

Positive Behaviour for Learning

Community Notices



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The Region's Gateway to the World



Have you ever wanted to learn Te Reo Maori? The next intake for 'Te Ahu o Te Reo Māori' at NMIT begins on May 7th. You can develop competency in tikanga Māori, te reo Māori and understand local stories. There are no attendance fees and all materials are provided. The course is open to all school staff, Board of Trustees members and whānau.

To find out more or to register visit <https://teahuotereomaori.nmit.ac.nz/> or e-mail teahuotere@nmit.ac.nz



Join Averill in learning all about spiders, including:

- An introduction to spiders, and those found in Aotearoa.
- What makes jumping spiders different and noteworthy.
- Why jumping spiders are of interest to scientists.
- The cool things they've learned from them so far.
- What her research is investigating.
- Exciting research on the horizon within her lab group.



Averill Moser-Rust is a PhD student at the University of Canterbury studying animal behaviour, particularly jumping spider attentional abilities and decision making.

Jumping Spiders....Do they make YOU jump?

Venue: Nelson College for Girls Hall

7pm Tuesday 1st Sept - FREE



Community Forum

Nga Aukaha – All In For Tamariki

TUESDAY 6th SEPTEMBER, 7.00PM
PŪTANGITANGI GREENMEADOWS CENTRE, STOKES

Many tamariki cannot access the support they need to thrive. 1/3 of Ongoing Resourcing Scheme (ORS) applications are rejected. Let's prioritise the support needed for all tamariki to thrive.

BE ON THE WAKA OF CHANGE
Tatau tatau e – All welcome



TABLE TENNIS NELSON PRESENTS...

BUSINESS HOUSE COMPETITION 2022

BATS AND BALLS PROVIDED.

RUNS FOR 8 WEEKS
STARTS WED 10TH AUGUST
7PM – 9PM
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2 X PLAYER TEAMS
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Function Centre
Nelson Golf Club, Bolt Road
Sat. 27 & Sun. 28 August
10.30 am – 4.00 pm
Adults \$5 Kids \$2
www.nelsonminiatures.co.nz

INCLUSIVE SPORT TRUST

Active8Kids

Physical activity programme for children aged 5-11 with supported learning needs or lacking confidence.

Every Thursday from Aug 4th-Sept 22nd 2022
Saxton Stadium
3.40 pm-4.40 pm.

With a focus on fun games, the sessions will help to develop a range of sports skills and build your child's confidence so they experience the joy of being active.

Cost: \$30.00 per child.
Sport Start funding may be available for eligible families.

To register contact:
Alice, Sports Co-ordinator, Inclusive Sport Trust.
Email: admin@inclusivesport.org.nz | Phone: 022 381 6970

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Newsletter

Greetings - Kia ora ra ki te whānau
Auckland Point School. 111 Haven Road, Nelson. Phone (03) 548 7970



Friday, 26 August 2022

Nile Tahi

Nile Tahi class have been learning about endangered species so the tamariki created their own prints of an endangered species. They firstly drew their chosen species picture and then transferred this onto a foam printing plate. They then carved this image into the foam plate. After this, they rolled their printing plate with ink and then printed it onto paper. They look so awesome hanging in our classroom.



Annie



Shayna



Poppy



Te Hoiere



Gwechra



Evan

Principal's Pen

Tenā koutou katoa,

What a week it has been! I hope this weekend you can rest and revive!

Thank you for your support in keeping your tamariki safe at home while we dried out our classrooms and had electrical fittings, alarm sensors and detectors checked out. All classrooms had water through the ceiling panels and some leaked considerable amounts of water in varying places. The rainfall has been extraordinary and we know this because of the devastation that has occurred around our region. Our swimming pool was filled to the brim after having been nearly empty! That gives us a visual picture of the volume of rain that has fallen.

Next week we will open as usual and hope that as Rocks Road re-opens that getting to and from school will be easier for everyone. If it is still difficult for some whanau, we will continue to offer home learning. Please keep in touch with your child's class teacher if you wish to do this.

