



# ARGYLL EAST SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



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*'A caring, country setting growing potential through challenge*

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## *Achieve and Succeed*

Congratulations to our Students of the Week, for displaying the school habits and values as follows;



***Kaela Brans for Integrity*** - You are consistently making positive decisions in Ruma Wha. You are able show the rest of the children in our room what integrity looks and sounds like. Keep up that great work.

***Sally Jamieson for Integrity*** - You are always doing the right thing. Even when no one is asking you to do something, you are always on the job. We love how much you help us! You are a tidying whizz and we love you helping us in class. You are always offering to help others out and are an awesome friend to everyone.

***Fletcher Twist for Integrity*** - You show integrity by doing the right thing even when no one is looking. You offer help to teachers and your classmates before being asked. You are honest and responsible and a great role model for other children. Keep it up Fletcher!

***Addison Oliver for Integrity*** - You have shown an honest and sincere attitude towards your learning. Your actions consistently display you doing the right things for the right reasons, regardless of the circumstances around you—tino pai rawa atu!



Tēnā koutou kātoa,  
Dear Parents,

I hope everyone had a restful Queen's Birthday weekend. It was a good winter midterm break that gave us a chance to replenish our energy levels. And so we are into the second half of the term and working our way through all of our planned activities.

Tonight we have our Bus Stop evening, beginning at 6pm with a sausage sizzle followed by an opportunity to speak with teachers, our Public Health Nurse, and our Resource Teacher of Learning and Behaviour, about some of the newer initiatives happening in our school. We hope you can make it and look forward to seeing you.

We had a great hangi planning meeting last week and have received lots of offers of help and donations of food. Thank you so much to everyone who has offered to help. We wonder if it would be possible for those who have offered vegetables to donate a kumara or two as we have the potatoes and pumpkins sorted. We are still requiring **meat donations and dry wood** for the hangi fire. Please return the slip attached if you are able to help with either a meat or dry wood donation. Thanks

Good luck to our students involved in Gymnastic Festivals this week and special thanks to parents who are assisting over the two days. I have just been watching our juniors perform for the playgroup and they are quite polished in their routines.

Next Friday 16th June, we have a Zero Waste follow-up activity with the "Kids for Drama" team presenting the "Waste Wise Show" at 9:15am. Everyone is very welcome, so feel free to come along and enjoy the show.

Have a great week.

Nga mihi mahana,

Julie Thelwall  
Principal

### PRINCIPAL'S AWARD To Lachie Butler



Lachie, it was so nice to see you offer Miss Hay help at the working bee last Sunday. You saw her pushing a heavy wheelbarrow and knew that she would need

a hand unloading the spades and putting them back in the shed. You didn't need to be asked, you just knew it was the right thing to do. Good on you Lachie, you're a good boy!

### THUMBS UP

- Thanks to Maddie Finch and Thomas for taking a previous teacher and parent around our school. Mr Bowler wrote a letter to us, praising their efforts.

Here is a snippet from Mr Bowler's letter:

*'I was very impressed by the whole atmosphere which was topped off by two pupils Maddy and Thomas who showed Shirley and I through the "Adventure Area", Wetlands, and the recent replanting facing the Hall. I was particularly taken with the board fence where each pupil had painted "their board". Also of course the Chook House and raised vegie gardens.'*

### WANTED

Ruma Wha is looking for some large cushions for the children to use while working in class. Please get in touch or drop any off if you can help.



**HOT LUNCHES TUESDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> JUNE  
LAST DAY FOR LUNCH ORDERS TOMORROW**  
Please ensure your orders are in with money by tomorrow morning. Thank you!

### CASH TO SCHOOL

**PLEASE** could all cash be sent to school in **named envelopes**. Loose change with forms is not working!

### ELEMENTARY GYM FESTIVAL THIS THURSDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> JUNE AT AW PARSONS STADIUM

Elementary B boys at 9.30am  
Elementary B Girls at 11am  
Supporters welcome.

### NEWSLETTER SPONSORS

We are looking for sponsors for our school newsletter covers. If you would be interested in being a sponsor please contact the school for details.

### GYM DISPLAY

A photo from the junior rooms' gym display at Playgroup this morning.



### HOME AND SCHOOL MEETING

Minutes attached.

### CHB MULTI-SPORTS FACILITY CALL FOR SUPPORT

The steering committee for this new facility are looking for support. If you are interested in helping please contact Di Peterson - 021 130 0441 or Michele Hayes – 858 8972

### NORSEWOOD TO TAKAPAU FUN CHALLENGE RUN, WALK OR CYCLE SUNDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> JULY

For event information or to register visit [www.sporthbchb.co.nz](http://www.sporthbchb.co.nz)

### TIKOKINO SCHOOL FUNDRAISER

Tikokino school is selling kids' Stoney Creek T-shirts. If you would be interested in buying one please phone Tikokino school on 856 5833 or visit Love Papoose, High Street, Waipawa.

### UPCOMING EVENTS:

#### June

**Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> 'Bus Stop' Evening TONIGHT**

Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> Senior Gym Festival

Friday 9<sup>th</sup> Novice Gym Festival

Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> Home & School hot lunches

Friday 16<sup>th</sup> Zero Waste Show, 9.15am

Monday 26<sup>th</sup> Board of Trustees Meeting

27<sup>th</sup>/28<sup>th</sup> Conferences

#### July

Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> Hangi at school

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> Last day of term 2