



Argyll East School

Live, Learn, Grow

Kia Ora, Kia Ako, Kia Tupu



TERM 4
WEEK 2



Students of the week

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

Addie Cameron for perseverance, integrity, creativity & respect: It was great to come back to school after the holidays and see your bright happy face, Addie. You were ready for school and ready for learning. Well done for being so organised. You have shown that you know just what to do by listening carefully and thinking through instructions and tasks independently. You were an upstander in the playground and helped sort out a situation to give great outcomes. This showed us all your absolute kindness and empathy for others. These are the best traits to have. Enjoy this busy term at Argyll and keep having fun, Addie!

AJ Innes for perseverance, integrity, respect & creativity: You give everything a go with such a positive attitude to your learning, AJ! You are always so kind and considerate of others, ready to share a story, and bring so much warmth to our classroom. Your wonderful manners never go unnoticed—I always appreciate you asking how my day is going and offering a thoughtful farewell at home time. Your hard work in class is paying off, too. You are crafting a great persuasive piece in writing about enrolling to vote, confidently multiplying decimals in maths, and sharing great insights during reading discussions before completing high-quality independent work.

PRINCIPAL'S AWARD

To Ned Butler for demonstrating our vision and values. Ned, you always turn up at school with a big smile on your face, ready for another day of learning. I have noticed the way you care for your little sister and can see that you are very happy to have her at school with you. In the classroom you persevere in your learning and find great pleasure in listening to class stories. You have lots of good friends and enjoy playing all sorts of games with them. You are always respectful and kind Ned making you another awesome Argyll East kid!! Ka pai Ned!

Billy Bancroft for perseverance, integrity, respect & creativity: Billy arrived at school on Monday absolutely delighted to finally begin, and we've loved welcoming him into Rūma Tahi. He has joined in with most learning opportunities and eagerly explored our fun resources, showing curiosity and confidence as he gets to know his new surroundings. Billy has also made it clear that the bus is his favourite part of the day! He carefully watches how long he needs to wait until he can hop aboard again, giving him a special chance to practise noticing time. We love having you in Rūma Tahi, Billy!

Gus How for integrity, respect, perseverance & creativity: Gus, you have had a fantastic start to Term 4. You have come back after the holidays with a great attitude, listening ears and good work ethic. In class, you are listening to the teachers instructions, working independently and playing nicely with your friends during the breaks and explore time yesterday. It has been awesome seeing you put in lots of effort during our athletics practices in the afternoons and I know you can't wait to show your skills on the actual day by running fast, throwing far and jumping high! Keep up this great attitude Gus, keep trying, especially when things are tricky, and don't give up. You got this!

Message from the Principal

Kia ora families and friends,

Here are a few quick reminders for the coming days:

- **Tomorrow (Thursday, 22nd October)** – Teacher Only Day: School will be closed to students while our teachers spend the day unpacking the refreshed curriculum and exploring AI in education.
- **Thursday, 29th October** – Athletics Day & Fundraising Stall: Athletics Day is next week! If you can help with the food stall or activities, please fill out and return the attached slip. We would also love donations of home baking for our fundraising stall—you can drop baking off at school on Wednesday or bring it straight to the College grounds on Thursday. Thank you for your support!
- **Friday, 30th October** – Swim 4 Life Begins: Our swimming sessions start next Friday. All classes are participating, so please ensure your children bring their togs and towel in a separate bag. Goggles are optional. Students will travel to and from the pools by school bus.

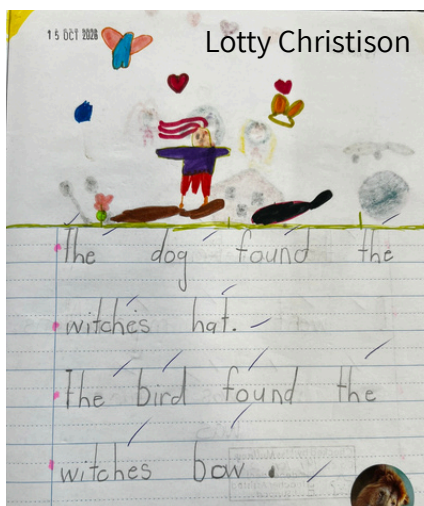
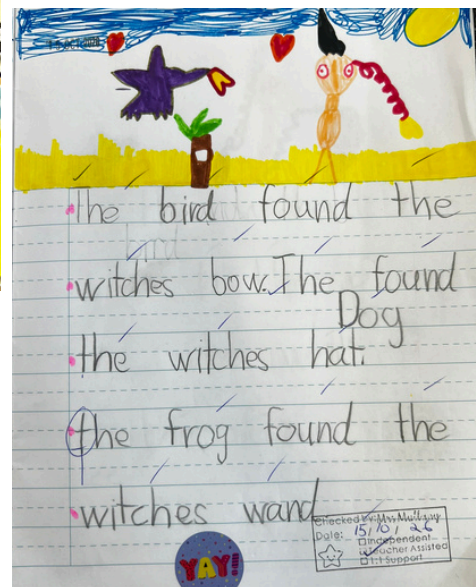
A big thank you to everyone who has shared their ideas for our Board's strategic planning. If you haven't had a chance yet, we've included the link again in this newsletter—we'd love to hear your thoughts.

