

Tapanui School

Newsletter #15 - 27 May 2022

What's coming up?

- 31 May - WO Cross Country - Heriot
- 31 May - BOT Meeting 5.30pm
- 6 June - Queens Birthday - School CLOSED
- 8 June - Eastern Cross Country
- 10 June - Whole School Assembly
- 17 June - PTA Disco at BMC Hall
- 24 and 27 June - Matariki Long Weekend - School CLOSED
- 6-7 July - Korero Whānau - Three-Way Conversation

Kia ora whanau,

Today was our day to celebrate Mental Health Week with our 'Pink Shirt' day. Thank you for taking on the challenge from the Student Council to reduce bullying and to be kind by participating today and collectively raising \$84 for this very worthy cause.



We continue to work daily with your children here at school to build their resilience. Our current focus is "**Pursue your personal best, no matter who you work with**". You know we can't always pick who we have to work alongside, who we might end up in a team with or who's at the same event as us! What we can do is decide to be respectful, to work together for the common good and to be polite. Want to help us out at home? Consider these few points:

1. Share your ideas and opinions on subjects
2. Take turns to lead an activity
3. Play games that involve getting out or losing

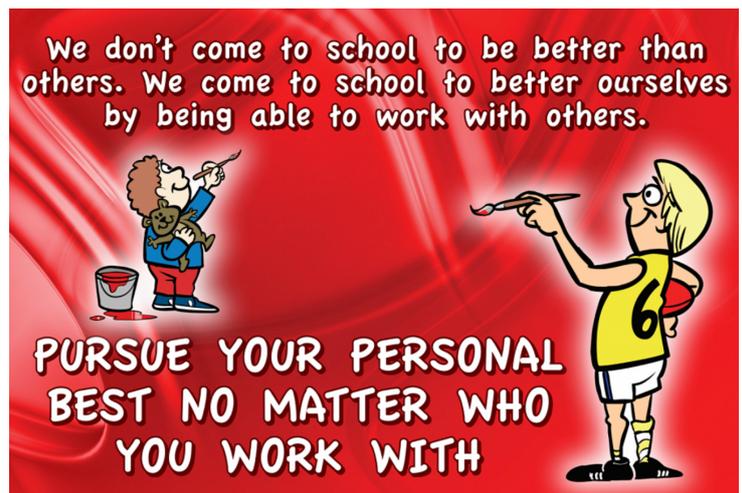
Remember, we don't come to school to be better than others, we come to school to better ourselves so that we can work with others!

Resilience:

Resilience is the ability to adapt to difficult situations. When stress, adversity or trauma strikes, you still experience anger, grief and pain, but you're able to keep going. To be resilient, I learn to keep a perspective on things - how bad are they really? I learn how to relax. I learn what my triggers are and how to minimise these and I learn from my mistakes but only if I'm prepared to make some along the way.

Read on. There's plenty going on.
Noho ora mai – Stay well!

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Cross Country - FUN RUN

Tuesday 31 May

10am

Heriot School Hosting

Come along and join the Fun Run
Wear old clothes
Be ready to have a blast!

PTA Update

Did you see the ad in the Blue Mountain Express? The School Playground is our next 'big deal'.

Plenty of opportunities to help with fundraising coming your way!

PTA
NEWS

The PTA wants to thank Alice and Peter Kane for their donation of \$400 to the PTA for catering at their wedding recently. Thank YOU whānau for all your generous donations of both time and food making this possible!

**Next PTA Meeting - Wed 8 July 7.30pm
All Welcome**

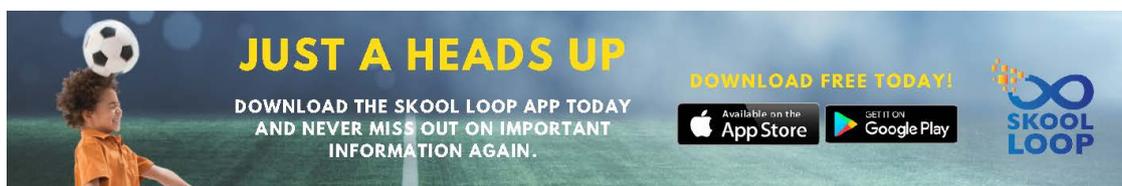
John Parsons Link:

Here is the next in a series of links:

This one on 'Behaviour'

DEALING WITH ANTI SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR

<https://www.facebook.com/johnparsonsS2E/videos/643131269822891/>



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The Poumāhaka Kāhui Ako Schools
present

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Mauri Ora Matariki

THURSDAY 23RD JUNE 1PM
WEST OTAGO COMMUNITY CENTRE GYM

We invite you to join us for shared kai at
12:10pm followed by Kapa Haka
performances from all of our local schools
and early childhood centres..

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TREE PLANTING CEREMONY
FRIDAY 24TH JUNE 2022

10AM

A Pōhutukawa Tree, donated by Blue
Mountain Nursery will be planted at the
gates to the Cemetery

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FRIDAY 24TH JUNE 2PM - 6:30PM
WAIMUMU

Dedicated West Otago Community Kapa Haka
members performing at Waimumu Field Days
site along with many other local groups.
Join them for Kai and fireworks.

KORERO WHĀNAU

Our next round of reporting and sharing is coming up at the end of this Term. We wanted to let you know now about our Korero Whānau Three-Way Learning Conversations which are scheduled for 6 and 7 July in the last week of Term. These will be the usual 20 minutes.

Later in the term we will advise you how to book these using the SkoolLoop App. Until then, note the dates in your diary.

Why have Learning Conversations?

1. Build the partnership between home and school
2. Share our aspirations for your child's learning / progress
3. Set goals for the second half of the year
4. Hear the student's own voice on their progress, strengths and struggles
5. Build the learning community

Whole School Assembly

Please join us at our next whole school assembly on Friday 10 June starting at 2.15pm. Most likely here at school in our whānau space for a celebration of learning.





DISCO

Tapanui School PTA

warmly invites

Tapanui Students and parents

Friday 17th June 2022

Blue Mountain College Hall

5.30pm - 7.30pm

\$3 door entry/child



Permission slip to be signed and returned to school by Fri 10th June



WEST OTAGO CROSS COUNTRY 2022 - HERIOT

TUESDAY 31 MAY - 10AM

Details

- Students will travel by bus, van or parent vehicles to Heriot
- We will leave Tapanui by 9.30am so if you're helping with transport please be here by 9.15am
- The competitive event will be run first about 10.10am
- All students will then participate in a FUN RUN including haybales, obstacles, colour
- Students should wear MUFTI - clothes that can get 'colour' on them and perhaps a change for afterwards
- Parents and Teachers are invited to join the FUN run so dress appropriately
- The event concludes by 11.30am (possibly earlier) - if you're taking your child home afterwards, please advise your child's teacher

It's going to be FUN

See you there!

Can you help with transport? [Complete this G-Form](#) asap