



# Pukekohe North School

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## Newsletter # 8 –Thursday 6 June 2019:

Kia Ora Tatou,

### Board of Trustee Elections:

We were so pleased to receive x 10 nominations for our next Board of Trustees 2019-2021.

The following wonderful whanau have placed their names forward for the Board:

- \*Colin Chee*
- \*Amanda Ferguson*
- \*Suzanne Konelio*
- \*Lincoln Le'au*
- \*Wanita Marsh*
- \*Raemon Matene*
- \*Rita Matthews*
- \*Denise Proctor*
- \*Liz Tupuhi*
- \*Luaipoumalo Uliefu*

We require x 5 to be chosen by the community to form our Board.

The 5 nominees that receive the most votes will be joined with me as Principal of Pukekohe North School and x 1 Staff Representative.

The new Board will commence officially on Friday 14 June 2019.

The Voting Papers posted out to you are due at school by 12.00.p.m. **TOMORROW** –Friday 7 June 2019 or be post-marked 7.06.2019.

We have a BOT Votes box in the Administration area ready to receive the voting papers.

### Pukekohe North School –Soccer:

Our staff are so pleased with the Year 3-4, Year 5-6 and Year 7-8 students that have represented our school at The Franklin Soccer Tournaments this month.

Their level of play and sportsmanship has been wonderful.

All Pukekohe North School students have been a pleasure to take out of school and act as ambassadors for our kura.

So proud of our tamariki!!

We are now organising for the Tackle Rugby Competition that takes place on 18 June 2019.



### Anti-Drug Talk –Senior Students:

Several times per term we organise special visitors to talk to our Senior Students (Room 1 - 10) on a variety of topics.

In the past we have had visitors such a Vet, Fireman, Hairdresser, Artist. Army Personnel and a nurse.

On Tuesday 11 June we have a group coming to talk to our students about staying away from drugs.

On Tuesday 25 June we have an Olympian coming to talk to the Seniors. She is Alexis Pritchard.

Alexis, you may remember for her Bronze Medal fight at the 2014 Glasgow Commonwealth Games in the under 60kg division.

### Teacher's Collective Agreement:

Here are a few photographs of our Strike Day held last Wednesday 29 May 2019

The Teachers' Unions and Ministry of Education officials are back trying to negotiate a settlement that works for both sides.

As a heads up, the Teacher Unions are discussing more possible strike days.

No one wants this to happen so we hope the negotiations will be positive.

As soon as we know the next actions, I will inform our community through the School's Facebook, Website and School App.



### Report Forms:

We will be sending home our Student Report Forms on Friday 28 June.

These reports describe what the children have learnt this year, the level they are achieving at and what they need to learn next.

We look forward to discussing your child's learning with you on Wednesday 3 July from 3.00-7.00.p.m.

In our next newsletter we will be setting up Interview Appointments with Whanau.

## Happy Birthdays are extended to:

08/06 Saturday  
Curtis Room03 11.00yrs  
09/06 Sunday  
Stormee Room06 8.00yrs  
11/06 Tuesday  
Rangatahi Room10 -10.00yrs  
14/06 Friday  
Eklypze Room04 9.00yrs  
15/06 Saturday  
Vera TRoom06 8.00yrs  
16/06 Sunday18/06 Tuesday  
Rati Room05 10.00yrs  
20/06 Thursday  
Eserjay Room14 -7.00yrs  
29/06 Saturday  
Corey Room09 -8.00yrs  
30/06 Sunday  
Ata Miria Room09- 8.00yrs



## Celebrating Student Success

### Senior Syndicate

### ***Matariki hunga, Matariki ahunga nui***

*Whenever I say  
"Matariki" (William)  
I feel excitement*

*in my chest (Ana)  
I see families get together (Tukino)  
I hear  
familiar voices (Teria)  
hongi  
hugs  
kisses (TK)*

*greetings  
laughing  
having fun (James)*

*I smell  
smoke  
drift in the air (Eddi)*

*the sweet aroma  
of juicy pork  
hover everywhere (Lina)*

*I taste  
delicious hangi*



*fresh and hot (Roimata)*

*I feel aroha flow through my body (Nikora)*

**Upcoming Pukekohe North School Events:**

***Monday 10 June - In School Hockey Coaching***

***Tuesday 11 June – In School Rugby League Coaching***

***Wednesday 12 June – Endzone Sports Programme Rms 3-4-10***

***Thursday 13 June – BOT Nomine votes counted today***

***Friday 14 June – Room 8 Assembly***

***Friday 14 June – New Board takes office***

***Monday 17 June – In School Hockey training***

***Tuesday 18 June – Tackle rugby Competition***

***Wednesday 19 June – Endzone Sports Training for Rooms 3-4-10***

***Thursday 20 June – Next newsletter due***

**Jim Stafford-Bush**

**Tumuaki**