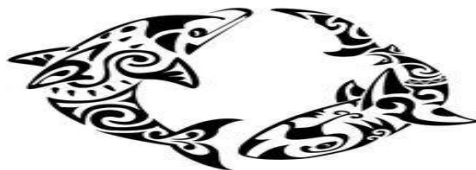


**Manurewa Intermediate School Newsletter
Room 19, Term 1, Monday 4th February 2019**



Tena koutou katoa, nga mihi mahana ki a koutou. Ko Uane Davidson toku ingoa he kaiako ahau. A warm greeting to you all. My name is Uane Davidson and I will be your child's form teacher this year. Life is incredibly short and precious so make the most of every moment. I am really looking forward to a year full of challenges, fun and learning. Please, if you have any queries about your child talk to me I am very approachable and would love to talk with you. During the year your child will also get to interact with a range of different teachers across our exciting curriculum.

I know from years of experience that these two years in your child's life are really important as your child is taking on more responsibility and becoming an adult. So make sure they start the day with a healthy breakfast and bring some healthy food and water for breaks. **Remember our school also offers a breakfast club where they can also make their school sandwiches.** Encourage your child to be organised and ready for school with the right attitude and stationery. These excellent habits set your child up for a successful life. These two years will fly by so let's ensure your child gets the most out of the experience.

Manurewa Intermediate is a fun school with lots going on. So be involved in your wonderful child's journey and encourage your child to take risks and try out the many extra-curricular activities our school offers. We would really appreciate your help with our **MI Night Market this Friday 8th February 5 – 8pm**, where we will raise funds for our **MI School Survival Camp**, if you could make some food to sell that would be awesome. **Please come to your child's MI Survival Camp on Monday 18th to Wednesday 20th February, if you can.** These are the great memories you and your child will always cherish.

Student Involved Conferences are so important to your child, yourself and the school. It is your chance as a parent to really understand how your child is progressing in all aspects of their education. **So please note this date in your diaries, Thursday 11th April 8am – 8pm.** If you cannot make this date, I am very flexible and can see you at another time or even come visit you at your home if you prefer. Just flick me a text on the mobile below or contact the office.

IMPORTANT DATES FOR TERM ONE

Mon 4 Feb: First day of 2019 - MI Whanau Day (8:45am-2:55pm) PS you don't have to stay the whole day but would be nice to see you.

Wed 6 Feb: Waitangi Day

Fri 8 Feb: MI Night Markets (5:00-8:00pm)

Tues 12 Feb: Swimming Sports – Papatoetoe Pools (9:00am-2:30pm)

Fri 15 Feb: Mini Athletics

Mon 18 Feb: Kowhai departs for Survival Camp

Wed 20 Feb: Kowhai returns from Survival Camp

Tue 26 Feb: Zone Boys Softball

Tues 5 Mar: Zone Girls Softball

Fri 8 Mar: Zone Swimming

Wed 13 Mar: Zone Ultra Rip Rugby

Wed 27 Mar: Easter Social and Whanau Hui (6:30-8:30pm)

Wed 3 Apr: Class and Individual photos

Tue 9 Apr: Zone Boys Football

Thurs 11 Apr: Student Involved Conferences (8:00am-8:00pm)

Term One Ends

Fri 12 Apr: Staff Only Day No School

**Teachers Responsible For Teaching Room 19 when
Module 3, MI Way starts:**

Humanities	Alan Lennox R35
Math and Home Room	Uane Davidson R19
Science	Charlene Tamaki R73
Physical Education	Rob Shephard Gym
Sustainable Enterprise	Janelle Wright R37
Languages	Iri Maki R6
Visual Art	Junior Peilua R79

**Our SMART target this term is: “Right Place,
Right Time, Right Gear.”**

Please phone me on **266 8268 ext 3019** or my mobile **027 233 9024** if you want to make an appointment to discuss anything about your child. I am more than willing to accommodate you. Alternatively you can contact me via email: uaned@manurewaint.school.nz.

Uane Davidson