

A GREAT School for You!

Ngongotaha School KIDZONE

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We now have 400 students enrolled at Ngongotaha School. This is the number we usually reach around Term 4 each year, and we're only halfway through term 2!! We do everything we can to keep numbers down as I believe this has a direct impact on student academic success, but we have had so many students moving into our school zone over the past two months. This means we will have to decline many more applications than usual for out of zone enrolments. I urge you, whether you are living in zone or out of zone, if you have 3 or 4 year olds who you intend on enrolling at Ngongotaha School, please pre enrol. Come into the office and see Julie for an enrolment form and we will be able to use this information to help make decisions about classes and staffing.

I would like to thank the team at **Knitting for Cool Kids Rotorua** and the team at **Busy Bees Knitting** for supplying our junior school students with winter woolies. Every Year 0,1 and 2 child received their own bag of goodies including, booties, beanie, scarf and gloves. A GREAT way to keep warm. Remember, it your child is cold, they are welcome to wear a plain black thermal, long sleeve tee or tights to help keep them warm.

I have been speaking with Sue, Josh and the team at Lakeview Golf Club. We have a wonderful relationship with Lakeview and they have supported the school for a very long time. In the past few years, we have worked together to create information boards for a variety of holes around the course, painted murals for the clubhouse before it was lost in the fire, helped with various conservation initiatives (trapping and planting) and of course that's where we go for our weekly Golf Academy sessions. They are currently looking for sponsorship to help with the construction of their new clubhouse. If your business would like to help, please contact Sue Falconer on 07 3572341

A reminder that we don't have enough supervision for children to be here until 8am. If you need care prior to this please get in touch with Carol Te Papa who organises our before and afterschool care program. Many teachers are onsite prior to this but are busy preparing for the day so aren't in a position to supervise children.

Craig McFadyen

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

Yoga with Te Whānau Ngāhere













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We have started our journey



through the solar system. We created our own aliens.



Room 12's 'Boring Holiday' Writing



I didn't go to the movies to race a snail. I didn't eat a crocodile in a swamp and I didn't throw a car over a building. I had a pretty boring holiday really. Jax



I didn't pat a tiger in the wild. I didn't go to the zoo on the moon, I didn't see a lion turn into a butterfly. I didn't bake a cake of slime. I didn't go to the park to fly my rocket or watch a mouse do tricks on a tightrope. I had a pretty boring holiday really. Meeya

Room 13 Digital Technology with Miss Coles



My car is a truck that can go through mud. It has a Time Machine on the top. It is purple and it has flower stickers and a rainbow tail sticker.



My car is a red racing car. The engine makes it go really fast. The red car can fly with its propeller. The laser on the front lifts up other cars.



My car is a jeep and it can drive on big rocks. It can driv in rivers and it can go fast. It has a spike to stab into things.

Room 16





Monster Trucks and Guinea Pigs



A <u>huge</u> thank you to the team at Cool Kids Rotorua for our winter woolies.



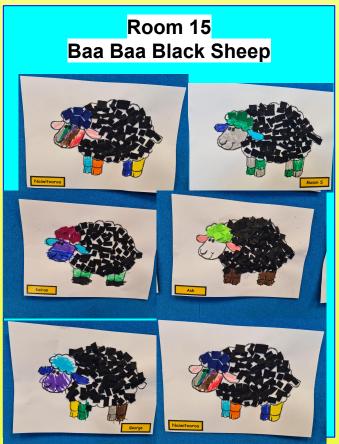


Room 17

We made cylinder monsters and put them in order from the shortest to the tallest.







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Te Whanau Ngahere:

Ezra Whitehead, Logan Yandall, Violet Banfield, Luca Carter, **Te Whanau Wai:**

Te Whanau Manu:

Talia Harris - perseverance and great maths attitude during problem solving

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Wikitoria Richel-King, Moana Rikiti





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<u>What's</u> <u>Happening?</u>

19th May- Pink Shirt day 24th May- School Cross Country (P/P day 25th 30th May-bake sale 31st May Rms11,12,13 Parawai Marae 2nd June- TOD

5th June- King's Birthday **14th June-** Rural Schools Cross Country at Kaharoa School **30th June-** Last day of

term 2 **Assemblies**

Week 4- room 12

Week 5- room 3

Week 6- Teacher

Only Day

Week 7- room 9c

Week 8- room 13

Week 9- room 15