

Newsletter



Wisdom begins with Wonder

Term 3. Week 6

Friday 2 Sept 2022

Principal's Message:

Fresh from an amazing day at Rippa yesterday we turn our head to Cross Country next week (). Because of the state of the fields, training has been difficult, however, I'm sure, like they did at Rippa, our tamariki will give it 100%

Along the same lines, it is only a little over one week to the Pukehou Trail Run and Colour Run on Sunday 11th September at Kahotea Farm. This amazing event is a fund raiser for the Pukehou Bus Group. It's a beautiful part of Central Hawke's Bay, and I firmly believe that it can become an iconic event! So, we'd love to see you there, and please spread the word.

As I look across the field towards Te Aute College, I'd like to acknowledge and welcome Rachel Kingi as the new Tumuaki. Having known her for many years, I know she will do an amazing job, and I look forward to Pukehou School and Te Aute College reconnecting and strengthening our relationship. Kia kaha, Kia māia, Kia manawanui! Already, it has been fantastic to have a past student, Taamai Graham, along with Matua Conrad Nepe-Apatu support our tama with kapa haka as part of our build-up to Ngati Whai. Our tama have thrived under their guidance.

This term has been challenging with the illnesses that have continued to impact many students, staff and whānau. Resilience has been to the forefront. and given the years of disruption and anxiety that our children (and our whānau) have had to endure, I am constantly amazed by their outlook. He Moana Pukepuke e Ekengia e te Waka: A choppy sea can be navigated.

Rob Pratt Principal



At Pukehou School all our policy can be found on the SchoolDocs website. Policies are regularly reviewed and input from our school community is welcomed. Please follow the steps listed:

- Visit the website https://pukehou.schooldocs.co.nz/1893.htm
- Enter the username (pukehou) and password (pukehou174).
- Follow the link to the relevant policy as listed.
- Read the policy.
- Click the Policy Review button at the top right-hand corner of the page.
- 6. Select the reviewer type.
- Enter your name (optional).
- Submit your ratings and comments.

If you don't have internet access, we can provide you with printed copies of the policy and a review form. Simply contact the office.

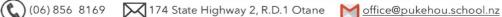
SUN PROTECTION

One of our policies under review this term is Sun Protection. Currently our policy applies in Terms 1 and 4 from 10am to 4pm. As a Board, we have discussed that given the harshness of the Hawke's Bay sun, expanding this needs to be considered. September to April has been suggested as an option, and we would welcome your thoughts.

A total of \$84 was raised for the Cancer Society on Daffodil Day Thank you for your support











JUICIES \$2 EACH!!

Every Friday lunchtime starting this week, our amazing Year 8 Kaitiaki will be selling Juicies at school. Their goal is to raise funds to purchase some outdoor picnic tables (or seating) that they can leave as a legacy gift for future generations to enjoy.

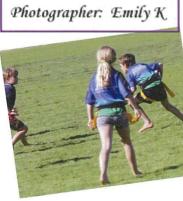














House Points:	Pukeiti	Pukenui	Kauhehei	Kahuranaki
Week 5 - 6	5,780	5,800	7,270	5,600
Term totals to date	17,140	14,970	20,730	16,790

CHB Inter-school tennis starts in Term 4

The season will begin on Monday 17th October, with no games on the 24th October, and then run for approximately another 5 weeks after that. On our first session on Monday the 17th we are going to have a fun session, hand out folders & balls, have a hit around with some coaches present to refine our techniques and play a few games. A little warm up to the season!

Registrations will close on Friday 16th September. Please contact Jacqui before this date if you would like your child to be part of a team.

Typically inter-school tennis has been for players 8-13 years old. There are two grades, A and B Grade. 'A Grade' players have generally played a bit of tennis, maybe the odd competition or had some tennis coaching. They have a good understanding of the rules of tennis and are able to have a good rally, play some purposeful shots and can serve well.

A 'B Grade' player may or may not be new to tennis but can hold a rally for more than two shots, they are learning the rules and do not necessarily need to be able to serve properly. Inter-school Tennis is a great opportunity for players to experience tennis in a friendly competitive environment with support and guidance. Playing each week develops their confidence and tennis abilities.

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IMPORTANT DATES: SEPTEMBER Wed 7 Pukehou / Poukawa Cross Country Mon 12 Board Meeting 6pm Wed 14 Cross Country Ppmt date Thurs 15 CHB Inter School Cross Country Thurs 22 CHB Cross Country Ppmt date Sat 24 Working Bee & Shared Lunch Wed 28 Ngati Whai Festival Fri 30 Yr 7 Inspiration Day End of Term 3



If your child has more than one Pukehou Sports Top in their possession, please return any additional ones on Monday. We aim to have all students running Cross Country in tops next week at Poukawa. Thank you.



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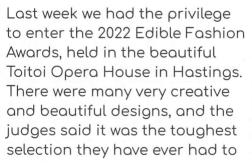






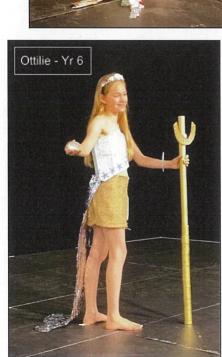
Fashion Art Sport

It's all been happening here!





Thank you very much to Kerin who came to school six times on Thursdays to help us with our designs and creations. Also many thanks to everyone who came and supported us, especially those who drove us there and looked after us for the day. Thank you all, we couldn't have done it without your support. I'm inspired to enter again next year! Lucy S















The Pukehou Yr 7 & 8 Netball team beat St Josephs 13-9 to win the league last weekend. Great result girls!!

The Yr 5 & 6 team had a great netball season too, despite losing a player to injury a couple of weeks ago.



Chalk Art



Kererū kids dressed as their favourite book characters









PWF Spring Raffle -

Thank you in advance for your continued support more tickets are available from the school office. Please sell as many as you can!



CHB JUNIOR TOUCH REGISTRATIONS ARE OPEN!!

Let's get some Pukehou School Teams entered. Junior Touch starts on the 31st of October and runs for five weeks. Games are played from 3.30 - 5.40pm. All teams are mixed. Year 1-2 play on the turf and Years 3-8 at Russell Park.



Register your interest at the office NOW!



Sent home yesterday:



PWF Spring Raffle sheets



Your Kids Art Works order forms with a 'unique code' for each child

MINIBALL resumes next Friday, 9 September - Friday 9 December. Same teams as earlier.

Find the draw at https://websites.mygameday.app/ nearer the time.





