brooklyn Kemp	Saqqara Warmenhoven	Sharlee Barbarich	Shadei Wynyard
Y4B	Hamua Pakaru	Izayah Huhu	Derek Taare	Jacob Cashmore
Y4G	Ariana Jones-Turipa	Carolanne Tau	Brooklyn Kirkpatrick	Naomi Hohepa
Y5B	Huatahi Patuwai	Koha Hune	Oscar Philips	Rigante Keelan
Y5G	Samara Gordon	Hinemana Lloyd	Manaia Haenga	Kaliyah Edwards
Y6B	Karauria Whaitiri-Te Miha	Kahu Whaitiri-Te Miha	Mesiah Tarawa	Robbie Matete-Milner
Y7B	Jake Tau	Kahn Grayson	Tuhakia Stewart	Paige Raroa-Devery
Y7G	Monisha Whaitiri-Te Miha	Maria Reti	Huntin Hooper	D'Andre Wilson-McGhee
Y8B	Tane Wills-Aranga	Rongonui Kahurangi	Rylan Lewis-Smith	
Y8G	Parehuia Taylor	Maumahara Horsfall	Awatea Chapman-Jobe	Kimaia White, Petiata Koria, Chevrolet Babbington



At left: **Monisha Whaitiri-Te Miha**, makes it look easy, as she strides out to take first year 7 girl position. Strong, passionate runner, **Parehuia Taylor** powers home as first year 8 girl winner!



At left: **Maumahara Horsfall**, shows quiet determination to ensure that she could run her own race to a well-earned 2nd Place position! These three girls were outstanding senior models who had high standards for themselves, worked hard – and simply ran without stopping!
Ka wani ke – kotiro ma!
Photos by Koka Maureen Ratapu.

HUI
1st DRAW
Winner:
No. 21
Koka
Maureen Ratapu.
2x VESTS

2nd DRAW
Winner:
No. 15
Koka
Cindy Wills
1x VEST

HUI
\$50 Pak n
Save
Voucher:
No. 34
Matua
Adam Tapsell

\$50 Pak n
Save
Voucher:
No.24
Matua
Sam Hiko

Health Matters!

For HEALTHY teeth & Gum-free GROUNDS at kura!

The STAFF and STUDENTS have made an agreement together that **NO child will bring chewing-gum or bubble-gum to school!** In the mornings on the way to the bus-stops, children are buying gum.
Please expect your child to NOT buy gum before school!

HEADLICE / KUTUS

Regular checking is the key to stay on top of this problem!

School Policy: School will contact the parents. Hair must then be cleaned and cleared of all head lice adults AND eggs.

We can seek support for you from PHN Margaret Parsons our Rural PHN who will contact you to work with you or your child.

What is Rheumatic Fever?

R.F. is a serious disease caused by a *strep throat*. It can make children very sick and cause heart damage. This can mean a lifetime of feeling breathless and tired. Rheumatic fever may also shorten their life.

Ask your children to tell you when they have a sore throat so it can be checked for the strep bug.

Turanga Health will be available at Manutuke School to educate and to do throat swabs on a regular basis.

Contact: Janelle Te Rauna-Lamont

janelle@turangahealth.co.nz / 068690457

Our LEARNING-COMMUNITY Hui!

Good numbers supported our Hui from which we were wanting to stir and challenge us to think about a *Learner-Centred, inclusive Manutuke School!* This was our ultimate aim! From the school's perspective we are needing to walk this learning journey with you, for the benefit of each kid's *academic* as well as holistic achievement! It was important for all of us to see/hear about some wow examples of what students across our full school can be expected or empowered to do about their own learning paths!

On the other hand, it was like bringing 'Coals to Newcastle' to hear how to be a Culturally-inclusive kura, especially from a Maori perspective in Te Kura o Manutuke from Matua Boycie Davey, but nonetheless important for us to reflect and be honest about e.g. our High Standards across all areas of learning and behaviour, for our tamariki.

OUTCOMES of the Hui:

Nineteen (19) of the Hui's attendants signed up to be in the school's CHANGE TEAM. That is a mighty, brilliant sign for our kura! Barbara Thomas, who ran our Hui, is a MoE Student Achievement facilitator and will be The Facilitator for our Change Team. This means that WE design what we want e.g. from our students' data – the needs / strengths, WE determine our goals, actions, resources and our Facilitator brokers these for us on our behalf.

GRATITUDE of THANKS: HUGE thanks to Moeau Stewart who oversaw the caring of our tamariki during the hui. Special thanks also to Pikihero Stewart, Kataraina Jones-Turipa and Kiana Grayson for tending to toddlers and babes! **ACTION:** To contact each CHANGE TEAM member to determine the best day and time for us to meet especially for the first hui.

Sincere Condolences!

On behalf of the Board of Trustees, Staff and our tamariki we sincerely extend our condolences, karakia and aroha to Koka Angela Perrett, the three boys, Wade, and Koby, both of Room 4, pre-schooler Connor and the extended whanau, for the heartbreaking loss of their dad, hubby, and whanau member - **Matua Steve Perrett**. We extend our thoughts also to the staff of Paparatu Station of whom Steve was their Manager. He certainly has left a fine legacy in the handiworks of his mahi as well as in the strong connections he built especially with Koka Ange; highly evidenced in the romping, boisterous antics of their three sons!

Ma te Atua e manaaki e tiaki hoki mo tenei wa tino taumaha tonu!