



Upcoming Events

March

BOT Meeting 14th April - 5.30 pm in Room 4. All welcome to attend.

School Holiday Break 16th April

25th April Anzac Day

Term 2 Starts Monday 3rd May

Marion Park

Early next term the juniors would like to visit Marion Park's brand new playground and stay for morning tea. We'll give you more details in the Week 1 Term 2 newsletter. Steele's Dad - Andy and his Play Top team built this exciting new park.



Birthdays

23rd April - Cody Berquist turns 11. We hope you have a fantastic day celebrating with family and friends.



Colour Run 2021

Back by popular demand is the amazing colour run. This year we are going to host the run on Friday the 4th June. More information will go home to the students before the end of term.



Pics: Madison, McKenzie, and Tamara enjoying the junior sports activities.

Te Kawau Junior Tabloids

Well done juniors - they had a great day at Oroua Downs School last Friday competing in 12 activities with O/D seniors as leaders. It was a lovely day and our kids participated with enthusiasm and great behaviour/manners.



Pine cones

If you have a log-burner/wood fire/open fire or coal range we still have 3 bags of pinecones left - let us know if you would like one. There are still many, many pinecones along the southern fence-line just waiting to be gathered. School families/whanau are invited to gather them ready for winter - we even have bags available for you...we're working on how best to chop the logs into trailer loads of firewood - no easy task in today's health and safety regulations. We'll keep you posted! The trees cost \$7,000 to fell so we would love to recoup some of that cost. The company that felled the 50+ 40 year old pine trees (Turkingtons) was very generous and donated the traffic management cost of the operations (over \$1,000) back to the school.

If anyone out there has a solution to the firewood dilemma PLEASE see us at school asap!

Neighbourhood Support's Intergeneration Buddy Program is coming to Sanson School

Neighbourhood Support Manawatu run an Intergenerational Buddy Program in which volunteer buddies visit schools once a week to read with the students, trade stories, and have a bit of fun. The program connects kids with the older generation to form relationships and develop communication skills.

We're excited to share that this program is coming to our school in Term 2 and you have a chance to be involved. Since Neighbourhood Support is expanding the service to more schools in the district, they need more volunteer buddies. Buddies can be an adult of any age, but the elderly (and grandparents) are particularly popular with kids. If you or someone you know wants to get involved, then complete the online form, or give Aly Thompson from Neighbourhood Support a call on 0273237387.

Let's help Neighbourhood Support grow this program so more kids in our district can enjoy the benefits of quality time with our adults and older people.

URL: <https://form.gle/K9EHBafa3s9rUSKA>

Enjoy a restful holiday and we look forward all the exciting opportunities in Term 2.



Regards Jude and the TEAM Together, Everyone, Achieves, More