



A GREAT School for You!

Ngongotaha School

KIDZONE

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What an amazing gala afternoon we had last week. Thank you to everyone who made it such a success. As I mentioned on the night, I am continually amazed with how supportive our community is. We had dozens and dozens of businesses, individuals and whanau donate and support us. I know my thanks will never be enough but please remember, we appreciate everything you have done to help us. We raised enough money to cover the cost of the shade sail over the pool, to support schools in the Hawkes Bay region affected by the cyclone and still had some spare to purchase some musical playground equipment for the junior playground. In addition to the money raised on the afternoon/evening, the wonderful people of the Ngararanui Hupu have donated an additional \$5000 towards the gala!

You may have noticed the Dental Van that is now parked at the front of the school. The team will work through all classes checking the teeth and dental hygiene of each of our children. You will receive communication directly from them if your child needs any additional work.

Last week, I had a really good meeting with the company planning the new subdivision on Ngongotaha Road. I realise there are some people who are apprehensive about the new developments but after our meeting I walked away feeling a lot more confident. The design they have is outstanding and it is obvious that they have really 'done their homework' in regards to the land and how it will need to be developed. For us at school, it will mean additional enrolments but spread out over the next 10 years, I believe we will be able to cater for the roll growth. Keep an eye out for pop up discussion venues around Ngongotaha over the next few months where you will be able to see the design and ask any questions you may have.

Miss Coles' CRT program has started off extremely well. Over the past two years, children have been visiting Whaea Jamie and her Arts class when their teacher has their contract release time. We changed it this year to a Digital Technology focus working alongside Miss Coles. The children have thoroughly enjoyed learning about augmented reality, coding and virtual reality.

Craig McFadyen

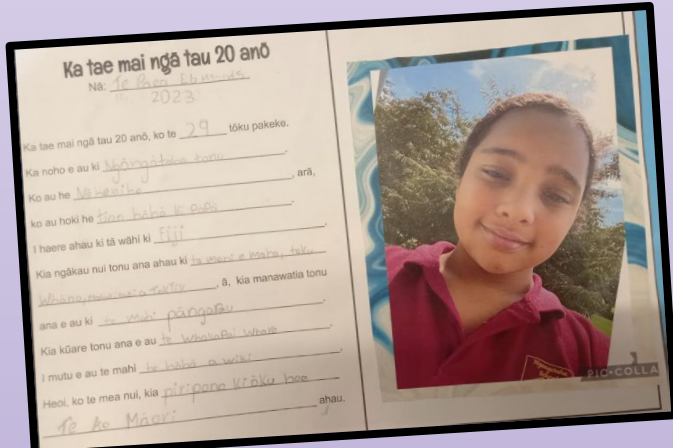
"Iti rearea teitei Kahikatea ka taea" "Aim High, Stand Proud"



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In 20 Years Time....Ka tae mai ngā tau 20 anō.....



Te Paea Edmonds

9 YEARS OLD

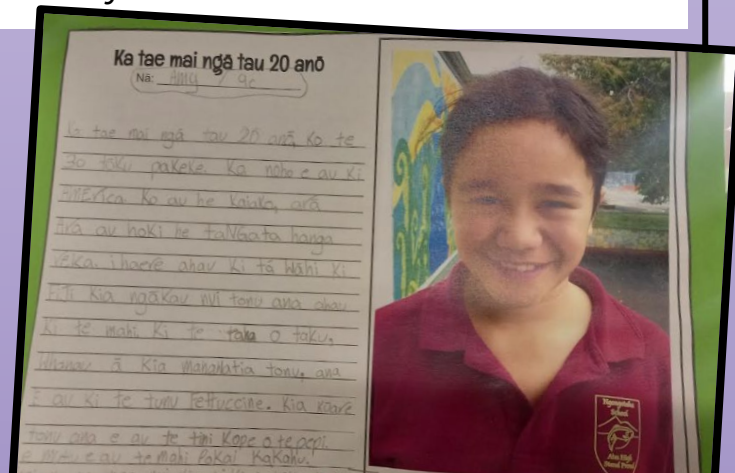
In 20 years time, I will be 29 years old. I will still live in Ngongotahā. I will be a dentist. I will still be a mischief to my dad. I would have travelled to Fiji.

I will still love to have lots and lots of money, my whānau, watching TikTokz and maths. I still won't like cleaning up the house. I will stop annoying my friend Wiki.

Most importantly, I will remain close with all my friends and cherish Te Ao Māori

Amy Phillips

10 YEARS OLD



In 20 years time, I will be 30 years old. I will still live in America. I will be a teacher and a comedian. I will still be a mischief to my dad. I would have travelled to Fiji.

I will still love to be a hard worker alongside my whānau and eating yummy fettuccine. I still won't like to change babies nappies. I will stop folding my clothes.

Most importantly, I will look after my Nan.

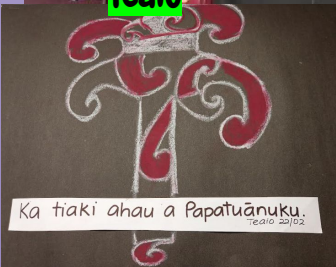


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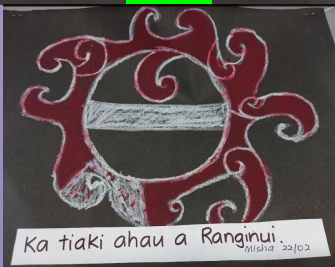
Watch a short informational video from Hahana Kids



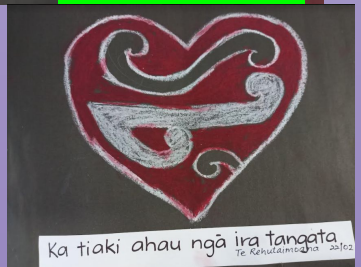
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WHAT'LL IT BE TODAY?

LIVING INTERIORS
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**OSWALD
CONSTRUCTION**

Ngongotaha Pharmacy

Are you battling with head lice?

*We are offering **FREE** consultation and head lice product.

*Call in and talk to one of our friendly pharmacists.

*Eligibility criteria: 2 years of age and over.

Brainy Awards

These certificates are handed out for achievement in academic areas such as maths, reading and writing.

Te Whanau Ngahere: Katherine Whittington, Ollie Wood, Hrdaya Hari-Dass, Jordyn Te Pania

Te Whanau Wai: Rylee McLean, Karson McIsaac, Austin Stewart, Kahtel Kahu-Aramakutu

Te Whanau Manu: Shane Hohepa and Ngakau Raerino

Te Whanau Maunga: Beau Beckham & Tamehana Grace

FOUR STEPS TO LICE-FREE LIFE:

- 1. INSPECT** (Check for lice)
- 2. TREAT** (Use lice treatment product)
- 3. REMOVE** (Remove lice/nits with comb)
- 4. CLEAN** (Clean home and personal items)

1. **Inspect:** If you suspect head lice, check.
2. **treat:** Use lice treatment product as directed.
3. **Remove:** Lice/nits by combing the hair with the comb provided.
4. **Clean:** Home and personal items.

Find us at 17a Tauiri St Ngongotaha. Phone: 3574240.

What's Happening?

27th March- room 11 amazing race at the museum
28th March- room 13 amazing race at the museum
28th March- BOT meeting
29th March- room 12 amazing race
29th March- School closes at 12.30
29th March- Parent teacher interviews 1.15-7pm (school closes at 12.30)
30th March- parent teacher interviews 3-5pm (normal close time)
6th April- last day of term 1

GREAT G-Growth R-Respect E-Equality A-Achievement T-Trust