

Pānui o te wiki

PUKEKOHE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL

Term 2 Week 9, 2022



Principal's Message

Tēnā koutou katoa, Kia orana, Talofa lava, Faka alofa lahiatu, Malo elelei, Namaste, Aslam Alaykom, Bula vinaka, Ni hao.

Netball Fun Day

Students and staff arrived at the Pukekohe Netball Courts on Wednesday dressed in learning community colours and ready to have fun and represent their LC with pride.

Our winter weather also arrived, however this did not dampen the spirits, with teams playing a total of 10 games during the day.

It was lovely to see this large number of students - well over 400 students actively participating in sport. Our school whānau turned out in numbers to umpire, manage, coach, or cheer from court-side.

Congratulations to the winning teams and all who participated.

A huge thank you to all staff involved and a special well done to Ann-Maree and Leah McNaughten for the time and effort you put into organising this event.

William Pike Challenge

On 28th June, the William Pike group of students from Rutherford set off to tackle the challenge of climbing Mt William. With perfect weather conditions for a bush walk, the students set a blistering pace and reached the summit in less than an hour.

After a quick lunch break we descended the walk, finding the many stairs far more enjoyable going downhill.

A big thank you to our parent helpers for supporting us with this trip.

We achieved a lot to get to the top and enjoyed the beautiful view. The stairs were very challenging. - Ava

A positive from the walk was that we all made it to the top. A challenge during the walk was that it was cold. - Mia



Parent - Teacher Interviews

Interim reports were emailed home on Monday and we now offer you an opportunity to discuss your child's learning progress. Parent -Teacher Interviews are being held on:

Monday 4th July 1:00-7:00pm and

Tuesday 5th July 3:15-7:00pm

Please contact the school to book your interview, or visit www.schoolinterviews.co.nz to book a time with your child's classroom teacher using the school booking code: **uvh2q**

Masks are required at this school event.

The school science fair will be on display in the school hall and Hub classes will be open for you to meet and discuss learning with our specialist teachers. Subjects include; Digital Technology, Food Technology, Music, Performing Arts, Science, STEAM and Visual Art.





School HEART Values



Sportsmanship was a focus at our Netball Fun Day this week. The students worked as a team and showed empathy and respect for their opponents.

Seeing our school values on display and the positive impact of these shared values was lovely.

We thank our students for their fantastic attitude throughout the day to ensure this school event was successful.



School Board Elections

It's board election time again! Next term we will be electing board members for the next three years.

Nominations will open for the election of five parent representatives to the school board no later than 15 July.

NOTE: This starts during the school holidays.

The returning officer for the triennial board election is Bernardine Vester. She can be contacted at

returningofficer@myschoolelection.nz

The timetable for the election is:

Main Roll closes:

Wednesday 13 July

Call for Nominations:

No later than Friday 15 July.

Supplementary Roll closes:

Monday 1 August

Nominations close:

Wednesday 3 August

If there are more nominations than vacancies, then parents and caregivers will receive an invitation to vote either electronically or by post.

Voting starts:

Wednesday 10 August

Election day:

Wednesday 7 September

Voting count:

Tuesday 13 September

New board in place:

Wednesday 14 September

Nominations can be made online through an email link provided in the Call for Nominations. However, a hard copy nomination form can also be obtained from the school office.

If you wish to stand for the board, it is recommended that you provide a candidate statement and photograph.

The electoral roll will be held at the school and can be viewed during normal school hours 8:00am - 3:30pm.

EPro8

Congratulations to the EPRO 8 Internal School Competition winners:

First Team: EPRO 9

Riley - Mitchell - Louis - Vincent

Second Team: Noobs

David - Edison - Carlos - Aidan

Third Team: Monkey People

Abi - Karlos - Toby - Vann

EPro9 and Noobs will compete in the EPro8 inter-school competition in August.

What's on next week?

Week 10

(Monday 4th July - Friday 8th July)

Monday

Parent-Teacher Interviews
Hub Show and Tell
Science Fair (school hall)
(1:00pm-7:00pm)

Tuesday

Kiwi Competitions - ENGLISH
Parent-Teacher Interviews
Hub Show and Tell
Science Fair (school hall)
(3:15pm-7:00pm)

Wednesday

Whole School assembly

Thursday

Kiwi Competitions - MATHEMATICS
Drum Battle (lunch time)

Friday

Last Day of Term
(School closes 3pm)