

Whakamaru School

28 May 2012



STARS OF THE WEEK



Here are our students who worked hard in their classes last week.



Room 1 - Atarau Doig



Room 2 - Brandon Marino



Room 3 - Ella Hines



Room 5 - Teramarama Follas

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<u>CERTIFICATES - ASSEMBLY FRIDAY 18 May</u>

Ms Whatarau's Supreme Award went to Quanita Gent-Standen.

	Room 1	Room 2	Room 3	Room 5
Class	Phabeyn	Arden Bentley	Seth Rae and	Ruben du
Certificates	Mankelow and	and Jayders	Sahmara Tauri and	Plessis
	Shearl-Lee	Whatuira-	Hamish Cannons	and Oram
	Te Paea	Young		Davis
Duffy	Steele	Antonie	William	Ocean
Award	McMeekin	Taylor	Christoffersen	Gulde



<u>Tēnā Koutou ngā whānau o Te Kura o Whakamaru</u> <u>Greetings to the Whakamaru School Community</u>

TOPIC STUDY

Just a reminder about the items the classes need for topic study. If you have any of the following things at home please send them to school as soon as possible as we are starting the Buoyancy unit this week:

Feathers, straws, plastic containers, bubble wrap, egg cartons, cartons, tinfoil, tinfoil containers, tins, ice block sticks, shells, plastic snap lock bags, corks, polystyrene, Styrofoam packing peanuts.

Thank you for your support.

NETBALL FUNDRAISER

Thank you to all who supported the Pizza fundraising for the netball uniforms. The amount raised was \$207.62 (which has paid for half of the junior uniforms).

WELCOME

Whakamaru School welcomes Simonè Mulder we hope you enjoy your time with us.

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ANZ NETBALL GRANT

The school was advised late last week that we had been awarded a \$1,000.00 standard uniform grant. This will be used to purchase new uniforms for the senior team and go towards the junior uniforms.

We sincerely thank all who voted for the school on the ANZ netball website.

WINTER SPORTS RESULTS

Junior Netball - Whakamaru Stars

No result this week.

Senior Netball - Whakamaru Phoenix

Lost against Tokoroa Intermediate Diamonds 0-54.

Player of the Day - Lateesha Nathan

Rugby

No result this week.

Soccer

Sorry Sam and Erik - last week we published that your team lost, they won against Liverpool 3-2.

This week they played Reporoa and won 12-0.

Player of the Day - Erik Pu

We look forward to receiving and publishing the sports results every Monday. If your child is in a sports team and you would like us to publish the results, please let the office know.

KEA, CUBS and SCOUTS

This is held on Sunday afternoons from 4:00pm - session times 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ hours - at the Mangakino Area School.

Fees for 2012 are \$25.00 per child per term. These fees do not include camps or trips.

For more information contact Kirsty or John Truman 8828 663

BROCHURE

We have included with the newsletter a brochure for every family from the N Z Transport Agency titled 'Hike it Bike it'.

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PINELANDS WINTER SPORTS TOURNAMENT

All students in Years 4-8 would have received a notice concerning the Pinelands Winter Sports day to be held at the Mangakino Area School on Friday $1^{\rm st}$ June. If you have not seen the notice, please contact the office and we will send one home.

We would ask that all forms be returned by tomorrow.

ROOM 2 needs your help!

We are about to start a unit were we will learn all about volume. To do this we need some materials to help us!

We need:

- Cardboard containers of various sizes (which can fit $\frac{1}{4}$ 4 cups of popped popcorn).
- Plastic containers which can hold various sizes of, up to or above a litre (ice cream container, soft drink bottles, milk bottles). Also if anybody will allow us to BORROW any spoons of various sizes e.g. small/large salad spoons or serving spoons. If you bring them to school named, we will clean and return them to you when we are finished.

Thank you for your help,

NITS

Nits have appeared again. We would ask that all parents please check their child and also that long hair be tied up.

In school age children check for headlice regularly once a week.

Look over the scalp for insects or eggs, especially around the hairline at the back of the neck behind the ears on the crown.

MOUTHGUARDS

We have a new supply of mouthquards at school - cost \$4.80.

HANDYMAN AVAILABLE

Anything possible. Phone Lyndsey 8828 852 or 027 9100 378

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