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12 Aug 2024

Term 3

Tēnā koutou katoa,

A big thank you to everyone who took the time to donate to the Masterton Community Food Bank Appeal. As a team, we have been able to help restock the shelves at the Masterton Food Bank, which is going to go along way to helping many of our community members. Here is a message from the team at the Food Bank.

"The Masterton Food Bank wishes to sincerely thank all of you for taking part in the recent Masterton Food Bank Appeal. The donations we received means that we can keep filling bellies up and supporting those in the community that need our help. Last year the Food Bank provided over 7000 food parcels and fed approximately 28,000 people. The Food Bank alone cannot do this so the support from the community makes a world of difference. The donations that came in on Friday have replenished our shelves and also brought a bit of sparkle to our parcels. Again, our greatest thanks from Jenna and the team at the Masterton Food Bank"

One of the highlights for me over the past fortnight is seeing the students engaged, keen and ready to learn each day. We have been fortunate to have a range of activities to be involved in from football, to Olympic learning and this week, learning about wool as we begin our 'wool week' learning.

Over the next fortnight we have our seniors involved in Matharapa, we have a trip to Kiriwhakapapa (weather dependent) and Tremaine visiting us from Whaiora to teach us more games and activities. Lots of things to keep everyone busy and learning.

Feel free to pop in for a cup of tea if you are around.

Have a great week.

Megan Roberts.

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What's coming up...

Tuesday 12 August
Football program

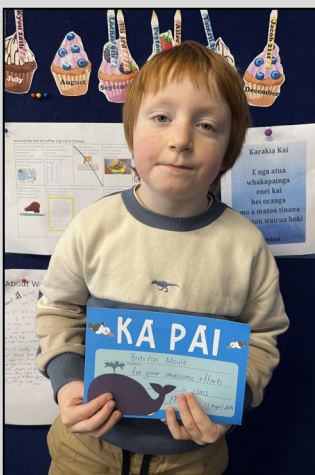
Thursday 15 Aug
Yr 8 –Matharapa
Playgroup

Friday 16 August
Designcraft

Tuesday 20 August
Kiriwhakapapa
Trip

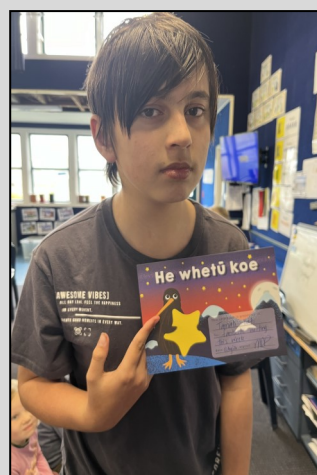
Monday 26 August
Science Road-
show Yr5-8
BOT Meeting

Students of the Week



Braxton for your awesome efforts in class.

Tamati for fantastic writing this week.



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School Phone App

Today you should receive an email from school with your User ID, log in and instructions on how to set up the school app on your phone. This app will be an invaluable tool for communication between school and our families and will be used to send out school notices, student work and school reports. You can also contact us and report absences through the app.



If you didn't receive an email or you would like some help in getting set up please give us a call.

There is also a set of instructions included with your newsletter that gives you a little more detail on setting up and how to allow and enable notifications on your phone.

Matharapa

Good Luck to our Year 8 boys heading to Matharapa at Wairarapa College this Thursday.

Kiriwhakapapa Trip

As part of our focus on local spaces, next Tuesday, 20 August, we are heading to Kiriwhakapapa for the morning. Please make sure students are dressed warmly and have shoes they can walk a little distance in. If you would like to join us you are most welcome, please let the office know. We will be leaving school just after 9.00am and returning before lunchtime.

Trees to Plant - Working Bee

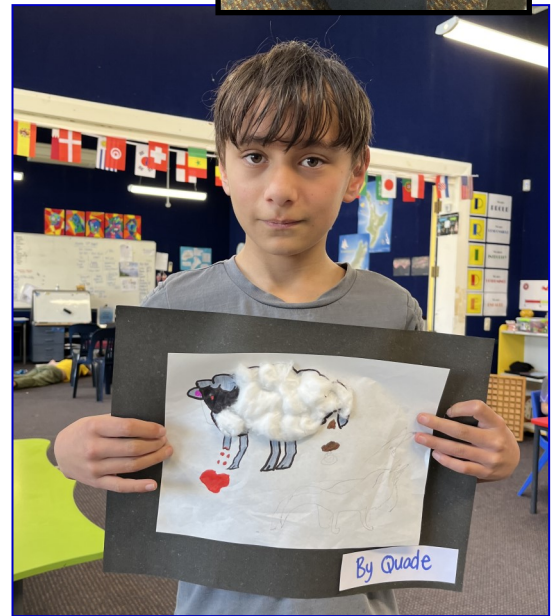
Thanks to the generosity of some local farmers who nominated our school when returning tree covers last year, we received a voucher from Akura Nurseries. Last week we picked up some trees and shrubs to plant and we are hoping to plant them next **Monday 19 August**.

We would love some help! We will be planting from 1.30pm followed by afternoon tea for everyone involved.

Please bring your own spade and some sunshine and we'll see you there.

Wool Week

This week at school, it is wool week. We have been learning about types of wool, how we use wool and where it comes from. We have been creating some wool art that we have put on the wall in the corridor. Come in and have a look.



Australia Poem

The heat of the outback, the cold of the south.
And for the last time, they aren't upside-down.
They have koalas and kangaroos, which one is better?
I guess you'll have to choose.

Tamati - Term 3 2024



9.30am to 11.30pm
Mauriceville School Hall

Thursday 15 August –REAP
Thursday 29 August - visit to Alfredton
Thursday 5 September - REAP
Thursday 19 September - REAP

A very big shout out to Yardlands Animal and Garden Supplies who very generously sponsor our school chooks by way of free chook food.

Hugely appreciated, thank you.

Yardlands can be found at 49 Queen Street, Masterton.



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