Have a wonderful long weekend and we look forward to seeing everyone back on Tuesday!

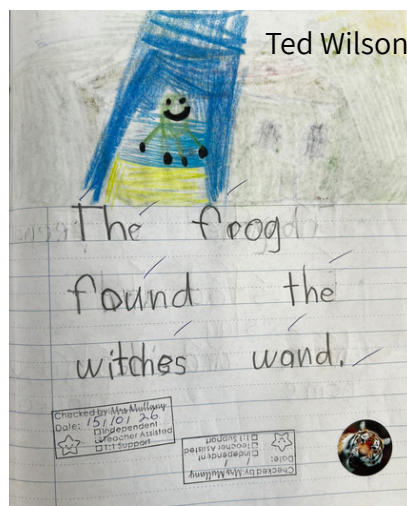
Julie



Maddie Ramsey



Lotty Christison



Ted Wilson

Rūma Tahi have been reading "Room on the Broom". They have created some beautiful art and some amazing writing. Ka pai to mahi!

Sport

Monday 26th October is Labour Day so games won't start until 2nd November.

Tennis -

Monday 2nd November- Argyll East vs Waipawa

Venue: Waipukurau

Monday 9th November- Argyll East vs Omakere- **BYE**

Monday 16th November- Argyll East vs Flemington/ St Josephs

Monday 23rd November- Argyll East vs Waipukurau Green A

Monday 30th November- Argyll East vs Team CHB

Monday 7th December- Argyll East vs Omakere

Summer Hockey -

Year 2-4: **Argyll Mini Sticks vs Waipukurau Mini Sticks**- Wed

21st Oct @ 3:45pm

Argyll Mini Sticks vs Sherwood Mini Sticks- Wed 28th Oct @

3:45pm

Year 5-8: **Argyll & Pukehou Kwik Sticks**- **BYE**, Wed 21st Oct

Argyll & Pukehou Kwik Sticks vs Waipawa Whites- Wed 28th

Oct @ 4:25pm

Touch -

Year 1&2- **Argyll Little Warriors vs Tikokino**

Monday 2nd November @ 3:30pm

Year 3&4- **Pukehou Kea (Argyll joining) vs Tikokino Blue**

Monday 2nd November @ 4:30pm

Monday 2nd November @ 5:00pm

Year 5&6- **Argyll Hurricanes vs Omakere Rua**

Monday 2nd November @ 4:50pm

Year 7&8- **Pukehou Kahu (Argyll joining) vs Takapau**

Taniwha

Monday 2nd November @ 4:50pm

Athletics - Thursday 29th October

Hawkes Bay Athletics Championships - Tuesday 17th

November

CHB Athletics - Thursday 26th November

Please keep an eye out on Seesaw for any updates.

Any Queries please contact - Kim Mullany

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Thumbs Up

- To Mary-Clare for reading with our students- Thankyou
- The school has 4 new calves. Thanks to the Cameron family for looking after them so far, and delivering them to school.
- To all of our sponsors for donating prizes for Pet Day.
- To the Hamilton family for organising, delivering and assembling our new school BBQ purchased by Home & School. Much appreciated.
- To Alena Ramsey, Matt & Emma Foley for supplying and getting rid of the offal, for a great hands on science lesson in the senior class. The kids really enjoyed being able to get right in there.

Message from Home & School

We are planning a big raffle for this term. There will be prizes drawn over a series of days, think 12 days of Christmas sort of thing.

If anyone has any connections that could hook us up with a great item then please let us know. We'll be asking families to donate something for a luxury food hamper also.

We are having a Home & School meeting on Tuesday 27th October, 6pm @ school. Everyone is welcome.

Argyll East School Gardening Competition

This is a great weekend to start getting your garden ready. You can plant it in a pot, in an existing garden or make one of your own. You can plant seeds or seedlings. You might like to keep a journal, take photos or videos, make a scarecrow, try companion planting... Have fun! Let the office know if you are interested in entering the Argyll East Garden Competition by **Friday 6th November** if you would like to take part.

Upcoming Events



October

Thursday 22nd

Teacher Only Day

Friday 23rd

HB Anniversary

Monday 26th

Labour Day

Tuesday 27th

Home & School Meeting 6pm

Thursday 29th

Athletics Day

Friday 30th

Bus Monitor Training

Friday 30th

Swim 4 Life

November

Friday 6th

Teacher Only Day

Saturday 7th

Election Day- school open for voting

Friday 13th

Swim 4 Life

Tuesday 17th

HB Athletics Champs

Thursday 19th

Ōtaia Bush & Yr 5 overnight camp

Friday 20th

CHBC Transition Day- Year 8's

Friday 20th

Swim 4 Life

Wednesday 25th

Rūma Toru River Trip

Thursday 26th

CHB Athletics

Friday 27th

Swim 4 Life

December

Friday 4th

Swim 4 Life

Wednesday 16th

Prizegiving 6pm

Thursday 17th

Last Day of Term 4- 12pm Finish



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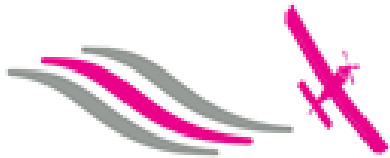
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