



Merivale School

Te Kura o Tūtarawānanga



Matuatia Te Ako



Learning First

PĀNUI

14 June 2023



| | MON | TUE | WED | THU | FRI | SAT | SUN |
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| WEEK 8 | 12 June | 13 June RF & Skin Nurse | 14 June | 15 June | 16 June Basketball RF & Skin Nurse | 17 June Netball | 18 June |
| WEEK 9 | 19 June | 20 June RF & Skin Nurse | 21 June | 22 June REPORTS COMING HOME TODAY | 23 June Basketball RF & Skin Nurse | 24 June Netball | 25 June |

SPORTS NEWS

All whanau are welcome to come and support the teams in their games.

BASKETBALL

Draw for this **Friday June 16th**
Merivale Carvers vs Greenpark School
QEYC Court 1, 4:45pm.

NETBALL

Senior netball:

Draw for this **Saturday June 17th**
Merivale Magic vs BS Mystics
Court 11 3.25pm

Junior netball:

Draw for this **Saturday June 17th**
Merivale Stars vs Arataki Tactics
Court 11 11.30am

All netball is held at Harbourside Mt Maunganui

WBOP CROSS COUNTRY:

Congratulations to the following Year 5 girls who qualified to run at the WBOP Cross Country at Waipuna Park, Welcome Bay yesterday.

Rangimaria Puaha, Shareen Brown and Amethyst Wallace.

This is a tough course and the girls ran well to complete it, we are super proud of you all. Well done on being amazing representatives of Merivale School and for the West Cluster.

Pasifika Group 2023

The 2023 Pasifika Festival in the Bay is on!
Sadly at this point in time we do not have a tutor to teach the group.

Are you interested in becoming the tutor for our group.

The group will meet once a week on Thursday afternoons from 1.30-2.30 to learn dances that they would be able to perform. If you are keen and you are able to commit to once a week I would love to hear from you.

The dates of the Pasifika Festival are

- Saturday October 28th (pp 4th November)
- Start time 10am
- Mount Maunganui College.

We need to register if we are going participate so please get in touch.

Whaea Heather

Breakfast Club

We need your help.

We have a wonderful group of volunteers who turn up regularly to help with our breakfast club however we do not have anyone to help on Tuesdays.

All you need to do is be available consistently on a Tuesday from 8am to 9am to help serve weetbix, toast and hot milos.

There will always be a staff member present as well.

Please contact me if you are able to commit to this time.

Thanks

Whaea Heather

ATTENDANCE:

All in for learning Kia kotahi the ū ki te ako

Every school day is a big day.

One day away from school a fortnight is a month missed over a year.

Together we can change that.

How are we tracking on our Marvellous Monday challenge?

This week we hit 80% on Monday and Tuesday was 86% so it is great to see some improvement.

Tena Koutou Parents, Caregivers & Whanau,

It is Week 8 of Term 2 at the Vale.

A huge welcome back to Whaea Heather. We have missed her guiding hands in our kura but luckily she has returned before the end of term as we still have plenty to do. There are a few notices this week.

Individual Education Plans.

Individual Education Plans (IEP's) will be taking place next week for some students. Teaching staff along with Whaea Heather have been very busy working alongside whanau to create customised student learning plans. It is vital that whanau attend these so as to be aware of what is taking place for their child.

Reports.

Teachers are currently preparing these for distribution next week. Reports will be given out to students to bring home next

Thursday 22 June.

School Van Run.

The school van collects and drops off several students daily.

Most days, Whaea Toni and Whaea Jess manage the run.

However sometimes we are unable to operate another driver to support the run. A decision has been made that on those days, a message will be sent out by the office before 8am to whanau and you will be responsible for getting students to and from school.

Visitors.

As mentioned last week, all visitors and late students must report to the office **on arrival**. Please do not head straight into school grounds.

We are happy to assist you with any concerns or issues directly at the office, often saving visitors time if they are looking for students or staff members.

Communication with School.

It is important to inform the school of any changes to contact details, including phone numbers and emails, so that we are up to date in case of emergencies.

Any changes to normal routines, including pick ups and walking bus, must also be made known to the office as well.

Nga Mihi

Matua Tom