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Kia ora koutou,

“That was inspiring!”

Three little words that are music to a teacher’s ears.

They came from Marama, after attending the Aurora Leadership Day at Central School, along with Manahi and Piripi. For the next 25 minutes their enthusiasm spilled out, and the fact that free pizza was only mentioned as an afterthought made my day.

Experiencing days like this are important for our students, meeting new people, making new friends, trying something different and going outside our comfort zones.

Last week George and Manahi joined Ngatapa School horo hopu team at the Horo Hopu Festival in Patutahi, and tomorrow the senior class will be at the Marina trying their hand at waka ama for the morning.

It has been a busy term, and we sadly farewell Caron Purvis on Friday, as she leaves to take up a position at a school in Cambridge. Thank you for everything you have done for Rere School, Caron. You will be missed. We wish you all the best at your new school.

Please join us for a shared lunch @12:30 PM on Friday to farewell Caron. Please bring a plate to share.

Holiday time! Enjoy making memories.

Nga mihi nui ki a koutou

Linda Kermode

TERM 1 DATES

- ◆ **Tuesday 13th April** Waka Ama
- ◆ **Tuesday 13th April** BOT Meeting
- ◆ **Wednesday 14th April**
Eastwoodhill Visit (Please bring a plate to share for morning tea & a packed lunch for your child)
- ◆ **Friday 16 April** Last day of Term 1
Freaky Friday & Shared Farewell lunch with Caron
- ◆ **Monday 3 May** First day of Term 2



Camp 2021— CRUTCHING FUNDRAISER REMINDER

WHERE: Marika Station (Candy's farm @ the woolshed past the house)

DATE: Thursday 15th April , starting time 7:00AM.

We would appreciate a good turnout from parents to support this fundraiser.

Please note for safety reasons that no children are to attend with parents.

Bus Drivers:

Taumata Road: Casey 867 0234

Wharekopae Road: Paula 867 3585

Furniture: the top shed has been cleaned out and we have a number of furniture items to sell (photos attached). If you are interested please contact the office and make an offer.



Clown

He juggled, he laughed,
he laughed so much, I was going to barf.
After the show, he picked up a bow,
but fell in a river and went with the flow.
He got out of the river but started to shiver
and the way he looked at me,
made me quiver.
He ran at a tree, but stood on a bee
and yelled out into the distance,
“HELP ME!!!!”.

By Manahi Maddock

