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Term 1, Week 10
Thursday 7th 2022

Students of the Week, for displaying the School Habits and Values

Romy Phillpotts for All the Argyll East School Habits and Values – You have had another fantastic week in Ruma Tahī. You work away quietly with all your learning and should be proud of the progress you are making. You always try your best and give all new learning and tasks a go. You are also a kind and caring friend to others in our classroom. Romy, keep up the fantastic work.



Ruby Drepaul for All the Argyll East School Values – It has been such a lovely week with you Ruby. Your positive attitude and upbeat energy are so welcome in our classroom. You work so hard on every task set, from your research project on Giant Pandas and your observational drawing of snails to your dedication to your homework. Keep pushing yourself to do your best work - it's fantastic!

Isla Haftka for All the Argyll East School Values – You always quietly go about doing the right thing. You speak and act respectfully towards others and our environment. You listen carefully, take on feedback, persevere with tasks and always try to be the best you can be. We can all learn a lot from you Isla. Use these abilities to step up to roles of leadership in our class. We all believe in you.

Veda Haftka for Perseverance and Respect – You really persevered with our spelling test this week and even asked to carry on to try the harder words! I am so proud of you. You have been working hard in your reading and you have been a great role model in your group when moving around activities. Veda, you are such an awesome kid to have in Ruma Rua. Keep up the amazing work and you will have the best year!

Kia ora families and friends,

What a stunning week it has been. We hope you have been enjoying these lovely autumn days. It's been great to see so many children enjoying the pool. It's a bit chilly but they are loving it.

As we come to the end of the term, we invite you to join us for open afternoons to see all of the amazing bug studies that have been happening during the term and to catch up with teachers. Rather than having formal conferences, we ask you to contact teachers if you wish to speak to them about your child's learning. You will be able to schedule a time that is most suitable on one of these afternoons or a phone call if that is preferable. Conversely, teachers will contact you if they feel the need to discuss your child's learning with you. We have set aside next Tuesday 12th and Wednesday 13th April, from 3-6pm, for you to visit. We hope you can make it and look forward to seeing you.

Congratulations to our school sport leaders - Lily Kent, Lily Shorten and Paraire Mitchell, who took part in the PAL (Physical Activity Leaders) sessions run by Sport Hawke's Bay in Waipukurau last Friday. Thank you for representing our school so well and we look forward to learning some of the new games and activities that you now have in your kete.

We have no new positive cases of Covid to report, although we have had a bit of a tummy bug circulating through the school. Welcome back to children who have been away. It's great to see you all again.

Take care everyone and see you next week, the final week of term 1.

Julie Thelwall, Principal

SCHOOL BEANIES

With winter approaching there have been requests for school beanies. Wool mix beanies with the school logo are now for sale from the school office for \$20 each. Please contact the office if you would like to buy one.

SCHOOL UNIFORM

With the change in the weather, children will soon be starting to wear warmer clothes. We would appreciate children wearing correct school uniform, plain navy trackpants, school shirts and school jerseys. Thank you.

PRINCIPAL'S AWARD

To Will Greer for All our School Habits and Values It's been great working with you this



week Will. You have been practising your reading and really persevering to show what a good learner you are. We love to see your creativity shining through Will and this week you impressed us all with your eel catcher.

What a clever idea and I loved the way you made the rope from flax. Keep up the great work Will.

FARM CLUB



On Friday 1st April Farm Club went on the farm and checked all the flood damage. The creeks were not as bad as they would have been when we had the big rainfall, but they were still

quite full. We saw some damage in the Mangaotai because the pontoon had gone all the way up onto the bank so we will have to fix that one day soon. But a good thing is that all the weed in the water washed away, so that will save us from having to do a clear out, which we were planning to do. We also found a lot of massive mushrooms and Isla Gregory and Addison Oliver talked to an expert and the expert said they were horse mushrooms and we could eat them.

Some kids moved the cattle that are looking good. We had a lot of fun and we will have another meeting this week on Friday. Thanks to everyone for helping out and participating at the Farm Club.

Maddie Butler and Isla Gregory

HOME AND SCHOOL

Easter Raffle - Home and School have put together an Easter Goodie prize. Raffle sheets have been sent home. If you would like any more sheets please contact the school. **If families would like to deposit the payment for tickets direct into Home & School's bank account, the number is: 03-0779-0104400-00. Please ensure you put Easter raffle and your name as references. Please return all sheets, sold or unsold, by Friday 8th April.** The draw will be on Thursday 14th April. The family that sells the most tickets will win a chocolate Easter bunny.

SPORT

HOCKEY, MINIBALL AND NETBALL: More information will be sent home with those registered players as we receive it.

RUGBY

Waipawa Country United Junior Rugby Club

Please go to the Waipawa Junior Rugby Facebook page for more information.

All coaches to please attend the Small Blacks Course at Central Club Rooms on the 24th April, 1-4pm.

HOT SHOTS TENNIS

A Red and Orange ball club champ competition will be on Monday 11th April at 3.30pm at the club. Please txt Jane 0273600834 to enter.

YUMMY APPLES PROMOTION:

Collect the Yummy apple stickers and the Yummy cut-out labels from the bags for Argyll East School. All stickers and labels help with getting FREE Sports Gear for our school. Please send these to Ruma Tahi by the end of Term 3.

REPLAY - Recycle Used Sports Gear

CHB now has three collection sites where the community can donate equipment they no longer need or want:

Centralines Sports Complex (permanent)

Waipawa Library (Term 2)

CHB College (Term 2)

'POP-UP' recycling station at the Central Rugby & Sports Club - Jnr Rugby Weigh in on Thursday Please direct any community enquiries to the Sport Hawke's Bay - Central HB Facebook

SCHOOL ACCOUNTS

Accounts have been emailed out today. Thanks to all those who are up to date with payments. Any queries, please call the school office.

BUG STUDIES

Here are photos of some of the beautiful animals that have been made in Ruma Toru in the past week:

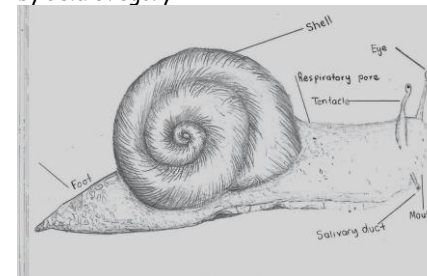


By Charlie Kent



By Ava How

And here is an observational drawing of a snail by Isla Gregory



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UPCOMING EVENTS 2022

April

Thursday 14th Last Day Term 1

May

Monday 2nd First Day Term 2