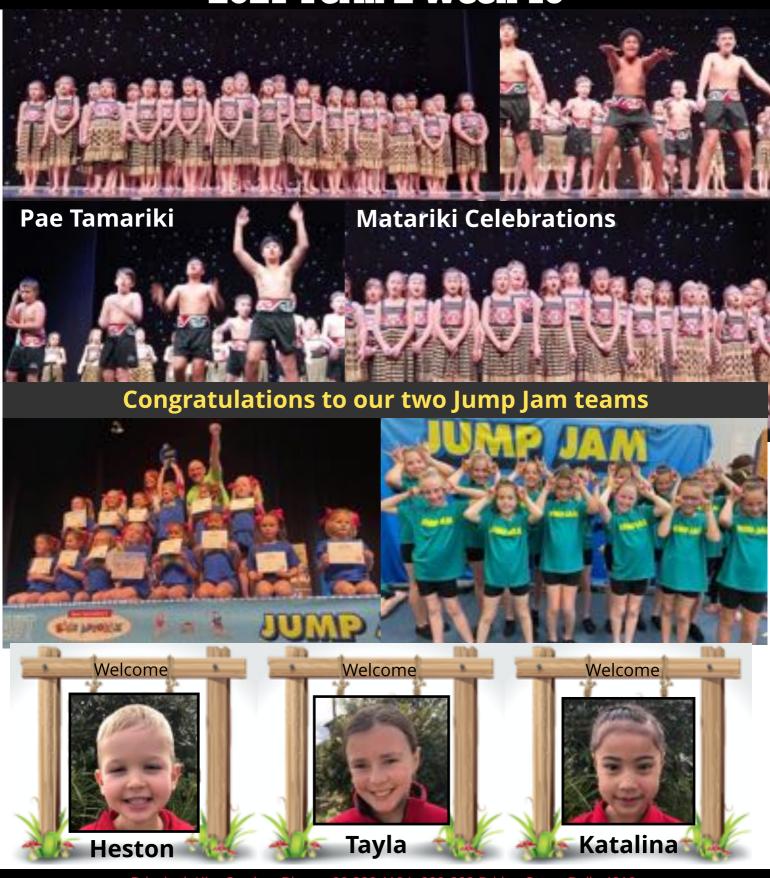
BULLS SCHOOL

2021 Term 2 Week 10



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Here we are - week 10 is upon us. We, as with many schools across Aotearoa have been experiencing a high number of absences of both staff and students, due to illnesses. We have all pitched in and done our very best to carry on. A huge thank you to those of you (most of you) who braved the chill and came along with your child to their learning conference hui last week. I can not stress enough the importance of the relationship between home and school and the impact this has on your child's learning outcomes.



To celebrate your child as a learner and share in the learning they have been doing around Matariki we hope to see many of you at school tomorrow afternoon to share kai and enjoy a concert to end the term on a celebratory note.

This will be the last newsletter I pen for a while. Some of you may remember that Katy Aldcroft our Board of Trustees Chairperson announced at the end of year prize giving that I have been awarded a Principal Sabbatical for Term 3. I am excited and apprehensive at the same time. The intent of a sabbatical is two fold. It allows me time to study something of interest to me in my role as an educator, as well as providing me with time to revive my passion for leading learning - which is what ultimately gets me out of bed each day! I feel incredibly grateful for the opportunity that has been given to me, but I can't lie, I will miss this team of incredible, inspiring people (staff and students) and look forward to rejoining everyone again in Term 4. Finally, what makes this sabbatical possible is the complete confidence I have in the team to continue to lead Bulls School and steer the waka in the right direction.

Me mahi tahi tātou, mo te oranga o te katoa.

We will work together for the wellbeing of everyone.

See you all again in Term 4!

Manawatia a Matariki, Kim Gordon, Tumuaki.



This term Tokomanawa completed a statistical investigation about the rubbish around our school. We collected rubbish and sorted it into groups. Of the 282 pieces of rubbish we found in 10 minutes around the school 176 of them were pieces of plastic that was from our morning tea & lunches.

