



# Paraparaumu School

## PRINCIPAL'S *Corner*

Dear families and friends of our school

**Due to Student Led Conferences the school will close at 12:30 on 23 June & a Teacher Union Meeting will also mean we will close at 12:30 on Wednesday 30th June.**

School drops offs and pick ups

A big thank you to those parents who are dropping off and picking up students safely before and after school. It is most appreciated. If we are all mindful of doing this, then our road patrol students are able to do their job more effectively and this helps keep out students safe during this busy time.

Interschool Cross Country

Yesterday, we sent a team of runners to the annual Interschool Cross Country event. We had some excellent results, including Corin Phipps who won the year 3 race. I am told our students supported each other very well and were excellent ambassadors for Paraparaumu School. A big thank you to all the parents who helped out and supported our students on the day.

School Hockey teams

Our three school hockey teams are having great seasons so far. None of them have played before and their improvements in skill over the first few weeks has been amazing. A special thanks to our incredible coaches Mrs MacFarlane, Whaea Ashleigh and Alice Pritchard. The teams are flourishing under their guidance, which includes lunchtime whiteboard coaching sessions. The teams are enjoying wonderful parent support even though it gets very cold at the games.

Nga mihi nui ki a koutou — warm regards to you all.

*Steven Caldwell*  
PRINCIPAL

### Student of the Week

Ashley Year 7 Room 10

The student of the week goes to someone who is a rock in the water. You always remain calm no matter what the situation is. You treat everyone with respect which is why you are so well-liked by your peers and adults that you come into contact with around the school. You always give one hundred and ten percent to your learning and are in it for the long haul. You pay attention to detail and do not rush yourself to complete things before they are ready. You are considerate of others and think carefully about how anything that you do affects the people around you. People like you make the classroom a wonderful and pleasant environment for teaching and learning to happen. Well done Ashley Chadwick-Greig, keep up all that good work!!!

Congratulations to our Whiz Kids	Room	P.A.R.T Certificates	P.A.R.T prize winners
Dallas	1	Madison	
Halo	2	Hana	
Lana	3	Paisyn	
James	4	Zoe	
Indy D	5	Charlie	
Timothy	6	Robert	
Arlen	7	Jack	
Miya	8	Te Waiho	
Lila	9	Thomas McKillop	
Reina	10	Ashley	
Harrison	12	Danica	
Connor	13	Cori'lee	

**Student Led conferences**  
23rd June 12:30pm—7pm  
*(school closes at 12 Noon);*  
24th June 3:15pm—5pm

**How to book your student led conference:** Please remember that it is one time slot per child when you do your booking. If you **DO NOT** have access to the internet or have any problems with the process you can book a conference time by contacting the school office (298 7900) and Jo will book a time for you. All bookings for conference times will be done using [www.schoolinterviews.co.nz](http://www.schoolinterviews.co.nz). Use the following school code to make your bookings **mvsW9** Follow the on-screen instructions to book a conference time with your child's teacher.

**Kindo online school shop**  
Our online Kindo school shop means you can pay for your school costs easily – set up an account today and pay swimming, Reading Eggs or Mathletics. **You can also purchase lunches on a Thursday and PTA Pizza Fridays.** Need assistance? Our Kindo helpdesk is open 8am to 4pm weekdays. Freephone: (0508 454 636) Email: [hello@mykindo.co.nz](mailto:hello@mykindo.co.nz) Online support: [support.mykindo.co.nz](http://support.mykindo.co.nz)

**Yummy Apple Stickers!**  
It's that time when we can receive sports gear just by collecting Yummy fruit stickers! Please collect and give to your child's classroom teacher. The class with the most gets a pizza lunch! Start collecting now!!

**PTA Junior Movie Night! 5pm Friday 11th June**  
It's not too late! Food orders have closed but you can still buy the last few tickets Kindo! Raya and the Last Dragon will start at 5pm, this Friday! (Food orders will be ready at 4.45) Bring something comfortable to sit on and your water bottle...see you there!

**Te Whānau Kōtuku**

**Funathon**  
This Friday, our tamariki will be taking part in our first big fundraiser for Iron Tamariki. This will start first thing in the morning and run throughout the day. Tamariki will be in groups taking part in different activities run by our parent ohu. Hopefully tamariki have managed to fill their sponsorship card, if not they still have a few days to do this.

**Kakāhu Making**  
As part of our kaupapa focus and our upcoming Matariki evening, Te Whānau Kōtuku will be designing and making kakāhu. We are looking for parent help on the 28th and 29th of June. No sewing skills are required but if you do have a sewing machine available and can help with this, please let Whaea Hayley and Whaea Gina know. Tamariki will be working with both man-made and natural materials.

**Whānau Kai**  
Whānau kai will happen as per usual this Friday. Please send your tamariki with kai to share.

## UPCOMING DATES

### JUNE

- 11 **PTA JUNIOR** Movie night 5pm
- 16 **Kapiti College open day** (year 8 only)
- 16 **Kapiti College Parent evening** 7—9 pm
- 17 **Boostrix jab** (Year 7 only)

23 & 24 **Student Led Conferences**  
*(school closes at 12 noon on 23rd June)*

30 **Teacher Union meeting**  
SCHOOL CLOSES at 1230

### JULY

- 1 **Matariki night and Senior Syndicate Science fair**
- 9 Term 2 Ends at 3pm
- 26 Term 3 starts

### SEPTEMBER

8 **Kapiti College Option Day**  
(year 8 only)

### OCTOBER

- 1 Term 3 ends
- 18 Term 4 starts
- 28 **Labour day**—School closed

## TERM DATES 2021

- Term 2 3rd May —9th July (3pm)
- Term 3 Monday 26th July – 1st October (3pm)  
Monday 18th October – Thursday
- Term 4 16th December (12 noon)  
25th October Labour day