



Pukekohe North School

"Setting our akonga on the path of lifelong learning"



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Tumuaki Talk

Kia Ora Whaanau,

Can you believe that we are just over a week away from the end of Term 2 2022? It has been a hard-working and positive term and the tamariki have been sensational and so happy. With this in mind, we look forward to holding our Whaanau Interviews next Wednesday and Thursday to explain how much your tamaiti has learned and to set new goals with you for Term 3 2022.

Have you organized your interview time(s) with the Kaiako/teachers yet? We have times available on Wednesday and Thursday.

Please give us a ring on 0800 785-366 or send a note or email to admin@pukekohenorthschool.nz to arrange your times.

These interviews are so important to the progress of all aakonga. We expect to see every whaanau/parent or seek another appointment with the kaiako/teacher if these days do not work for you.

Whaanau Interview Form: Wednesday 6 July 2022

Whaanau Name	Room Number
Tamaiti	
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Please circle your preferred interview time	
3.00-4.00.p.m.	4.00-5.00.p.m.
Kaiako Dinner 5.00-5.30.p.m.	5.30-6.30.p.m.

Whaanau Interview Form: Thursday 7 July 2022

Whaanau Name	Room Number
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Please circle your preferred interview time	
3.00-4.00.p.m.	4.00-5.00.p.m.
Kaiako Dinner 5.00-5.30.p.m.	5.30-6.30.p.m.

Upcoming Evrents

Term 3

Term 3 commences on
Monday 25 July 2022 from
8.50.a.m.

Term 3 concludes on Friday
30 September 2022 at
2.40.p.m.

Week 1

Monday 25 July PB4L
Assembly – 8.50-9.15.a.m. in
the hall

Thursday 28 July
BOT Training Night in the
staffroom -4.30-6.30.p.m.

Next newsletter due

Friday 29 July:
Pukekohe High School visit
to discuss year 9 Enrolments
with our Year 8
aakonga/students



Education Review Office (ERO):

The Education Review Office was in school this week reviewing our policies and procedures, talking to aakonga/students, kaiako/teachers, and professionals working with the kura/school. whaanau/parents and visiting classrooms.

What we are doing well

- Our kaiako/teachers have the most heartening relationships with their aakonga/students
- The tamariki are so engaged in their learning - They want to learn!
- The tamariki are confident to talk about their learning and participation in school activities and events
- Kaiako/teachers focus upon aakonga/student needs
- Individual needs are addressed to allow each aakonga/student to strive towards their potentials
- Kaiako/teachers are aware of accelerating learning for the aakonga/students
- Systems of tracking aakonga/student progress are reviewed and upgraded as required
- There is a real focus upon progress
- There is a cohesive approach across the school
- Systems and processes within the kura/school have been strengthened and improved
- There has been a good development of leadership across the school
- Positive feedback about Pukekohe North School has been received from the community, school achievement facilitators and professional agencies working with our kaimahi/staff and aakonga/students. 'There is something special about this school and students!'

Moving forward

- ERO would like to see our kura/school moderating our aakonga/student's work with other Kura Rumaki in Auckland
- Meet with the staff, community and local Nga Hau E Wha Marae to discover 'The Pukekohe North School way'
- Develop our own local curriculum
- Make our way through the ERO Te Ara Huarau School Improvement Framework with all stake holders and refine our next steps in our development

Their report will be released in Term 3 2022.

Happy Birthday

01/07 Friday

Hone Room 14 = 7yrs

04/07 Monday

Jean Room 14 7yrs

05/07 Tuesday

Renesmee Room 14 7yrs

06/07 Wednesday

Jacob Room 10 = 10yrs

08/07 Friday

Khyan-Zane Room 08 – 8yrs

12/07 Tuesday

Dayanna Room 03 – 11yrs

Henissc Room 05 – 9yrs

Wiremu Room 04 – 10yrs

13/07 Wednesday

Eileen Room 04 - 10yrs

14/07 Thursday

Jarreau Room 10 – 10yrs

16/07 Saturday

Toa Room 03 11yrs

18/07 Monday

Manu Room 14 – 7yrs

19/07 Tuesday

Anthony Room 08 – 8yrs

Kyzhar-La Rose Room 14 –

7yrs

22/07 Friday

Kahutapeka Room 15 – 8yrs

Ahnyis Room 01 – 12yrs

Kayden Room 05 – 9yrs



Congratulations:

Whaea Sophie applied for, was interviewed, and was selected as the successful applicant for our permanent Year 1-3 Kura Rumaki vacancy. Whaea Sophie impressed the interview panel with her depth of Te Reo Maori and Tikanga.

Her passion for the tamariki and whaanau, in general shone through as did her knowledge of how the tamariki learn.

Whaea Sophie is and will continue to be an asset to Pukekohe North School.

We congratulate Sophie on her permanent appointment to the kura/school.

Whaea Stephanie

Whaea Stephanie has been on leave for the past two weeks whilst she has returned home to Opotiki to be with her whaanau.

We have been so impressed with the aakonga/students from Room 4 who despite having many different kaiako/teachers during the week, all continued to be active learners and well-behaved.

Well done Room 4, we know you will be delighted to have Whaea Stephanie back teaching you again.

School Art Show (Reminder)

Whaea Atarangi holds the responsibility for Visual Art at Pukekohe North School. She has organised each class to produce art pieces for an Open Afternoon to be held on Wednesday 6 July in the School Hall. The hall and classrooms will be open from 3.00-6.30.p.m. for whaanau to come and view the aakonga/student's mahi/work.

Pukekohe North School Push Play Event

Next Friday 8th July from 12.30-2.40pm our school will be holding a Push Play Event.

There will be activities including House Sport, Counties Rugby coaching, Relays, CLM Outdoor Board games and a BBQ.

We welcome our community and whaanau to come along and join us for some fun.

Nau Mai, Haere Mai

Week 10- July 4th-8th 2022

We have a busy but fun week planned for the tamariki. Here are the activities which will be underway.

You are welcome to join us for all activities.

Monday 4 July – PB4L Assembly in the hall 8.50-9.15.a.m.

Tuesday 5 July – Room 4 works with the ROBOGALS on Science, Mathematics, and Technology

Paerata School brings their Year 7-8 Football Teams to play against us at lunchtime

PB4L

Pukekohe North School

Be Responsible Rangatiratanga

Be Respectful Whakaaute Mai

Be Safe Haumarutia

Be confident Mauri Tu



Wednesday 6 July – Whaanau/Parent Interviews -3.00-6.30.p.m.
 Kingsgate School Year 3-4 Teams come to play against our Middle School teams at lunchtime
 School Art Show on today 3.00-6.30.p.m.
Thursday 7 July - Whaanau/Parent interviews -3.00-6.30.p.m.
Friday 8 July- Room 9 works with the ROBOGALS on Science, Mathematics, and Technology
 Free BBQ Lunch for the tamariki

Matariki Celebrations

Matariki is about getting together with our whaanau to reflect on the past and the future. Last week te whaanau Kauri (Room 1) have been learning about the importance and significance of Matariki. Here we are celebrating with a shared kai.



Robogals

Aakonga/students in Room 1, 3 & 10 had some special guests from Auckland University come into their classes to teach us about STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Maths). They ran an interactive workshop where students were taught how to do coding using the online program Scratch. The aim of the visit was to inspire, engage and empower our aakonga to consider studying STEM.



Matua Jim 30.06.22



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