



Argyll East School

Live, Learn, Grow

Kia Ora, Kia Ako, Kia Tupu



TERM 3
WEEK 9



Students of the week

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR
STUDENTS OF THE WEEK
FOR DISPLAYING OUR
SCHOOL VISION AND
VALUES:

Isla Campbell for integrity, perseverance, creativity and respect: You did a great job delivering your speech (all about jokes!) this week to our class and the Year 3's. You had learnt it off by heart and delivered it fluently and with great expression. Well done, Isla. We can always rely on you to see what needs to be done in our classroom and you take on extra jobs and roles. You are a good friend and always have a smile on your dial. You are respectful and kind. These attributes will help you go far in life.

Hattie Butler for all the Argyll East Values: Such a well deserved certificate, Hattie. You are such a reliable, conscientious, and diligent member of the class who we all enjoy sharing our space with. You have worked hard, despite being unwell, to craft and deliver a speech this week that you can be really proud of. You bring humour and fun to our class whilst also working really hard on all that you are doing. Thank you for always offering to help out, whether it is me or others in the class. You are already showing great leadership qualities that I look forward to seeing you develop further next year.

Lachlan Ramsey for all the Argyll East Values: Lachlan, you are having a fantastic year. It has been great to see how far you have come since arriving at our school. You have made so many new friends, and show how kind and caring you are when you play with them. You are often seen helping others and making sure they are ok. In your learning you are taking risks and facing new challenges when it can be tricky. You need to be proud of what you are achieving Lachlan. You are giving all parts of Athletics a good try and listening carefully on how to get better. Lachlan, be super proud of yourself!

Ava McMillan for creativity & perseverance: Ava, the creativity that you've shown during our writing sessions over the past 2 weeks has been so awesome. You were able to come up with a story just like that, plan it, relay it out loud, write it down and then edit your work. You've made sure you have included all elements to a narrative piece and even added in speech! Your learning across the curriculum has developed so much over the year and you are achieving such awesome things. Your hard work and great attitude towards learning has been paying off. Keep up the the fantastic work Ava!



Message from the Principal

Kia ora families and friends

What a great start to the week with everyone enjoying the spring sunshine.

Thanks to all of the parents who attended conferences in Rūma Whā and Toru this week. We hope you feel well informed about your child/ren's progress. Please contact us if you have any questions or if you were unable to meet with your child's teacher so that we can arrange another suitable time.

Next Monday evening, Isla Haftka and Bella Greer represent our school at the Rotary Speech competition. We wish them all the very best and congratulate them on their enthusiasm and willingness to compete.

A reminder that tomorrow, Friday 12th September, is a Teacher Only Day. **School will be closed** as teachers attend their professional development in Waipukurau.

The Rippa Rugby Tournament for students in years 3-8 is happening next Thursday at Coronation Park, Waipawa. We will be travelling by school bus to and from the event. You are welcome to meet us there. Start time for the games is yet to be confirmed, we will let you know via Seesaw next week. Children can bring their own food and water bottle or purchase food and drinks at the event. Everyone is welcome!

Pet Day is quickly approaching. Thanks so much to all of those who have offered to be involved. We really appreciate you. Last week we included the Pet Day programme with the newsletter. It has also been sent to families on Seesaw.

For those who are new to Pet Day, you are welcome to come along at any time of the day or for the whole day. **Some times to note:**

- Student costumes are judged at 9.30am before rotation activities.
 - "Change Creations" should be in the Old School by 12.30pm for judging.
 - Pets need to be at school by 11.30am for 11.40am judging.
 - Lunch is usually around 1pm and you are welcome to bring along some food to share with your children.
 - Morning tea is provided for adults in the staffroom so help yourself to a cuppa and snack
- Please call the office if you have any questions. We are looking forward to another great Argyll East School Pet Day!

We had a lovely visit from Shelley Burne-Field on Wednesday - the children really enjoyed their time with her.

This week I have included a letter from the Ministry of Education (MOE) about teacher involvement in Structured Literacy professional learning and development (PLD) and the sharing of anonymised data with our PLD provider and the (MOE). Please contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

Have a great week,
Julie



Sport

SH50 Athletics:

This will be held on Wednesday 8th October, P.P Thursday 9th October at Central Hawkes Bay College field. We are looking for parents to help with events. Please let Samantha know if you can help.

Baking for Athletics!

School athletics day is coming up, and Home & School needs your help! We are running our annual bake sale, to raise funds for the school.

To make this a sweet success, we're asking each family to please contribute a plate of baking. Whether it's cookies, brownies, or a classic slice, every treat helps!

Please bring your delicious creations to the school office by the morning of Tuesday, October 7th.

Thank you for your support!

Thumbs Up

- Thanks to all parents who have offered to help with Pet Day & other upcoming events.



PRINCIPAL'S AWARD

To Ruby Butler for demonstrating our vision and values. After listening to your speech Ruby, I know that you have a "glass half full" personality. Every morning you arrive at school with a big, happy hello and that is how your day continues. You are totally reliable and responsible and we know that you will always act with integrity. You fully involve yourself in everything that is offered to you and you always give your very best. From farm club to guitar, you challenge yourself to be the best you can be and you succeed with your positive approach. Well done Ruby - you are a great optimist!

Board of Trustees Election

Thanks to those who have put their names forward for our Board Of Trustees, we appreciate your willingness to support our school in this way.

Voting has now closed and election results will be shared after counting on Tuesday 16th September.



Upcoming Events

September



Friday 12th

Teacher Only Day-
School Closed

Tuesday 16th

BOT Election Results

Thursday 18th

Rippa Rugby Tournament

Friday 19th

Pet Day

Friday 19th

Last day of Term 3

October

Monday 6th

First Day of Term 4

Tuesday 7th

Baking to school for Athletics

Wednesday 8th

Athletics Day

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