

Term 2, week 2,  
9th May 2019



# Pukenui School NEWSLETTER



Greetings, Talofa Lava, Tena Koutou

## **Pukenui Cross Country**

Thursday 16th May. Parents, friends and whanau are invited to share this day with us. The PSG have kindly offered to give our students and whanau a free sausage sizzle for lunch. Please contact Miss Carr 0274340904 if you can help marshall around the course on this day.

Start Time: 11.30am.

### Laps and order of events:

Students Year 4 & 5 (2 laps of the course)

Students Year 2 & 3 (2 laps of the course)

Students Year 8 (4 laps of the course)

Students Year 1 (1 lap of the course)

Students Year 6 & 7 (3 laps of the course)

The top 5 students in each category will represent Pukenui School at the Rangitoto Cross Country on Wednesday 22 May.

## **Head lice**

A few classes across the school have had cases of head-lice recently. Please check your child's hair and treat accordingly. Free product is available at the office for treatment.

## **Matariki School Grounds Preparation**

We welcome and invite all whanau to join the staff and students of Pukenui School from 1.45pm until 3pm, Week 3, Monday 13th May. To prepare our school grounds and gardens for Matariki. Bring along: any items that you may need or can bring along for the day; gloves, gardening fork, topsoil, seeds, companion flowers, winter vegetables plants, garden Knick knacks, your gumboots and a smile. Join your children at their classroom for a fun filled afternoon.

## **School Trustee Elections**

The School Trustee elections are being held this year, and we need you to get involved.

If you're interested in standing for election or nominating someone you know, please contact the school office, 878 7727 or email [office@pukenui.school.nz](mailto:office@pukenui.school.nz).

**National Election Day is 7 June 2019.**

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

- MAY 16: CROSS COUNTRY
- MAY 24: RANGITOTO CROSS COUNTRY
- JUNE 3: QUEENS BIRTHDAY
- JUNE 7: BOARD OF TRUSTEE ELECTION
- JUNE 7: RIPPA TOURNAMENT
- JUNE 14: ORIENTEERING ARIA
- JUNE 25: STUDENT LED LEARNING CONFERENCE
- JUNE 26: STUDENT LED LEARNING CONFERENCE
- JUNE 27: MATARIKI WHIKORI MOTE REO
- JUNE 28: MATARIKI GAMES DAY

**SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTIONS**

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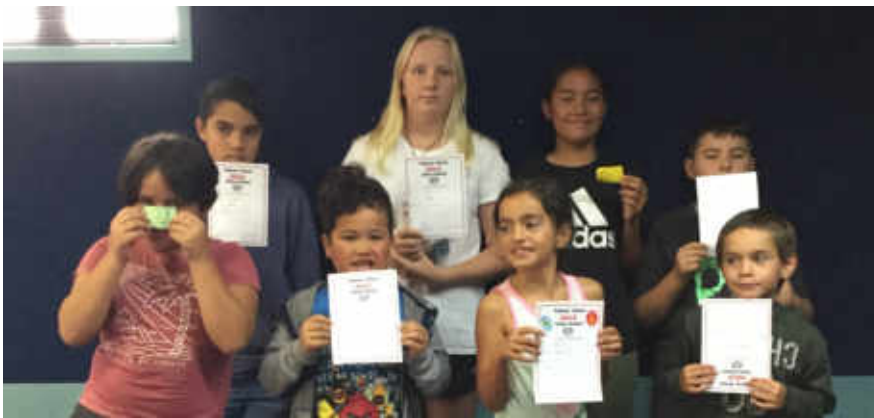
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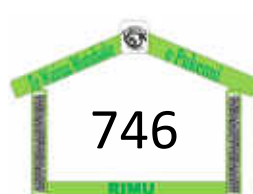
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# CLASS/ASSEMBLY AWARDS

- Room 1 **Zhajibna Earl** For being kind and helpful.  
**Cyrus Roma** For staying on task.
- Room 2 **Hunter Duncan** For excellent contributions to class discussion during inquiry learning.
- Room 4 **Layeton Karena** For starting the week off great and making awesome choices in class. Keep up the great decisions.
- Room 5 **Zachary Works** For a great start in Room 5 at Pukenui School.
- Room 6 **Tytan Anderson Enoka** For assisting others out and about in the playground 4 times.
- Room 8 **Alexa Works** For a great start at Pukenui School. Keep up the positive attitude.



## Wheel of Tabliods Sports Results



### GYMSPORT

Coach Graeme Plenderleith (Plendy) will be running Gymsport sessions at Te Kuiti High School gym, Mondays from 4.30pm, during term two.

Sessions are for children 8 years and older.


We will be looking at the possibility of a group of keen gymnasts attending the Te Awamutu Gymsport festival on 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2019.

A meeting of parents will be held at the gym on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> (following the session).

All interested are welcome.

Please contact  
 Dede Downs, Sport Waikato Waitomo District Co-ordinator  
 Ph 0274853692  
 if you have enquiries.



 ROAD PATROL	Week 3	Gisele & Vienna	Tuesday Only Sierra & Deearn
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# Notices

## Netball

4.15pm	Pukenui <b>Black</b> v TWOM Potiki	Court 2
	Pukenui <b>Red</b> v CP Angels	Court 3
5.30pm	Pukenui <b>Gold</b> v TKP Royals	Court 5

### Maniapoto Junior Netball

We had our first Junior Netball session at Trustpower Maniapoto Netball Centre on Friday and what a fantastic turn out. With keen new netballers from years 1, 2, 3 & 4 looking awesome in their uniforms and every single player participating wonderfully. A huge thank you to all coaches, parents/guardians and other friends and family who came to watch their young ones. With your continued support and help these new players will improve greatly over the 10 week programme. See you all this Friday - rain or shine.

Kind Regards, Carolyn Webster, Trustpower Maniapoto Junior Netball Coordinator.

## Rugby

Pukenui Rebels U 9's		Rugby Park Te Kuiti	Field	
Pukenui Rippa U 7's		Rugby Park Te Kuiti	Clubrooms field	9am

Pukenui U 7's Rippa. Please be at Waitete by 8.30am on Saturdays. Some games will be held at TKP, but parents will be advised prior.

10.30	Pukenui Gold 13	vs	Piopio College 13
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## Football

## Rippa Rugby

Rippa Rugby Tournament is on Friday 7th June. Pukenui has two Year 5 & 6 teams entered, and one Year 7 & 8 team. There is no fee for this tournament. Coaches/parent support are still required for the Year 5 & 6 B team and the Year 7 & 8 team.

### MATH BUDDY

Starting 21st May 2019

Time: 3pm - 4pm

Room 6

All students enrolling will be required to complete an enrolment form.

Please see Whaea Liane

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**BREAKFAST CLUB**  
More than tea & toast

**Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 8:15.**