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ARGYLL EAST SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



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Term 2, Week 9
Thursday 1st July 2021

Achieve and Succeed Me whai, kia angitū

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



Versha Hirini – Welcome to Argyll East School, Versha. It is great to have you here. It is fantastic to see you making friends and already fully participating in class learning. We hope you enjoy all the opportunities that are available to you here.

Max Ellis for Respect, Perseverance and Relating to Others – Thanks for your friendly greeting in the morning. You have worked hard this week. You have read, created a poster, researched about Matariki, been inspired and painted and created a porotaka and shown a buddy how to make one. You have got stuck in and had a great time learning. It is wonderful to have you in our classroom and participating so fully and positively, Max.

Due to sickness in the junior rooms last week there are no students of the week for Ruma Tahī and Ruma Rua.

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Kia ora koutou,

I'm writing this newsletter from home as I have been unwell all week with the bug that has swept through our school.

Here are some details for the Landfill visit on Monday:

We will leave school at 9am - arriving at the site by 10am.

Everyone needs to wear covered-in shoes.

We will be at the site for approximately one hour - returning to school by 12ish.

We will travel by school bus with some seniors in teacher or parent cars.

We have a **Careers Day** coming up next Tuesday. Please see details below.

We finish the term with the **Zero Waste programme** over three days - Wednesday - Friday.

That's all from me this week. I look forward to getting back to school and seeing everyone again soon.

Kind regards,

Julie Thelwall
Principal

GOOD LUCK TO BAXTER AND HIS AGRIKIDS TEAM

Good luck to our past pupil Baxter and his Hereworth team who are competing in the finals of the Agrikids competition in the South Island in July.

HOME AND SCHOOL HOT LUNCH FRIDAY 2ND JULY

Home & School are providing a lunch of a sausage roll and a bag of chippies on Friday 2nd July. Thanks to all those who have returned order forms.

SPORTS

Netball: Saturday 3rd July

Year 1/2 **Argyll East Stars** vs Waipawa Magic @ 10am Court 7a

Year 3/4 **Argyll East Magic** vs Terrace Tornadoes @ 9am Court 6

Argyll East Ferns vs Takapau Diamonds @ 9am Court 5

Year 5/6 **Argyll East Diamonds** vs Waipawa Tactix @ 11am Court 2

Year 7/8 **Flemington Ferns** vs Waipawa Diamonds @ 10am Court 2

This is the last week for Year 1-4 Netball this season. Year 5-8, no netball next weekend. Your competition will restart next term.

PRINCIPAL'S AWARD

To Lachlan Foley for All of our School Habits and Values



It's been great to see your big smile at school over the past couple of weeks Lachlan. You have been enjoying your learning and your friendships with your classmates. We love your sense of humour and the interesting conversations that we have with you. I enjoyed seeing and learning about your solar power energy project. Well done Lachlan and keep smiling!

PINE CONES FOR SALE

Big, open, dry pine cones, \$6.00 a bag.
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NEWSLETTER ADVERTISING

It is the time of year again to look at renewing our sponsors for our school newsletter. These are the businesses which are on the back of the newsletter every week. It is a great way to get your business name out in the community. If you are interested in becoming a sponsor, or know of a business which may be interested, please contact the school office. Priority space will be given to existing sponsors. **Please could all existing sponsors advise the office as soon as possible if they wish to continue with their sponsorship.** Thanks.

THUMBS UP

- To Home & School for providing the hot sausage rolls and chippies lunch this week.
- Thumbs up to those children who worked alongside Lakeview kindergarten tamariki planting in Lindsay bush. You showed kindness, patience and you worked hard. I was so proud of you. Miss Hay
- Thumbs up to Beth Twist for transporting and supervising children on the Lindsay Bush trip.



A MESSAGE FROM OUR PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

- A respiratory virus is going around and has been causing some severe illness particularly among young children.
- We need to maintain basic COVID prevention methods as not only will these prevent transmission should it get into the community, but the same methods will also protect from other viruses:
 - Wash/sanitise hands regularly
 - Cover your mouth or cough into elbow
 - Stay home if unwell.

JUNIOR GYMNASTS



BUDDY READING, (WITH PIPI)



CAREERS DAY - TUESDAY 6TH JULY

Everyone is invited to join us for the afternoon beginning at 1pm. Students will be sharing learning in the old school. Visitors will be talking about their chosen careers - specific to our students' ideas for their future careers. The sexuality programme will be available for you to look at in the staffroom. This is a good opportunity to look at the programme before we begin teaching it next term. We hope you can join us!

UPCOMING EVENTS

July

Sunday 4 th	Jump Jam Competition, Napier
Monday 5 th	School trip to Waipukurau Landfill
Tuesday 6 th	Careers Day
Wednesday 7 – Friday 9	Zero Waste
Friday 9 th	Last day Term 2
Monday 26 th	First day Term 3