



Term 2, Week 7 2024 Friday June 14 <u>www.reremoana.school.nz</u>

Kia Ora, Kia Orana, Malo e Lelei, Fakaalofa Lahi Atu, Talofa Lava, Nǐ hǎo, Salut, Namaste, Bonjour, Bula Vinaka, Guten Tag, Goeie Dag, Shalom, Cześć, Hello, Ciào, おはよう (Ohayoou), 안녕 Ahn Nyeong, Olá, Privet!, Xin Chào, Salam, Goedendag, Chom Reap Sour, សូស្ Suosdei, Ayubowan, Enléó

At Reremoana School, we ensure we keep up to date with current research and developments in the field of education. This means our teachers and leadership team are well informed and make strategic, purposeful decisions around teaching and learning strategies and approaches for all of our learners.

Our Teacher Only Day on 31 May was one of the 2 teacher only days provided by the Ministry of Education around curriculum changes (the 2nd one is Tuesday 29 October) Our focus was around the science of learning which is a current priority for the Ministry of Education. Better Start Literacy Approach (BSLA) our structured literacy programme is an example of an approach that explicitly uses science of learning informed strategies.

The Education Hub explains that 'The science of learning draws on research from cognitive psychology, neuroscience and education to understand the processes through which we learn. While there is a focus on the cognitive processes involved in learning, the science of learning also recognises that cognition is affected by affective, emotional and contextual factors.'

The science of learning shows us how memory works and how new information is learnt and remembered through processes like linking new learning to prior knowledge and understandings. Our brains can get overwhelmed if our brains are trying to process too much new information as our working memory has limited capacity. It's vital that we provide opportunities for practicing of new learning and that teachers provide specific feedback along the way.



The science of learning also reflects concepts such as motivation and self-regulation as being key to learning along with a sense of self-belief in our ability to learn. The science of learning links to many of our other professional learning as well as the practices we know well and already ensure are part of our daily teaching and learning.

Our teachers are also working through the Teaching Councils' Unteach Racism resources. These were created with the Human Rights Commission. Our focus has been on how to respond to racism both from individuals and systems. Racism can be uncomfortable to talk about and we want to ensure we can lean in and confront it through safe and productive conversations.

We want to ensure our teachers have all the update knowledge and skills that ensure they continue to be the best teachers/kaiako of your tamariki!

Julie Cowan Principal Learn Grow Succeed E ako E tipu E tu! UNTEACH Racism

#### WHAT'S INSIDE?

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Rurea, taitea, kia tū ko taikākā anake.



Strip away the bark and expose the heartwood.

### REPORTING TO FAMILIES

## THREE WAY CONFERENCES

Teachers are in the process of writing reports, which will be released school-wide on Thursday 27th June via HERO. Conferences will be in the last week of this term, and are for all students in all teams. Information regarding these has been shared today via HERO.

Please note the timeline for Whaea Shannon Gugich-Mackenzie's Kaitiaki looks a little different as she is on leave that week.

#### All the information regarding days, times and booking your conference(s) can be found on HERO.

Three important actions:

- Access all of the information about conferences via the HERO post
- Book your conferences by going to "School Bookings" on HERO
- As school finishes at 12:30 on July 3rd, please complete the HERO survey to let us know how children will get home

# Te Awa Market Day 20 June

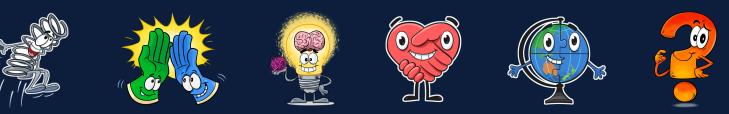
To buy things at Market Day, Market Money can be pre-purchased through Kindo or at the office. THE CUT OFF DATE FOR MARKET DAY MONEY PURCHASING HAS BEEN EXTENDED TILL TUESDAY 18 JUNE. It will be handed out to the children on the morning of the market. NO cash sales will be accepted.

We are selling bracelets, crayon diyas, stress balls, jolly jars, vehicles, cloud dough, painted rocks, food and more!

We will also have games with prizes like Basketball, obstacle courses, water balloons and others!



**Closes Tues 18** 



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# REREMOANA SCHOOL MATARIKI CELEBRATION

# THURSDAY JUNE 27, 5:30-7:30PM REREMOANA SCHOOL

JUNIOR AND SENIOR KAPA HAKA PERFORMANCES HUB WHETŪ DISPLAY COMPETITION NGĀ KĒMU/GAMES HĀNGĪ LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES



Orders are now open on **Kindo** (or via the school office) Pre-sales only - orders close 20 June (1 week prior to the Matariki celebration on 27th June) **Hangi \$15** 

#### Hangi combo \$20

Combo includes fry bread and can of fizzy Vegetarian hangi available Drinks and fry bread also available separately on the night



Get your Hāngī tickets on KINDO today!

Closes Thurs 20

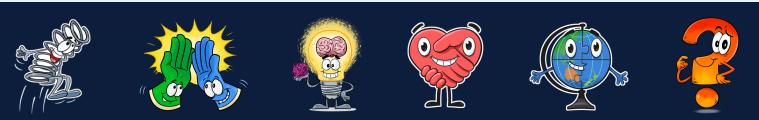


# Introducing....

# Te Roopu ō Hinemoana

As you may know. our Senior Kapa Haka Performing Group consistently practise each Monday after school for an hour and a half. This Roopu have been planning and thinking about a name that represents who they are. and have settled on Te Roopu o Hinemoana! This name is connected to our Pātaka Kai kaupapa and is significant as it represents our connection to te Moana. Our current Roopu are excited to have a new name and have set the bar high for future generations of Kapa Haka to come!





