

Term Two - Monday 29th April 2024

# ROOM 24 NEWSLETTER



Tena Koutou Katoa whānau and welcome back to another amazing term! I hope that you are well-rested and have had an awesome break with your whānau, ready to take on new challenges and experiences. I am excited and cannot wait to see what this term has to offer for us.

Term One was filled with many new learning experiences for us all. We remained in our Form Class for the first four weeks of school, where we were able to make connections and form positive relationships with one another. We established our class routines and set expectations for us as a class. We came together as One Class and achieved so much. We planned, organised and were highly successful with our Night Markets. We overcame challenges and hiked up Rangitoto during our MI Survival Camp experience.

Thank you to everyone who contributed and supported our class during Night Markets, especially the Fenton whānau, Rawiri whānau and Hanipale family for running our stall. We would also like to thank Gemma (Nathan's mum) and Kingston (Leve's brother) for being awesome parent helpers at camp.

In Term One we were committed to our learning and focussing on a range of topics, understanding our Graduate Profile, knowing the importance of service and greeting each other in Te Reo Māori.

Congratulations to Teakaraanga Ngatuakana on being a positive role model and risk taker by becoming a whānau leader for Kauri whānau. We know you will be amazing. A massive congratulations to Mystique Rawiri and Martha Taitasi for being selected to be school councillors for 2024.

This term will be another exciting term for us. There are so many new learning experiences for the students. We start off the term with Module 4: MI Art Expression where the students will be participating in our Art Exhibition. Each student will produce a piece of art that will be on display in week three in the gym. We have our class marae stay Thursday 20th June (week 8) and our class assembly Friday 21st June.

Lastly, as a class we strive to 'be better than the day before'. So be ready to make the most of what Term Two has to offer. By being here, on time and in full school everyday with a positive attitude.

Ngā Mihi

M. Henare  
Mareena Henare



SUBJECTS & TEACHERS

Module 4: MI Expression  
Module 5: Optimistic

### Teachers for the year

Humanities: Mrs Shelly Mohi  
Math: Ms Mareena Henare  
Science: Mr Ojay Solomon  
PE: Mr Cian Byrne-Hansen

### Module 5 Teachers

X-Plo Tech: Mr Daniel Cope  
Performing Arts: Mr Diarmid Tanaki

### Form Time Subjects

Hauora: Keeping Ourselves Safe  
Monday Magic: Communication  
Literacy  
Life Skills: Taha Hinengaro  
Friday Frenzy: Foundation Basics

## Upcoming Dates

### May:

- Mon 13: Module 4 Exhibition of Learning on Display in Gym
- Fri 17: Pink Shirt Mufti Day
- Fri 24: Spelling Bee Competition
- Wed 29: Boys' Night Out
- Thu 30: Girls' Night In

### June:

- Mon 3: King's Birthday
- Mon 4: Staff Only Day
- Thu 20: Class Marae Stay
- Fri 21: Class Assembly
- Wed 26: Cross Country
- Wed 26: Mid-year School
- Fri 28: Matariki

### July:

- Thu 4: Whole School Speech Finals
- Fri 5: Last day of Term

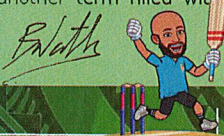
Whānau - for important Term Two dates please refer to the 2024 MI Whānau Calendar you received, and it is also in your child's MI Planner on page 6. If there are any special events unique to our class, I will let you know.

**Term Two Values:** Responsibility | Honesty | Self-Management + Independence | Challenge + Competition

## Celebrating Kauri Whānau over Term 1

Wow, what an incredible kick-off to the year it's been! We've been smashing it left, right, and centre with our victories - from consistently being top two of the weekly whānau competitions to owning the school singing stage, not to mention clinching the 'Class of the Week' title not once, but twice, and acing it at mini-athletics! Let's not forget the epic Night Markets that paved the way for an unforgettable camp experience, despite some wild weather throwing us a curveball. The resilience displayed by our kids, powering through the walk and still buzzing with energy, was absolutely inspiring. We nailed it with the highest camp attendance across the entire school, and our dedication to showing up consistently for school and on time has kept us right at the top of the attendance and punctuality game. Huge shoutout to all the amazing support from home - you guys rock! Get ready, because we're about to dive head first into another term filled with nothing but Kauri success and unstoppable momentum!

Mr Nathan - Kauri Whānau Leader



## ATTENDANCE

I expect 100% attendance! Your child must be at school every day. If your child is not coming to school make sure to contact me in the morning preferably before 8:30 am. I will be contacting you or visiting your home if your child is away without a valid reason. Your child can not progress if they miss school and instead will be playing catch up on their learning. We want and need your child at school every day!

## LATES

School starts at 8:30 am but we encourage students to be here by 8:20 am. Students who are late and do not have a valid reason will be placed on lunchtime Community Service. If your child is running late please come into the school with them or write a note to explain their lateness.

## UNIFORM

Your child needs to be in 100% correct school uniform, this includes their whānau band. Refer to the MI Planner for more info. If there are any problems and your child does not have the correct uniform please provide them with a letter they can give to Mr. Peilua to receive a uniform pass.