



Term 4

'Learning for the future'

2nd December 2015

Dear Parents & Caregivers, Tena koutou katoa

Kamo Primary School Awards

At the end of year prizegiving, which is to be held at Kamo High School on **Thursday 10th December at 6.00pm**, students from across the school will be recognised for their efforts over the entire school year. This is a very special time for all of us and we hope you can join us on the night. As part of the lead up to the prizegiving I thought I would let parents and caregivers know which awards are given out and what they are for.

Some of these awards are a culmination of many years of hard work and determination.

KPS Awards

Hannah Trophy - Awarded to the most outstanding Year 6 student across all areas including academic, sporting, social, citizenship, initiative, perseverance, contributing to school events, and consistency.

Sherman Award - This award was instigated in 2005 in honour of Mr. Gary Sherman who died of cancer. Mr. Sherman was a very active member of the Home and School committee, and was president in 2004. He was a very innovative and proactive member of the school community who demonstrated initiative and enthusiasm. This is awarded for students who clearly demonstrate initiative, enthusiasm, and innovative approaches to school life.

Sports Award - Awarded to the most outstanding sports person across all aspects of sport and physical education.

Kauri Awards - Awarded to high achievers in Year 6, across all areas including academic, sporting, social, citizenship, initiative, perseverance, contributing to school events, and consistency.

Griffin Awards - Awarded to high achievers in each year group, across all areas including academic, sporting, social, citizenship, initiative, perseverance, contributing to school events, and consistency.

Maori Leadership Award - Awarded to a senior student for the following... Unique to Maori cultural principles such as - ako, whanaungatanga, tangata whenuatanga, manaakitanga, wananga, displaying good academic progress and improvement and is a role model of positive and supportive behaviour.

ICT/e-Learning Awards - Two awards are given out to students who display outstanding leadership and knowledge in e-Learning/ICT.

Merit Awards - Each teacher awards up to 6 students for outstanding achievement across all areas. These are students that demonstrate outstanding qualities or achievements. These are given out at a school assembly.

Rex Morris
Acting Principal

School Finishes for 2015 - 12 noon Tuesday 15th December
Term 1 2016 starts Tuesday 2nd February

Raapa 25 o Whiringa-a-rangi

Ngā mihi nui kia koutou katoa, Manaia View School Cultural Festival

This **Friday**, we will be attending the Manaia View School Cultural Festival. One hundred and forty KPS students will be travelling by bus to perform kapahaka on their stage. The children will be performing at 12:50. Parents and Whanau are welcome to attend.

Nga Rerenga Kōrero o te Wiki

hui: to gather, assemble, a meeting

E haere ana tātou ki te **hui** raranga.

*We are going to the weaving **meeting**.*

Mā te rangatira o te iwi te **hui** e tīmata ki te karakia.

*The chief of the tribe will begin the **meeting** with the prayer.*

Kei te papa tuatoru te **hui** ā te ahiahi nei.

*The **meeting** will be held on the third floor this afternoon.*

Congratulations Kamo Primary Silver Award Enviro School Achieved

The Enviro Team met with the Enviro Schools facilitators yesterday to present the Kamo School enviro programme for inspection. After a two hour presentation and inspection the school was awarded with Silver Enviro status. The Enviro schools programme supports children and young people to plan, design and implement sustainability actions that are important to them and their communities.

Congratulations to the enviro team. A very big thank you to the team who have worked hard for over two years to implement the school wide activities that makes the school a sustainable organisation. A special thank you to Mrs Norman and Mrs Thomson for their incredible efforts in the enviro programme.



Mrs Norman with Josh and Riley holding the Silver Award and the Bronze award which was presented to the school in 2008.



Mrs Thomson with Tayliah and Mehal holding the Silver Award and the Bronze award which was presented to the school in 2008.

The Enviro Team

Eloise Holly Jessica W Riley Joshua Tayliah Mehal Grace Reef Alexis Aroha Jaimee Ella
Hinemarie Abbey Sapphire Hannah Jessica B Natalie Grace Crystal

SCHOOL NOTICES

Stationery - Reminder Activities contributions/School Donations are now due please pay ASAP.

Bank a/c number is 12 3093 0156736 01 - Please put child's name and a reference: eg activities contribution/donation Contribution Fee \$14.00 per child School Donations are now due - 1 child \$60.00 Family \$90.00

Children should not be arriving to school **before 8.15am** in the morning as there is no supervision. All children should be collected at **3.00pm**. Children should not be playing on the playground after school unless their parents/caregivers are there to supervise them. Teachers have meetings after school therefore there is no one to supervise children.

Parking - Please do not park in the school carpark.

Children not returning to school for 2016 - Please notify the school office if your child is not returning to Kamo Primary School next year.

Library Books - Any Library school books found at home please return ASAP.

Parking outside Save Mart - Please do not park on the grass outside Savemart.

Twilight Hockey - Last day today.

Home & School

- Kids Xmas Raffle will be on sale tomorrow (Thursday)
- from 8.30am outside the school office. They will be drawn
- on the last day at assembly.



Kidzone Holiday Programme

Kidzones after school care will be open from 12.00 - 5.30 on the last day of school.

The holiday programme will be open from the 16th to the 23rd December.

We will then reopen on Tuesday the 5th January to the 29th January.

Check out our fun filled itinerary on www.kidzones.co.nz plus you can enrol online.

WINZ subsidies are available.

Contact Sandra North 021 249 3308 43 53342

Literacy Awards

Jackson Gotz - for outstanding effort and great ideas in Literacy Group

Tyrone Matoe - for excellent achievement in story writing

Joshua McGee - for a sensible attitude and fabulous vocabulary in writing.

Shavanna Park - for a great attitude and effort in Literacy.

Congratulations to all students who represented Kamo Primary School at the WPSSA Athletics day last Tuesday.

A special mention to

Harry Lowther 1st place 300m

Jacob Lowther 3rd place 80m

Jacob Lowther 3rd place 100m

Jacob Lowther 1st place high jump

Jacob Lowther 1st place long jump

Javahn Jones 2nd place high jump

Javahn Jones 1st place shot put

Hawaiikinui Wihongi 2nd place 300m

Ryley Wise 2nd place 60m

Lorenz Bristowe 3rd place 80m

Kowhai Syndicate Concert

“We are the world” raising money to help refugee immigrants.

Friday 11th December

in the hall at 1.30pm

Kowhai Teachers will be sending home separate notes for props/costumes required.



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Winter Timetable

<p>Mon: 9am 5.45pm</p> <p>Tues: 9am 9.30am 5.45pm 6.30pm</p> <p>Thurs: 9am 9.30am 5.45pm 5.45pm</p> <p>Sat: 8am</p>	<p>Weight/ Fitness Circuit BoxFit</p> <p>KickFit (Mum & Bub friendly) SeniorFit (Senior Circuit) KickFit Yoga</p> <p>BoxFit (Mum & Bub friendly) SeniorFit (Senior Circuit) KickFit Yoga</p> <p>Fit Bits</p>
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