



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

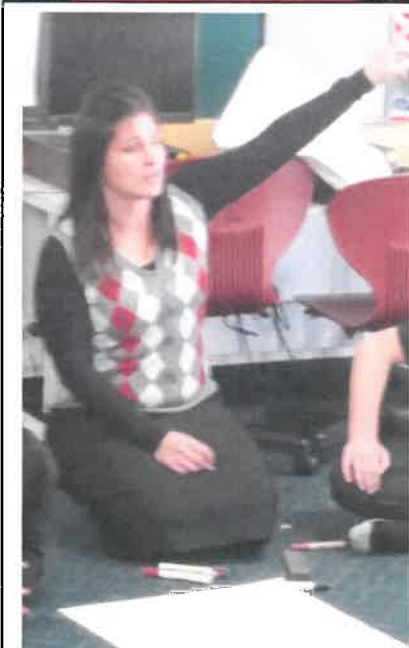
The school is very fortunate that we have the contacts and networks that can provide us with super experts to come in and take our tamariki for exciting and top-learning options.

Te Tairawhiti GATE Puoro Workshop!



12.05.15: Matua **Jerome Cavanagh** visited Manutuke School again, to take 30 Maori boys from across Te Tairawhiti, including **Ayden Wallace, Izayah Huhu, Trent-Rae Mulligan-Priestley, Joshua Patuwai, Hamua Pakaru and Tipene Te Rahui-Keenan**, seen above with Motu, Muriwai, Waerenga-o-Kuri and Patutahi whanau.

It was fantastic to see 30 boys highly engaged and cooperating, from 9.30 to 1p.m. They heard Matua play the nguru –nose flute, the puutaatara and several other Maori instruments which Matua made himself. He then taught the boys how to make their own musical instruments, see left. "I know how to use a file now" said Tipene and "I can make a bamboo flute that can sound real cool", said Hamua!



Pupil Input to build Safe NIKE Bus Systems!

The school has been without support, this year, from the Police to help us put into place our usual Bus Safety and Monitor training workshops.

However, we approached Koka **Lenora McDonald**, (Grace's Mum) who works for NZ Transport Ltd. She was quick to offer her services to design a programme that would support our Room 1 and 10 seniors. Thus on the 10.06.15 Koka took a workshop from 9.30 to 1p.m. and was able to get hands-on data about the problems that our tamariki have on the bus including the persistent misbehaviours. From here, Koka Lenora will build with the children a power-point about their findings and their suggested solutions to present to our police team and our PB4L team. Koka Lenora is seen at left, passionately exhorting our tamariki. Thank you Koka Lenora!



Due to Koka Lenora's input Manutuke School now does have an allocated Liaison Police Officer, **Constable Caroline** seen seated in the photo, behind our tamariki. Constable Caroline has already made herself known to our tamariki, traveling behind them out to school and then hopping onto the bus to talk with them. She will make herself a very important part of our MKE Whanau - positively and very happily helping us to keep our children safe and to give our seniors guidance and high expectations to practice excellent Monitor skills.

2015 Tamararo Kapa Haka Winners!

20.06.15: Super Congratulations to an OUTSTANDING Manutuke School Kapa Haka Roopu under the leadership and tutelage of Matua **Parekura Tureia**, Papa **Taharakau Stewart** and Koka **Ana Te Kani** with exceptional support from our high school whanau, **Moeau Stewart**, **Olinka Matete**, **Pikihoru Stewart**, and the ringawera Koka **Lenora Mc Donald**, Koka **Lyn Davies**, Koka **Jamie Waitiri**, Matua **Kelly Te Miha** and the many other whanau members who were there for our roopu across many marae noho and preparations for the BIG DAY and the BIG WIN!

Y8 kotiro	Grace White (Kai tataki kotiro), Layken Morrell, Bree Edwards, Mere Te Rahui-Keenan, Kalani Pakaru, Geogia Wanoa, Ataahua Edwards, Taley-Jade Kemp.
Y8 tama	Karauria Waitiri-Te Miha (Kai tataki tama), Reweti Ropiha, Kahu Waitiri-Te Miha, Matthew Pencha, Ravin Walker, Mesiah Tarawa.
Y7, 6, 5 kotiro	Johelonn Toroa-Taare, Vania Barbarich, Ocean Williams, Te Aria Henwood, Keisharn Hohipa, Hinemana Lloyd, Samara Gordon-Smith, Y6: Ngapera Isaacs, Ariana Jones-Turipa, Kaliyah Edwards, Y5: Sharlee Barbarich, Kharma Morell.
Y7,6,5tama	Matariki Kaa, Te Ahikaa Mihaka, Te Arika Toheriri, Silas Brown, Perenara Stewart, Huatahi Patuwai, Hamua Pakaru, Izayah Huhu, Joshua Patuwai, Tipene Te Rahui-Keenan, Ayden Wallace, Trent-Rae Mulligan-Priestley, Derek Taare, Jordon Poihipi.



The kaitaki kotiro **Grace White**, (extreme left) very happy after her roopu's stunning performance; still able to be gracious and regal after all her hard work. At immediate left, **Kahu** and **Karauria Waitiri-Te Miha**, confident and ready for the battle as they wait at kura. Both **Gracie** and **Karauria** went on to win their respective kaitataki kotiro and tama Awards!

24.6.15: Interschool Rugby League at Te Whanau School. Levi Hune, Ngaru Grayson, Renata Wyllie, Repoma Te Rahui-Keenan, Izayah Huhu, Alizay Grant, Asher Steedman, Hamua Pakaru, Jordan Poihipi, Jamieson Tapsell, Te Awarangi Ngere Ngere, Jahvarn Parata, Kallen Edwards, Shean Edwards, Richard Tamanui-Pitman.