On Monday 5 September 5.30-7.00pm we are holding a whanau evening at school to discuss experiences as parents, tamariki, families, whanau, and iwi, at our school. Over the past 5 years we have used a survey tool called 'Rongohia te Hau' to measure these experiences and this year we wish to have a time when we can give you some background information and understanding about what this work is about. We really want to hear your voice and it would be so good to have lots of our families come to this event. We will have kai and childcare available so that you can come and have your child/ren cared for while we do this work together. We will send out another invitation to you this coming week.

In the meantime,

Stay safe, dry and well.

Please contact us if you need any help following the floods. We're here to support our families.

Kia kaha.

Ngā mihi nui,

Sonya

Things to Remember

Assemblies are on Mondays & Fridays at 9.15am in the hall.

School phone/absence line: 03 548 7970 / text mobile 027 548 7970

Term 3 2022 Dates:

Tuesday, 30 August 2022 5.30-7.30pm - Board of Trustees Meeting
Sunday, 4 September 2022 - FATHERS DAY
Monday, 5 September 2022 - Brooke Waimarama Sanctuary inquiry visit
Monday, 5 September 2022 - Whānau hui Rongohia te Hau 5.30-7.00pm- School hall
Tuesday, 6 September 2022 - Interschool Tackle tournament Jubilee Park
Tuesday, 13 September 2022 - Winter Sports Tournament
Monday, 19 September 2022 - Science Roadshow senior students
Tuesday, 20 September 2022 - Year 3-4 Interschool Hockey Tournament
Friday, 23 September 2022 - Science Day at APS
Sunday, 25 September 2022 - Daylight Savings begins
Tuesday, 27 September 2022 - Year 5-6 Interschool Hockey Tournament
Tuesday, 27 September @ 5.30pm - APS Board Meeting
Friday, 30 September 2022 - Last Day Term 3

Term 4 2022 Dates:

Monday, 17 October 2022 - First Day Term 4
Friday, 21 October 2022 - **TEACHER ONLY DAY** (School closed for instruction for students.)
Monday, 24 October 2022 - Labour Day (School Closed)
Tuesday, 22 November 2022 - APS Athletics Day
Monday, 28 November - Senior Camp @ Marahau
Thursday, 1 December 2022



PB4L FOCUS - Positivity

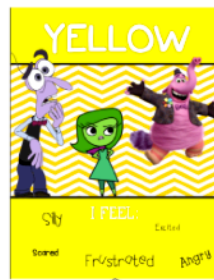
Positive thoughts = positive feelings



Did you know that
Our thoughts affect our feelings!

Negative thoughts = negative feelings

Positive thoughts = positive feelings



Frustrated and scared

Silly and excited

We are focusing on

LEADING LIGHT - Positivity

- Shows 'The APS Way'
- Someone who can **identify** when they could be thinking negatively and **tries** to change their thinking.
- Someone who **tries** to change their negative thinking to positive thinking.
- Someone who **shows** positivity towards others (encourages others).

POSITIVITY



Nile Tahi Persuasive Writing

Not only have we been learning about endangered species in New Zealand and but all around the world. We have also been working on our persuasive writing skills. We were thinking about cats in our environment and had to argue whether we thought they were pests or pets.

Cats Should Not Be Banned In NZ

Today I am going to argue that cats should not be banned in NZ because they are cute and cuddly and they also make you responsible.

Firstly, cats are cute and cuddly and my cats sleep with me. They also live at my house.

Secondly, they are my favorite animal because they are cute. They are playful.

They also make you responsible when you have kids. I have to feed my cats and they follow me everywhere and they purr on me.

In conclusion, cats are great pets and they should not be banned in NZ.

By Kyle Lumsden

Cats Should Be Pets

8.08.22

Today I'm arguing that cats shouldn't be thought of as pests. I rather think cats should be pets.

Cats are cute and fluffy. When you are bored you can rub their tummy or pat them on the head.

Some people take care of cats to earn trust. Some people don't take too much responsibility and abandon them. You have to feed them, pat them, give them water and you have to give them love.

They keep people from getting depressed and keep you warm, happy and give you fun when you're sad. When you are sad they can comfort you and play with you.

So as you can see cats are great pets.

