



# Paraparaumu School

## PRINCIPAL'S *Corner*

Dear families and friends of our school

**Lost Property:** A reminder to come and have a look in the lost property bin as its overfull with items.

**Change of clothes:** We have had a lot of wet weather lately and the school grounds are water logged and muddy. Can you please ensure that children, in the junior classes in particular, have a spare change of clothes in their bags.

**Community morning tea:** A reminder that all of our “Students of the Week” from Term 2 will be joining us for morning tea at 11 am tomorrow: Scott, Mikalaya, Emily, Amelia, India, Ashley, William, TJ, Nirvana & Keira, along with parents from our community. If you are able to come along and join us you are most welcome. I look forward to seeing you there.

**Colgate toothpaste recycling:** I'm so pleased to announce that Paraparaumu School is now an Oral Care recycling community collection hub. PLEASE don't bin your old plastic tooth brushes,

tooth paste tubes & caps, outer plastic packaging, floss containers, mouth wash bottles etc. Many of these things take literally hundreds of years to break down into micro plastics so it's great we now have an alternative to throwing them in the bin. We'll have a clearly marked recycling tub in reception & really hope you'll help keep these nasties out of land fill!

**Staff news:** Liz Daniel has been teaching a day a week in Room 5 for the past 2 and a half years. Last Monday was her last day as she has decided to retire. Liz has had a long association with Paraparaumu School including time as Assistant Principal. I would like to wish Liz all the very best and thank her for the wonderful contribution she has made while teaching at Paraparaumu School.

Nga mihi nui ki a koutou - warm regards to you all and have a safe and happy holiday, we look forward to seeing you all again on 26th July for a fun packed term 3.

*Steven Caldwell*  
PRINCIPAL

## Student of the Week

Keira Room 3 Year 4

Ka nui te mihi ki a koe Keira mō tau tino aronga ki te mahi kura i tēnei tau tonu. Kua takoto te manuka i te timatanga o te tau, a, kua tutuki pai tērā whaingā āu!

A huge mihi to you Keira, you have worked hard to earn student of the week. You had set a goal at the beginning of the year to be focused and to be the best you can be and you have definitely achieved this over the last two terms. I have been super impressed with your Chapter Chat mahi this year, particularly your talent for drawing! You continue to grow in confidence and you did an awesome job explaining your group's kakāhu during our Matariki evening.

He tamaiti atawhai, he hoa manaaki hoki koe ki ōu hoa. Kia ū tonu ki āu whaingā mō te tau e heke mai ana.

Congratulations to our Whiz Kids	Room	P.A.R.T Certificates
Destiny	2	Hinde
Georgia	3	Keira
Hendrix	4	Evana
Robert	6	Nathan
Finn	8	Amelia
Daisy	9	Owen
Seth	11	Jacob
Liam	12	Hunter
Nina	13	Ollie

## Te Whānau Kōtuku

### HANGI FUNDRAISER!!

Our next fundraiser for Iron Tamariki will be selling hangi tickets. If you came to our pō Matariki, you will know how delicious it tastes!

Each whānau (not tamaiti) will be given 4 hangi tickets to sell. Each ticket is \$15 and includes a hangi meal of 2 meats, 3 veg and stuffing as well as a burnt butter pudding with homemade custard.

Hangi pick up day is **Saturday 7th August at 12pm** from the **Centre Church, 5 Hurly Rd, Paraparaumu**. Help will be needed on Friday 6th at 10am to prep the veges and 4pm to pack individual trays. Please let Whaea Gina or **Huia King** know if you can help. A few hands will also be handy on Saturday to help give out orders.

We will sell 200 hangi in total. 156 tickets are allocated to whānau and 44 will be available to the public. If you would like more tickets, please let me know. If you are unable to sell your tickets, please let me know a week before the hangi so we can sell them on. Thank you for your on-going tautoko! We have hit the halfway mark for our fundraising goal so we are right on track to fund the majority of our haerenga to Iron Tamariki.

Mā pango, Mā whero, ka tutuki pai te mahi.

### Ripper rugby—(in school only)

<https://www.sporty.co.nz/paraparaumuprim/Rugby-Registrations/Rippa-Rugby-Registration>

Please note the above registration does not mean that your child is committed to playing Rugby this season, nor does it mean that they will need to attend mid-week trainings. **This registration is for rippa rugby in school only.** A trained professional will be coming into our Kura to teach our students a non-contact form of rugby (rippa rugby), these sessions are based around fun and use skills that can be utilized in multiple sporting codes.

### 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!

## 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)

## Community Notices

**Children LOVE learning how to Cartwheel, Handstand, Round-off, Handspring and Flip at BIGAIR GYM!** BIGAIR's GYMNASTICS, TRAMPOLINE, CHEERLEADING, TUMBLING & FREE RUNNING classes are excellent for fun and fitness! We focus on safety, technique, fundamental skills, right through to more advanced skills, such as summersaults and twisting. Bigair Gym is a pristine, exciting, kid friendly gym! Our experienced coaches run structured and organized fun gym classes, which follow a badge programme which creates goals and allows children to plan for success! **BOOK NOW for Term 3 Classes or Bigair's popular School Holiday Programme!** Full day or half day sessions. Keep your kids active these holidays! Spots are limited so book now on [www.bigairgym.co.nz](http://www.bigairgym.co.nz) **Bigair Gymsports Kapiti** Ph. 297 0400 e. [kapiti@bigairgym.co.nz](mailto:kapiti@bigairgym.co.nz) 4 Manchester Street, Kapiti.

## Leonie's Tennis Holiday Programme

Learn to serve rally and score - with fun games and prizes  
Venue: Paraparaumu Beach Tennis Club, Percival Road, Paraparaumu Beach  
Dates: Mon 12<sup>th</sup>, Wed 14<sup>th</sup> and Fri 16<sup>th</sup> July  
Time: 9am-12pm  
Age: 5-12 years  
Cost: \$30 per day or \$80 for 3 days  
For more information or to register contact: Leonie 021 169 0603  
Email: [leonietennisinc@gmail.com](mailto:leonietennisinc@gmail.com)

## UPCOMING DATES

### JULY

9 Term 2 Ends at 3pm  
26 Term 3 starts

### AUGUST

2 Room 7 Pataka Trip  
10th Ripper Ryan Rugby  
17th  
18 Junior Winter Tournament *pp 20/8*  
19 Room 5 & 7 Trip to Zealandia

### SEPTEMBER

2 Year 8 Gardasil immunisation  
7 Senior Winter Tournament

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

13 Artsplash

### OCTOBER

1 Term 3 ends  
18 Term 4 starts  
21 Snr Swim lessons (from Term 1)  
28 Snr Swim lessons (from Term 1)

### NOVEMBER

4 Snr Swim lessons (from Term 1)  
25 **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 –  
Term 4 Thursday 16th December (12 noon)  
25th October Labour day

## TERM DATES 2022

Term 1 3rd Feb—14th April (3pm)  
Term 2 2nd May —8th July (3pm)  
24th June school closed Matariki day)  
Term 3 Monday 25th July – 30th September (3pm)  
Term 4 17th October – 16th December (12 noon)  
24th October Labour day