RANGITIKEI TOUGH KIDS FRIDAY 20 SEPTEMBER TERM 3 OHINGA ITI DOMAIN

THIS WILL BE A MAJOR FUNDRAISER.

BULLS SCHOOL ARE THE HOSTS & WE ARE LOOKING FOR A TEAM OF AWESOME HELPERS TO:

*HELP SETTING UP ON THURSDAY

*HELP RUN THE EVENT ON FRIDAY

*HELP BAKE GOODS FOR THE BAKE SALE

*HELP SUPPLY INGREDIANTS FOR THE BAKE SALE

*HELP COOKING THE BBQS

*HELP PACKING UP ON FRIDAY AFTER THE EVENT.

CONTACT DI AT THE OFFICE AND LET HER KNOW HOW YOU CAN HELP SUPPORT OUR FUNDRAISING EFFORTS.

WE WILL SPEAK TO OUR TAMARIKI ABOUT HOW THEY WOULD LIKE FUNDS RAISED TO BE SPENT - THEY ALWAYS COME UP WITH GREAT IDEAS!



Package free tip: Try packing plastic free foods.

Pack fruit for snacking to cut down on wrappers and eat healthy – a win for you and for wildlife! If you or your children like pre-packed lunch products, try making your own – pack crackers and sliced cheese in a little box.

Enviro group:

This week dedicated members of our enviro group planted some pollinator friendly seeds into our school garden. They also had the opportunity to take some seeds home themselves to grow over the school holidays before they bring back their seedlings to school and plant in term 3.

JUMPJAM

A massive congratulations to both of our fabulous Jump Jam teams who competed last weekend at the Strictly competition. The Excitables won a well earned 1st place in the Year 1-4 Freshman category and the Dynamites blew me away by getting two Excellence awards in Presentation and Technical Execution. The Year 5-8 Open is a very tough category but the girls did themselves proud and certainly proved their place in the competition. My heart sang all weekend. Thank you for all your hard work, dedication and for putting your heart and souls into your performance.

Birthdays

23/06 Zack 24/06 Hralev 29/06 Jericho

02/07 Heston

02/07 Cole

07/07 Ania

07/07 Paige

07/07 Tvlah

15/07 Sebastian

16/07 Kyson

17/07 Kiara

22/07 Alexa

24/07 Doug



Whānau Matariki Celebration

TOMORROW! Thursday 8th July 12.30pm - 3pm

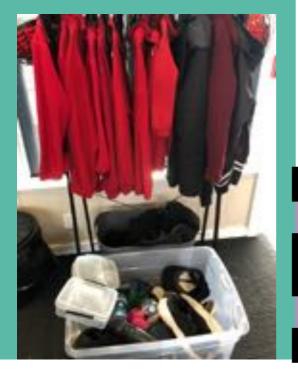
JOIN US FOR AN AFTERNOON OF:

- Karakia 12.30pm
- Shared Kai
- Roam the Rooms
- Concert Scout Hall
- Shared kai will be set up in the hall.
- Children or adults can deliver kai there before school. Staff will set it
- We encourage all whanau including wider whanau, grandparents, aunties and uncles to come along for this celebration.
- Roam the rooms ask your tamariki to take you on a tour through their learning environments.

Milos on sale **Tuesday and** Thursday **Lunchtimes \$1**

Bring your own Mug

We have a large amount of lost property. There are un-named polar fleeces, lunch boxes, drink bottles, shoes, and more. Please check the Wharenui. We will have to dispose of a lot of this gear at the end of the term.



Shared learning

New Website: www.hulls.school.nz



Go & check it out! **New feature:** Community Calendar regularly updated!

BULLS SCHOOL

Concert Items

will include:

Story time

Kapa Haka

Jump Jam

Ukulele and

more.

SCHOOL CLOSED TEACHER ONLY DAY Friday 20th August

Term Calendar

Wed 7th - Rangatira Challenge Makino Pools Thur 8th - Whānau Matariki Celebration Fri 9th - Last Day Term Two

Term 3

Mon - 26th - Term 3 Begins 9am Powhiri



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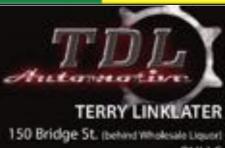
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