Jimmy Johnson

Cats Are Pets

Today I am arguing that cats are pets because they're cuddly, they help me when I am sad and they help me to be responsible.

Firstly, cats are cuddly. For example, my cat keeps me calm when I stroke him.

Secondly, my cat helps me to be responsible because it will help me when I get older. I have to feed him.

Thirdly, cats keep away mice and rats which have diseases.

So you can see cats are pets not pests.

By Evan Lewis

Cats Should be Pets

Today I'm going to argue about why I think cats should stay in New Zealand to make people happy.

Firstly, cats are lovely, joyful and cute. For example, cats can sit on your knee and cheer you up by purring and being cuddly.

Secondly, you have to be responsible. For example, you have to take them to the vet if they get injured or sick.

Thirdly, cats keep away rats and mice. Rats and mice are unhealthy and eat your food so a cat will hunt them and keep them away and your house will be healthier.

In conclusion, cats are great pets.

by Fiaseu Dempsey

BE YOU. BE GREAT! AWARDS
Term 3, Week 3



Trafalgar Room

Tadhg Trayes: Hobbs: For being engaged during mat time and showing resilience during learning tasks.

Scarlett Berkett: For your amazing ideas and enthusiasm in writing.

St. Vincent Tahi Room

Noah Hunter: For showing positivity everyday!

Dolton Hunter: For always having a positive attitude.

St. Vincent Rua Room

Quintaya Takimoana-Johnstone: For always being helpful and respectful in the classroom.

Leon Roe: For representing multiplication facts in different ways.

Nile Tahi Room

Inaya Hameed: For working hard to learn the letter sounds and to use them in her reading.

Aaliyah Young-Collins: For writing an extremely convincing argument about why cats are pets and not pests.

Nile Rua Room

Scarlett Milham: For showing a positive mindset towards her learning when it challenges her. Ka rawe!

Nikora Scott-Dysart: For your exceptional ideas and work during our endangered animals topic.

Fair Play:

Emma Miller: For helping support Trafalgar students during playtimes!

Leading Light:

Connor Suttie: For actively using positive self talk when participating in soccer (you noticed that difference!) Tino pai Connor!



BE YOU. BE GREAT! AWARDS
Term 3, Week 4



Trafalgar Room

Yana Nichloas: For her excellent ideas during group Maths sessions
He whetu koe!

Hakaraia Hemi: For being engaged during mat time and sharing your knowledge! Whakamataua tonu!

St. Vincent Tahi Room

Mila Maas-Lane: For always having a positive attitude to learning.

Kara Calder: For always having a positive attitude to school.

St. Vincent Rua Room

Dy-mon Valentine: For showing resilience and being more focused on completing learning tasks.

Ember van Boxel: For introducing more creative and detailed ideas into your writing.

Nile Tahi Room

Joshua Hughes: Showing the APS way by always being willing to help his classmates and teacher.

Peyton Knudsen: Making huge progress in writing and crafting an awesome argument about zoos.

Nile Rua Room

Ray Roach: For your focus towards learning about our endangered species during Inquiry.

Daisy Stott: For using your number knowledge and problem solving skills to figure out decimal and fraction questions.

BE YOU. BE GREAT! AWARDS
Term 3, Week 5

Trafalgar Room

Estiana Khadka: For her excellent improvement in letter and sound knowledge. Ka mau te wehi!

Konrad Wiblin: For his excellent ideas during group Maths sessions. He whetu koe!

St. Vincent Tahi Room

Cleo Costelloe-Baptista: For always managing herself and being a great role model.

Jason Qu: For always managing himself and staying on task.

Nile Tahi Room

Swechha Korrapati: For working independently on our inquiry tasks and becoming more self directed.

Ashlyn Cocksedge: For going the extra mile to improve in reading. Awesome effort!

Nile Rua Room

Amelia Ashton: For taking extra care and time during our tuhiuhi (writing) sessions to proofread and edit!

Ludo Allan-Dahlgren: For putting lots of effort into our research about endangered species.

Fair Play:

Shayna Freeman: For making visitors to our school feel included and welcome.

Leading Light:

Jimmy Johnson: For self management and awesome goal setting.

