

MAHURI TEAM NEWS

TERM 2 2021



STRATEGIC GOALS

Our three strategic goals guide our way forward this year and beyond.
As a school we will be focusing on:

Hauora

To support and empower students to learn and know ways to regulate and enhance their own and others wellbeing to achieve personal excellence

Localised Curriculum

To create a localised curriculum that tells our story, connects us to our local community and iwi, and reflects our expectations and aspirations

Learning to Learn

To develop the skills, knowledge, attitudes and values that enable learners to improve their own learning through rich learning experiences



TEAM NEWS

Greetings Parents and Caregivers of Mahuri Students,

Welcome back to Ashgrove and especially Mahuri for Term 2. After such a successful first term we are looking forward to the teaching and learning that is going to fill this term.

Thank you to all of the families who make a big effort to ensure that their children had the hat they required for the summer term. Now that winter is nearly upon us, we are focused on being warm and having the correct footwear. Please remember that your child is required to wear the correct uniform at all times while at school. However, they are able to wear warm clothing to and from school. The teachers appreciated all of the effort made by the students and yourselves to ensure that the correct hair colour, hair tied up, jewellery, no nail polish etc was adhered to and it made an excellent start to the term.

This term will see us doing swimming lessons every Tuesday for the entire term. Your child is required to bring their togs, towel and goggles if needed, to school every Tuesday in a bag large enough to hold their belongings. Please also ensure that all of your child's clothing, underwear and footwear is named.

Mahuri students will be participating in the Ashgrove Cross Country on the 19th of May. This will be held on Ashgrove Park. Mr Melrose is offering to do 8:30am training runs with Mahuri students who are interested. We will advise the students of the days with will happen. The postponement day for the cross country is 26th May.

Winter sport this year will begin on Friday 28th of May and will run each Friday for term 2 and into term 3, with the exception of our Teacher Only Day on the 4th June. Students have the **option** to sign up to competitive off-site sport each Friday or to participate in sport at school. Notices will be coming home this week with details about the sports on offer. Sign up for the competitive sport is on Kindo.

For competitive Friday sport teams, there will be a one day winter Tournament on Tuesday 6th of July.

We are working on a celebration for the end of this term and the children and kaiako are excited to share it with you once we have all of the planning underway. We are sure you will hear some sneaky details from your child before the big reveal!

Thank you once again for all of your support, we do appreciate this very much and please know it makes the world of difference to the children. We feel privileged to work with your children and the teaching and learning journey in Mahuri is rewarding.

Please do not hesitate to make contact with your child's kaiako, in the first instance, or the team leader, via email. These addresses are at the bottom of this newsletter.

With warmest regards

Kylie Forrest, George Melrose, Nicky Kelso, Shallie Doney and Abby Washington..

This term our 5 Ways to Wellbeing focus from our Ashgrove Whetu Hauora model is *Be Active* and *responsibility*.

There will be lots of different activities to get us active, involved and taking responsibility for our own wellbeing



Alps to Ashgrove
challenge
2021

Move your way all 238km from the Alps to Ashgrove by the end of the term.
Grab a challenge card, mark off each km completed and be in to win some great prizes. Pedometers will be available from the office for \$2 very soon!

Every Tuesday - Swimming
Wednesday 19th May- Cross Country
Wednesday 26th May; PP Cross Country
Friday 28th May; Friday Winter Sports starts
Wednesday 2nd June: North Canterbury Cross Country
Friday 4th June: Teachers Only Day
Monday 14th June: Basketball Qualifying Tournament
Wednesday 23rd June: Canterbury Cross Country
Tuesday 6th July: Winter Tournament
Friday 9 July - End of term

IMPORTANT DATES



We are usually available before and after school if you have a question or information to let us know. We do ask however that if you need more than a few minutes that you make a time to meet with your child's homeroom teacher.

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