



## SCHOOL NEWS:

A BIG THANK YOU to everyone who donated on daffodil day. We raised \$80.00 for the Cancer Society which is a great effort.

Based on feedback from our last whānau hui I am including a glossary of the Māori words I use most often in our school newsletters for your convenience.

### Māori kupu

Panui

Tēnā koutou

Kia ora

Whānau

Ākonga

Ngā mihi maioha

Mōrena or Ata mārie

Aroha mai

Ka mau te wehi!

Kia pai tō rā

Ka rawe



### English word

Newsletter

Hello everybody

Translates literally as "have life" or "be healthy" can mean hi, good morning, good afternoon and thank you

Refers to family and extended family

Learner, student

Thank you with appreciation

Good morning

Sorry, I'm sorry, my apologies

Awesome! Fantastic!

Have a nice day

Excellent



### Ngā rā o te wiki

Rahina

Rātū

Rāapa

Rāpare

Rāmere

Rāhoroi

Rātapu

### Days of the week

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

Sunday



If you would like to learn more words here is a great website to help you. <https://kupu.maori.nz/>

Our ākonga also have access to te reo Māori and other languages at

<https://www.languagehut.com/en-nz/>

If you have been collecting **Yummy stickers** during the year, please get them into the office as soon as possible. If we have enough, we may be able to get some free PE gear through the Yummy Sticker promotion.

## **SPORTS RESULTS:**

### **Football/Soccer**

Eastland Vets Ngatapa Ninjis (Cora, Manahi) vs Makauri Marauders

– Won 7-1

Eastland Vets Ngatapa Rebels (George C) vs Mangapapa Quakes - NK

Eastland Vets Ngatapa Green Machines (Franca, Logan, Ophelia, Mila, Ava)  
vs Central Spurs – Lost 2-7



### **Rugby**

Eastland Vets Ngatapa U12 Stags (Devarn, Charlie) vs Eastland Vets

Ngatapa U12 Green – Won 29-24. Charlie 1 try.

Eastland Vets Ngatapa U8 Kiwis (Hamish, Robbie, Luca) vs BYE

Eastland Vets Ngatapa U7 Great Whites (Jack C, Waimihia) vs Uawa U7- NK



### **Netball**

Eastland Vets Ngatapa Yr 8 (Tess) vs Ilminster Y7 A – Won 12-6

Eastland Vets Ngatapa Stars (Marama) vs Muriwai Rangatahi

– Lost 1-27



## **COVID-19 UPDATE:**

There is emerging international evidence that the use of masks and face coverings can reduce the risk of infected people spreading COVID-19. Masks and face coverings can be particularly useful if there is a risk of undetected community transmission and people are in close proximity to each other, or are unable to physically distance.

Face coverings will therefore be required on public transport (buses, trains and commuter ferries) from 11.59pm on Sunday 30 August.

The key impact the new requirement will have on the school community is that students aged 12 and above will be required to wear a face covering when on public transport.

**School transport is not included in this requirement.** We know who is on school transport and have good systems in place to identify potential close contacts, should there be a case. Children will also be staying away if they are unwell, vehicles are sanitised after each school run. **Drivers have been asked to wear face masks but our drivers are parents and also work in the school on a daily basis so will not be required to wear face masks.**

Any children, young people or staff who wish to wear face coverings wrapped around the nose and mouth (including masks) at school may do so if they want to.

### Key health measures to prevent spread of viruses.



Our school has very good processes in place to continue to keep your child as safe as possible. At Alert Level 2 COVID-19 is contained however there is still some risk of community transmission at Alert Level 2, so we all need to follow our good practices to keep ourselves, family and whānau safe including:



- Washing your hands regularly with soap and water including before and after eating, after blowing your nose, after visiting a public space including public transport, before, during and after caring for a sick or vulnerable person, after using the toilet etc.



- Coughing and sneezing into your elbow.
- Staying at home if you are sick and checking with your GP or Healthline to see if you need to get tested (a reminder that Healthline is free to call - 0800 611 116 and they have people who speak many different languages).



- If you are recommended to get tested please do so – testing is free.
- At home, clean your surfaces regularly particularly the ones that are often touched such as taps and door handles.



- Keep a physical distance from people you don't know (2 metres wherever possible).
- If you are in an enclosed space with people you don't know, such as on public transport, wear a face covering as they can help stop the spread of COVID-19 by limiting the spread of droplets.



- A face covering is any material that covers your nose and mouth – such as a scarf, bandana, t-shirt or face mask.

**BUSES:**

Your drivers this week are **Wharekopae**- Paula Reedy, phone 8673585,  
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**Taumata** – Casey Maddock, phone 8670234



Ngā mihi maioha

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