



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

So impressed and thrilled koutou ma, with the high numbers of mums, dads, nannies, papas, aunties, uncles, ex-pupils, with tamariki nohinohi i.e. Whanau and Friends, who came to support our M2K Camp at Churchill Park last week. Our kaimahi and our tamariki just so pumped and valued you being there for them, for us; brings such a rich quality to the learning, the fun and the togetherness - TE KOTA HITANGA at its BEST!

TE KOTA HITANGA – working as ONE to support each other!



Peyton Smith (Y1, R9) relaxes with her Dad, Matua Kelvin Smith in their R9 Marae tent, waiting for tea.



Nga tama toa o Koka Waina, can't wait for kai tina, Seaton McKinnon, Denim Stone, Micah Tapsell, Tawhiao Ferris, Dallas Mua-Tihore and Johannes Warmenhoven sharing a snack!



Pheghan Wanoa, Wyllie Hiko, Renata Wyllie, little cousin Nicholas Wyllie and Richard Tamanui-Pitman waiting for tea.



Nanny Maureen Ratapu and Ngaru Grayson happy to see each other!



Koka Aroha Tamanui & Koka Kimi Pennell.

Papa Taharakau Stewart & Whanau
Transporting and tending to shades etc.

Koka Helen Mason
- Chief Camp Organiser & shopper!

Nga mihi aroha ki a koutou!



Above left: Buddies Ariana Jones-Turipa and Wi Mangu, serious card players, waiting for tea! Above right: Two mates, Magnessun Matete-Milner and Ania Cook are both ready for the BIG Friday! At left: Ex-Board member, Nanny Vanessa Fraider with mokos, Corey-Page Williams and Kohi Mason arrive at the M2K camp! (Arohama! for any errors – I got the spelling from the big moko!)

Board of Trustees Panui

1. The Board bought a *Hi-Ace Mini-bus*, for 11 new entrant, 5 year olds to be transported daily from and to kura. A kaiako will drive. The Board has bought 11 booster seats! Parents of the 11 children, in fact ALL of us will know who these akonga / students will be.
2. Please NOTE: During school hours the mini-bus can be used for EOTC trips that won't interfere with the town runs.
3. At this time, the design of the signage for the mini-bus is being draughted, and will be completed, ONCE confirmed.
4. The current \$7.40 per child per week bus cost will reduce to a *round-\$5.00* as from the 7.03.16 - 7th March 2016.
5. As the Mini-bus is a new asset for our school, the Board must be assured that we have solid procedures, thus it will not be hired out.

Board of Trustee's Elections! Board of Trustee's Elections

Current Board Members: Chairperson - Jackie Jones-Turipa, Deputy Chair- Cindy Wills, Finance – Pera Ngere Ngere, Health & Safety – Nancy-Rae Tarawa, Property – Ben Brown, Staff Rep - Parekura Tureia, Treasurer – Matu Pardoe and the Principal, wish to challenge you our parents, our whanau to seriously consider supporting Manutuke School as a Board Member! Bring your skills, your expertise, your heart and passion to the Board Table – *Make a Board Difference in the lives of our Students!*

May 6th: Nomination Forms for Prospective Board Members in the school.
May 20th at NOON: Close-Down of Nominations.

Voting will occur if more than 5 (five) parent nominations come in!

A SERIOUS CORRECTION to a Pepa No 1 error:
 Pies and Savouries will ONLY be available on
FRIDAYS!

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To help us pay for things that the MOE does not fund us for! Thank you Whanau!