

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Kia Ora Koutou!

Currently our attendance rate sits between 84% & 85% across the school. Considering 95% is excellent, as a school our attendance is unsatisfactory. If you are having difficulty getting your child to school this is a gentle reminder to let you know that our Walking School Bus walks from the top of Wymondley Road every morning at 8.10am. One bus walks straight down Wymondley Road, the other goes around the Firth Crescent loop. If your child has been absent or late on numerous occasions, you will receive a letter with a permission slip for the Walking School Bus. Please fill it in, we are here to help.

In the meantime, it has been pleasing seeing the reports that will go home this week. Many of our students have made good progress, particularly those whose families support their learning at home and those who are at school regularly. Unfortunately, where there has been little support, students have struggled. You will be invited to Akoranga on Wednesday to discuss your child's report, please bring your child with you so that they can talk about their learning. For those who are unable to make it, teachers will expect you to make another time to see them. We want to meet with ALL parents, our children NEED us to ALL be on their side. Resources to support their learning over the holidays will be sent home too.

Attached to this newsletter will be a Health Curriculum survey. Please fill it in and send it back to school by the date indicated on the survey. There is a draw for a \$50 Pak and Save voucher for all surveys brought back to school on time and completed fully :-)

Please take note of all the dates on the next page. Have a great week!

Fleur Petelo – TUMUAKI



Students at school by



CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR AWARD WINNERS FROM LAST WEEK

KIA KAHA & MALOSI AWARDS

Ryder Tua'a-Sala

Katharina Tuuga

Abororahi Poroto

Longo Kiole

Jaylyn'Rose Soliai

Tamatoa-Ariki Bagby



Parenting Corner

AKORANGA - MEET THE TEACHERS/PARENTS EVENING

School will close 12pm



Just a friendly reminder that we have our final AKORANGA for 2019.

Your child should have brought home a timesheet for you to fill in a time that suits you.

The teachers are very excited to see you all on **WEDNESDAY 27th NOVEMBER** to celebrate your child(s) successes.

If you have not booked in a time please see your child's teacher.

TIME: 12pm - 7pm

DATE; WEDNESDAY 27TH NOVEMBER

VENUE: CLASSROOMS

PRINCIPAL AWARDS

STUDENTS:

Jahmaine David Jnr.

for a fantastic effort in class and school activities

Tupou Bourne

for an improved effort at school

CLASS:

Whetu

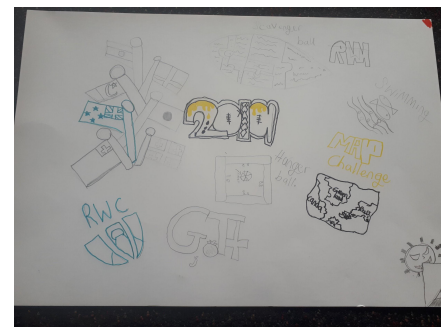
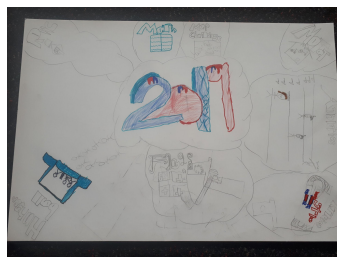
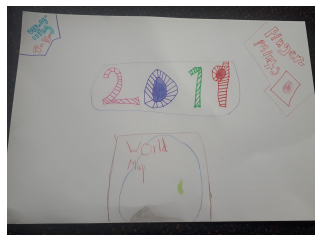
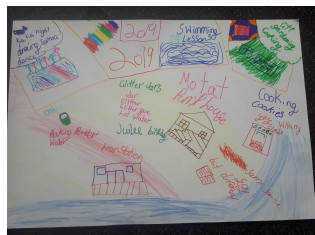
for behaving responsibly during the runathon

Teaching and Learning @ WRS

Pipi Whanau year 3/4 has worked incredibly hard this year on a variety of fun learning experiences.

As we head into the final weeks of 2019, the class has been reflecting on our learning and year and deciding on our key highlights. The class brainstormed a variety of diverse experiences from the year and have been practising different skills to create beautiful, visual, handmade creations portraying our 2019 highlights!

Here are some of our works-in-progress!



Each student has to deeply think about their favourite experiences and why they are highlights. Writing a word or sentence wasn't enough; we used our prior learning of symbology to create a visual representation of our experiences. This was tricky and our knowledge of short, sharp, succinct summaries came in handy too!

We invite you to create your own 2019 Highlights Poster and share it with our class!

What's on @ WRS

27th Nov Akoranga 4. 12.30pm - 7pm in classes

5th Dec Wymondley In The Park

6th Dec Honours Assembly 10am

9th Dec Graduation Dinner Year 6

10th Dec BOT Meeting

11th Dec Helpers Morning Tea

12 Dec End of Year Prizegiving

16th Dec Last day of school. Finish at 12pm

5th Dec **WYMONDLEY IN THE PARK**

5pm start

RUNATHON

Thank you to all the students from Wymondley

Road School and St Kentigerns Boys School

for the wonderful effort you made at our annual

Runathon. Please remember that you can start bringing your sponsorship money in

ALL money needs to be in by the 3rd of December.

6th Dec **HONOURS ASSEMBLY**

10am start



Have you checked out our Facebook Page
@wymondleyroadschool



Have you checked out our Instagram Page
@wymondley_road_school



If your child is going to be absent or late, please call the front office on 276-7241.