



Mauri ora ki nga Whanau me nga Hoa o te Kura,

# The M2Kai FOOD Festival

The M2Kai Food Festival has been postponed to the  
**Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March, 4.30 – 7.00 pm**

Whanau please continue donations coming in



## A FUN FUNDRAISER!

**Wyllie Hiko** will be fighting in the *Te Ihi a Tu Fight Night* on the 21st March at the YMCA. This is a fundraiser for present students **Ishtar Mackey-Huriwai** and **Alizay Grant**, and also past students **Ihipera Mackey** and **Ashlay Grant** to get them to the World Games held in Thailand in August this year. Nau Mai Haere Mai! All welcome to come, support and enjoy!



## INTERSCHOOL SWIMMING HELD 04.03.15

**Manutuke School** placed 7<sup>th</sup> with 34 points Team: **Piper Barbarich, Ishtar Mackey-Huriwai, Rixon Skudder, Sharlee Barbarich, Alizay Grant, Jordan Poihipi** and **Ngaru Grayson**. Mrs **Tina Skudder** (T.i.C) was very impressed with her team members' behaviour, attitudes and participation and especially thanks **Vania Barbarich** for her help. Thank you to whanau also!



## Te Manu Tu Ke – A Bird that stands Unique!

**Rixon Skudder: 1<sup>st</sup> place overall for his age group - 8 years old!**

*A superb outcome for a talented youngster!*

## UNIFORM LOGO PRINTING occurs in the Up-and-Coming Holidays!

Our shirts, tee-shirts for sports, our shorts and polar-fleece jerseys look so polished and sharp when the school's LOGO is printed on them. Take the holidays to get your LOGOS printed. **13.04.15 with pick up on the 17.04.15, Eternal Studios, 58 Customhouse Street.**

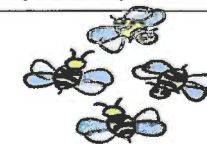


Bee Keepers and Honey Bees Visit



**The Bee Team:** Michael, Louie and Dale (The only female bee keeper in Gisborne)

I liked holding the boy bee, and his legs were ticklish. I put him in the hive. **Bonnie Tamamui-Pitman** (Seen at left) Room 4.



Honey bees find tiny puddles on wet sand to keep them hydrated. Bees can't go in big rain because they're little. Girl bees' collect pollen and nectar to make honey while boy bees eat honey and be lazy. Honey bees collect pollen and nectar then they put these in the honeycombs and a little while later it becomes honey. Bees make their nest in bushes and hollow trees also close to flowers.  
**Rixon Skudder, Room 3.**

Today the beekeeper visited us. Bees have four predators' wasp, bumble bee, bird and mice. Bee's drink creek water only if it is shallow and sandy. Girl bee's sting you boy bee's don't. Bees have a better scent than dogs. If a bee stings you they die and they're pumping their venom into you. Bee's drink nectar for them to get some energy to fly. Nectar has vitamin and protein for the bees.

If there is no queen bee at a hive all the bees will join a new hive. A queen bee lives in the hive with her son's and daughters. The queen bee's sons are called drone and her daughters are called worker bees. The queen's daughters do all the work and her sons are lazy.

**Aislinn Tahiwai** (Seen at right). Room 3.



The bee keepers have a smoker that calms the bees down, so the bee keepers can get honey. When the queen is born she comes out of a cocoon like a caterpillar. Sometimes there are two queens born. **Moana Jones** (Above left front) R3

## Up and Coming Dates:

13.03.15 to the 27.03.15.	<b>M2Kai Food Festival</b> – bringing kai koha to kura. Accepting bottling, trays of soft-drinks, home baking, home-made lollies, rewena, fruit, vegetables, melons, sausages etc. Check with the kaiako.	
16.03.15	Duffy Role Model, 1.30 pm – Diana Queenin to present to our Assembly!	
27.03.15	<b>FUNDRAISER: M2Kai – FOOD FEST. 4.30PM – 7.00 PM</b>	
23-27 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Life Education Programmes in the kura	26.03.15: GDC update Hui at Manutuke School
01.04.15	Interschool Y5&6 Waka Ama	
02.04.15	<b>End of Term 1 – School finishing at 2pm.</b>	
03.04.15	GOOD FRIDAY	
20.04.15	Term 2 2015 opens	