



March 3rd (Week 5, Term 1; 2023)

Kia Ora e te whanau,

Next week is our camp at Ohiwa holiday park. The weather is looking promising and our tamariki are excited to go and have fun and adventures together as a school. Parents and caregivers can be assured that we have all the necessary risk assessments and safety precautions in place to ensure a smooth and enjoyable camp experience.

Today a camp gear list will be sent home. It is a good idea to involve your child in packing their bag, so they know what is in it. Also please, please name your child's belongings, it's such a simple way to ensure everything they bring is brought home.

We will be leaving school on Wednesday at approximately 10:00 and arriving back at school on Friday at approximately 1:00.

Kemi at the front office will have camp information and details, if for any reason parents need to make contact while on camp.

Library room - Jeanette from the National Library and Kemi our admin, have been working on re-organising our library books into a new library space. We are very fortunate to have a huge selection of books for such a small school. Jeanette provides us with ideas and tips on how to get the most out of our library. We hope to have a little re-opening of this space in time to come.



In Terms 1 & 3 our year 7 & 8's attend Technology at Edgumbe College. This is paid for by the school and the seniors enjoy learning different skills from expert teachers.



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Boxing fitness with Warwick

Ball skills with Whaea Mel & Whaea Maya



It was sad to hear of the passing of John Stretch (our previous caretaker) Teachers and students paid their respects on Monday at the Tangihanga. All our love and thoughts go out to the whanau. Moe mai rā e te rangatira e te moenga roa.

UPCOMING EVENTS

8-10th Mar	School Camp
20 Mar	Teacher Only Day
22 Mar	Whakatane Library visit
30 Mar	Interschool Touch
6 Apr	Last day of Term One

Principal Award	Angel Chase	For explaining his mathematical thinking well to others.
Values Award	Nadia Waikato	For her perseverance with algebra maths problems
Duffy Award	Angel Bosma	For her great effort with her writing and spelling test

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