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# Conifer Grove Cultural Exchange

# Tuesday 11th June

Conifer Grove School and Reremoana School have continued on our haerenga, where we aim to meet regularly each year to inspire and uplift the mana of our Kapa Haka. Te Ākitai hapū is the genesis, purpose, and foundation of our relationship, to ensure we are honouring and giving mana to our mana whenua. On Tuesday we took Te Roopu o Hinemoana to Conifer Grove School where we learnt a new pātere; Hoturoa, did a 'haka off' and shared our waiata we have been busy learning. On the way home our tamariki were busy singing thier waiata, talking about the experience and on a high. We are feeling so inspired and looking forward to the next kaupapa with Conifer Grove School next term!







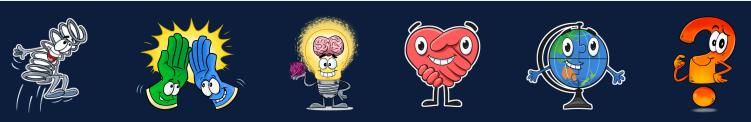






THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING OUR CAMP FUNDRAISER!

A HUGE THANK YOU TO MARY GIAM FOR RUNNING BOTH OF OUR HOT DOG LUNCHES THIS TERM -YOU ARE A STAR!



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#### **CELEBRATING ACHIEVEMENTS**

It was an awesome day at CCSA Hockey last Friday. A huge congratulations to the boys who came 1st and are heading to Counties, and also to the girls who came in 2nd place.

I was so proud of our teams today, they were positive, encouraging of each other and just genuinely there to have a good time and give it a go.

Avery special thank you to Josh and Jorien for coaching, Mrs T & Yvonne for your help today and a shout out to our drivers for shuttling the tamariki, Miss O'Reilly and Ms Fothergill.







#### UPCOMING SPORTS EVENTS

#### TERM TWO

Week 8 Wednesday 19th - Counties Boys Hockey Week 10 Monday 1st July - CCSA Netball

#### Friday 5th July - RS Cross Country

If you are able to help with supervision on the day, please email courtneyw@reremoana.school.nz

# **Piano Showcase**

On Wednesday the 12th of June students who attend Nick Dow piano lessons performed at their Piano Showcase. It was great to see our tamariki perform in front of a live audience of friends and whānau, and to showcase their hard work! Ka pai tamariki mā!







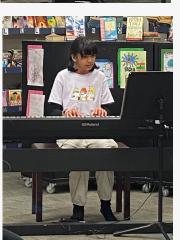
















To book a lesson email: nickdowmusicnz@gmail.com





Nick Dow is a Music Creator, Composer, and Songwriter. Check out some of his music in the **QR** code above!

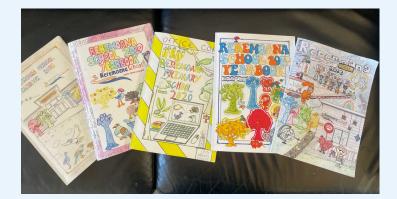
### REREMOANA SCHOOL 2024 YEARBOOK

Every year we produce a high quality book of memories, by way of the Reremoana School Yearbook.

### These are able to be ordered now via HERO, at a cost of \$25.

The Yearbook has hundreds of photos and the whole yearbook is printed in full colour. It includes class pages, Matariki, Camps, various school and sports events. There are many photos within the yearbook and your child is bound to be in some of them.

Having your own copy is a great way to remember what your child's schooling was like. You can look back in years to come and the memories will come flooding back for you and your child.



#### ORDER YOUR YEARBOOK

TODAY ON HERO

\$25 PER COPY

# TERM 2 IMPORTANT DATES

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 8 17 - 21 June		Last day to purchase Te Awa Market Day Money		Te Awa Market Day Collection day for Kai Pie orders Hangi orders close	Enviro Team Planting
Week 9 24 - 28 June		Incredible Science Te Moana		Mid Year Reports released Matariki Celebration	Matariki
Week 10 1 - 5 July	CCSA Netball		Conferences - early finish	Conferences	Reremoana School Cross Country

#### TERM 3 AND 4 DATES

TERM 3 MONDAY 22 JULY - FRIDAY 27 SEPTEMBER

TERM 4 MONDAY 14 OCTOBER - TUESDAY 17TH DEC (LABOUR DAY 28 OCT, TOD 29 OCT)

#### COMMUNITY NEWS

Good morning, Parents and Caregivers,

With the end of term being only three and a half weeks away, it's time to start thinking about the school holidays!

Please find attached the Great Times July holiday programme brochure and enrolment form should you require care in the holidays.

We have loads of busy and fun days planned for the children, including creative engineering and artistic activities, a trip to Inflatable World, and a day that rev's the senses into gear... to name just a few things! If you are looking for your child/ren to attend with us during the holidays, simply complete and return the enrolment form and we will confirm your child/ren requested attendance. Please note, the trip days tend to fill up very quickly.

Please do not send us emails to request bookings for your child/children, we require the enrolment form returned please.

OSCAR subsidy - forms will need to be returned for term care and holiday attendance. Please return these with asap.

Please, if you have any questions do not hesitate to contact us.

We look forward to having your children join us in the holidays.

Kind Regards,

Anneke Reeves Great Times Out Of School Care

Link to programme

Link to enrolment form

